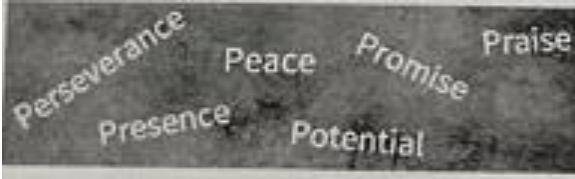


Worship Music
Morning Prayer

VBS Songs
Pastor Lois

HEARING GOD'S WORD

Scripture Genesis 6:5-9; 8:15-22 Steve Banman
Message *Noah... A Disaster Manager* Cleo Koop



Sharing of Experiences in Red Lake, MN Eddie Gaeddert
Song of Response *How Great Thou Art* (vs. 1, 2, 4) VT 436
Worship with Our Tithes and Offerings
Offertory *Meditation* ~Douglas Wagner Jared Janzen
***Prayer of Dedication** Pastor Lois

SENT AS GOD'S PEOPLE

***Song of Sending** *This Is My Song* VT 710
***Benediction** Pastor Lois
***Postlude** *Prelude on a Theme of Brahms* ~Gordon Young Jared Janzen

*All who are able are invited to stand.

+ The peace lamp serves as a visual reminder for us that we follow Jesus the Prince of Peace and believe that God's shalom will prevail.

Song Leader: Renae Peters
Greeters: North – Karl and Marcia Brubaker
South – John and Jenny Fast

Visual Arts: VBS

Nursery Staff: Kim Voth, Tammy Flaming

Worship Technology: DJ Flaming, Caiden Duerksen, Delton Voth

June 2 Attendance: Sunday School – 101; Worship -- 141 in person;
11 Zoom Households

June 2 Offering: Sunday School -- \$18.20; First Fruits – \$4,666.00

Next Sunday Travis Duerksen will reflect on fatherhood. Our High School youth will also share about their experiences in Kentucky with Appalachia Build.

Praying for Our Congregation and Beyond

- ❖ We thank you, God, for a full and wonderful week of VBS! Thank you for each student, teacher, helper and everyone who participated in sharing the good news of Jesus this week.

- ❖ We're grateful for the mini "service assignments" that our 6th graders did as part of VBS with the Tabor Church 6th graders.
- ❖ We pray for Norman Schroeder who is in the hospital with pneumonia.
- ❖ We pray for safe travels as our youth and Ben and Tina travel back home.
- ❖ Thank you for the recent rains and now for hot, windy days as farmers prepare for wheat harvest.

+This week pray for: Roger and Fern Bartel, Mike and Mandi Brouillette, Mark and Anne Burch, Preston, Brianna and Silas Combs, Tim and Judy Goertzen, June Hiebert, Jordan Schmucker, Jeremy W. Voth, John and Kristin Womack

THIS WEEK

Sunday, June 9

- 9:30 am – Sunday School
- 10:30 am – Worship
- 4:00 pm -- MDS Cabinet Shop Open House & Dedication
- 7:00 pm -- Heritage Talk – "Roots & Fruits" Arlin Buller presenter

Monday, June 10

- 4:00 pm – Prayer Team
- 5:45 pm – Board of Mission and Service
- 7:00 pm – Church Council

Tuesday, June 11

- 9:15 am – Staff Meeting
- 5:00 pm – Board of Worship
- 5:30 pm – Board of Christian Education

Sunday, June 16

- 9:30 am – Sunday School
- 10:30 am – Worship

COMING EVENTS

- June 17-Aug 11 Sabbatical time for Pastor Lois
- June 20 Pastor Luann meet with Bethesda residents at 9:30 am
- June 21 Senior Coffee with Brian Stucky, "Goessel area rural graves"
- July 19 Senior Coffee with Tim Schrag presenting about MDS
- Aug 2-4 WDC Annual Assembly, First Mennonite Church, Beatrice, NE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

At the recommendation of the Board of Deacons, and as part of the transitional work of the congregation, Pastor Lois will take the remainder of her sabbatical time this summer that was not completed last summer. She will be on sabbatical for 8 weeks beginning June 17 through August 11. The Board of Deacons has secured pastoral coverage for this time with Robert Yutzky agreeing to serve with us at .5 FTE. Pastor Luann will continue with us in her Transitional Pastor role, also at .5 FTE.

Office hours for Pastor Robert Yutzy will be Wednesday and Friday from 9:00-12:00.

Pastor Robert Yutzy will be teaching several classes using material from the "Managing Differences in the Faith Community" that he co-taught in April for KIPCOR and Bethel College. These sessions will help persons to examine communication dynamics, gut theologies about differences and conflicts, as well as the connection between community, creativity, and conflict and the transformation God's Spirit may be inviting us to. This will be offered three consecutive Sundays starting July 7.

Today -- Dedication and celebration of the new Mennonite Disaster Service (MDS) Cabinet Shop and Warehouse in Goessel, 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Today -- June 9, at 7:00 pm at the Alexanderwohl Mennonite Church, Arlin Buller will present "Roots & Fruits: A Timeline of History." Buller will place the story of the Przechowko Mennnonites, later the Alexanderwohl, Hoffnungsau and Lone Tree congregations, in historical context through the use of a timeline he created. A 150th Celebration Event -- All are welcome!

Brian Stucky will present "Goessel Area Rural Graves" for Sr. Coffee on Friday, June 21 at 10:00 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. This 55 minute presentation offers additional insight into the migration story of 150 years ago and tells about the research Brian has done to discover and honor the 70+ rural graves in this area.