

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, October 8, 2017

Gathering and Praising

Prelude: *O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus (Tornquist)*

Welcome & Announcements

***Gathering Hymns:** #66 O Worship the King

***Call to Worship**

L: O Lord, you are God.

P: There is no other God but you.

L: O Lord, we worship you.

P: We praise and honor your name.

L: For your love,

P: for your word,

ALL: for all that you have given, we thank you and praise you.

***Opening Prayer**

We give you all thanks and praise, O God,
for you have made us your own, through Christ Jesus,
Though we repeatedly rejected your ways
you sent your Son to us to renew heaven's call.
Therefore, with our hearts lifted high,
we offer you thanks and praise at all times
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
Amen.

Hearing God's Story

Scripture: Exodus 20:1-4, 7-9, 12-17

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

Scripture: Isaiah 5:1-2,7; Matthew 21:33-46

Children's Story:

Message: What Kind of tenants are we?

Responding

Hymn: #185 Hail to the Lord's Anointed

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Prayers of the people

Offering: *Christ in Me (Gracia)*

***Doxology:** #119

Sending & Benediction:

***Sending Words:**

Go forth in the name of the living Word,
the One whose words bring forth
the fruit of the kingdom in your own lives! Amen.

*** Hymn:** #577 O Love that Will Not Let Me Go

Postlude

Worship Participants

Pianist: Liz Howard

Worship Leader: Willis Krehbiel

Children's Story:

Interim Pastor: Pam Unruh

Usher: Dave and Sandy Petersen

Calendar of Church Events

- Oct 8 5-7 p.m. Chili Cook-off: Hurricane Relief fundraiser
- Oct 15 9:30 Sunday School
 10:30 Worship
- Oct 22 9:30 Sunday School
 10:30 Worship
- Oct 28 3:00 p.m. Maurine Krebill Celebration of life service

Pam's church office hours this week:

Wednesday 1-5 p.m. & Thursday: 10:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

(Or other times if needed; Pam's cell phone: 319-750-3091.)

October 12 is SENIOR DAY at CCCC with musician and storyteller Paul Siebert. Hailing from Lincoln, Nebraska; You are likely to hear a song you love on one of his 8 instruments. Open to whoever wants to have a fun day; register at <http://www.crookedcreekcamp.org/senior-day.html>

Central Plains Prayer Request: The situation for both documented and undocumented immigrants creates uncertainty and stress for families. Pray for immigrants you know and for the leaders who have the ability to improve the situation, that the Spirit of Christ may bring wisdom and guidance to all.



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are we?