

Zion Mennonite Church

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Trusting in God's hope for our future, we meet God in rich and meaningful worship, nurture each generation to grow in faith, and serve the needs of others in love, here and around the world; as a beacon of God's love, we invite all people to join our family as we joyfully live together with Jesus in the power of the Holy Spirit!

Sunday, April 29, 2018

Gathering and Praising

Prelude: To God Be the Glory (Doane)

Welcome & Announcements

***Gathering Hymn:** #76 Praise, I Will Praise You, Lord

***Call to Worship** (based on Isaiah 12:3-6)

L: Give thanks to God, and call upon His name!

P: For God is great, and God is here!

L: Spread the news of what God has done throughout the world.

P: For God is great, and God is here!

L: Sing praise, and shout for joy:

P: For God is great, and God is here!

***Opening Prayer**

Creator God,

This is the day that You have made!

This is the day you have called Holy:

Remove from us our distractions, our worries,
our to-dos and should-haves and the stress & strain.

And in its place, O God, give us more of You.

Fill us with the joy of the Lord:

We are glad to be together in the House of the Lord! Amen.

Hymn: #357 O Master, Let Me Walk With Thee

Hearing God's Story and Responding

Scripture: Matthew 20:25-28; Philippians 4:4-9

Special Music: Seek and Ye Shall Find

Children's Story: What's YOUR uniform?

Message: Tie it on.

Hymn: #639 Great God, We Sing

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

-Joyfully living with Jesus

Special Music: Keep Your Heart in Tune

Prayers of the people

Offering: Into My Heart (Clarke)

***Doxology:** #119

***Offering Prayer**

Sending & Benediction:

***Sending Words:**

Now to him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to his power that is at work within us, to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, for ever and ever! Amen. (Eph 3:20-21)

A Litany of Blessing- insert

*** Hymn:** #427 You Shall Go Out with Joy

Postlude

Worship Participants

Pianist: Donaa Vogel / Laura Krehbiel

Special Music: Josie & Jayden Mueller

Worship Leader: Allison Krehbiel

Children's Story: Laura Krehbiel

Interim Pastor: Pam Unruh

Ushers: Dylan, Traci Keller

Joyfully living with Jesus time: Kenzie Krehbiel

***Stand if able**

Calendar of Church Events

May 2 5:30 Education Committee Meeting
 5:45 Vacation Bible School Meeting
 7:00 Council Meeting

May 6 9:30 Sunday School
 10:30 Worship: Carolyn Pundt

Announcements:

Mission Committee:

Summer Food Boxes “SIGN-UP” sheet is located on south bulletin board; items list is also available. Items in boxes should be left at ZMC on Sunday, May 13th. If you have any questions, please contact Kristi Keller, Mission Committee.

Crooked Creek Christian Camp

Crooked Creek Wild will be here earlier than you think....**May 5, 2018!** Register at your convenience at www.crookedcreekcamp.org/crooked-creek-wild Come for a fun and muddy time! Free-will donation BBQ lunch will be about noon following the mud run obstacle course.

Summer Camp registration BEST RATES are NOW! Register online at <http://www.crookedcreekcamp.org/summer-camp.html>

Pray for the Spirit of God to impact our youth this summer. Pray for camp staff and counselors who prepare camp space for summer camp and family reunions!