

Zion Mennonite Church

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Worship Service and Testimonies

July 23, 2017

Worship service: 10:00 am

WELCOME TO ZION MENNONITE CHURCH

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Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

Singing

Names for God, Jesus and the Holy Spirit

Singing

Testimonies

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Offering

Congregational sharing and prayer

Benediction (prayer for the meal)

During the worship service, you will have the opportunity to tie knots on the Zion Comforter. This is the comforter made from the patches provided by members. It is in honor of the work of the sewing circle, a group that no longer meets. If you would like to learn how to tie knots on a comforter, Audrey Shenk will be providing a quick lesson at 9:45 in the pavilion. Then you may help anytime during the service.

MINISTRY LEADERS TODAY

Greeters: Jim & Gerry Rush

Usher: Grant Stoltzfus

Worship Leader: Dave King

Nursery: Mike & Kate Piper

Music Leader: Elwood Yoder

Musicians: Sara Halteman & Sharisa Zook

STATISTICS FOR JULY 16, 2017

Attendance: 122 Offering: \$3,990.00
Offering YTD: \$151,598
Building Fund: \$400 Goal YTD: \$165,245

Much gratitude for your generous giving to ZMC!

UPCOMING MINISTRY ASSIGNMENTS:

	<u>July 30, 2017</u>	<u>Aug 6, 2017</u>
<u>Greeters:</u>	Ruth K. & Paul/Mary L.	Craig & Sharisa Zook
<u>Worship Leader:</u>	Pastor Sarah	Dave King
<u>Preacher:</u>	Mark Theissen Nation	Paul Leaman
<u>Music Leader:</u>	Welby Showalter	Sara Halteman
<u>Sound Operator:</u>	Craig Zook	Craig Zook
<u>Nursery:</u>	Lorene S. & Noelle R.	Lorene S. & Noelle R.
<u>Foyer Monitor(s):</u>	--	--
<u>Worship Arts:</u>	Brenda Fairweather	

CONGREGATIONAL INFORMATION

LEAD PASTOR: Mike Metzler ASSOCIATE PASTOR: Sarah Piper

ELDERS/Interim Leadership Team: ✓**Eric Codding** (chair) • 540-820-1919 • eric.codding@gmail.com, ✓**Celah Pence** (pastoral care) • 540-246-9182 • ckpence82@gmail.com, ✓**Dave King** (administration) • 540-746-8562 • david.king@emu.edu, ✓**David Gingerich** (leadership & worship) • 503-826-2731 • boxboy2008@gmail.com, ✓**Sarah Piper** (associate pastor) • 540-560-1686 • sarah@millpip.com

CLT: Daryl Myers (chair), Ron Piper (vice chair), Jenn Blosser, Bob Buckwalter, Jamey Groff, Justin King, Amy Rush, Karla Souder

COMMISSIONS: •Care: Rob Pence •Faith Formation: Jim Clymer
•Outreach: Diane Emswiler •Stewardship: Ron Piper •Worship: Susan Stoltzfus

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT: Barb Morris CUSTODIAN: Frieda Barber

The church office is open: Tues, Thurs, Fri (9 am-12 pm) & by appointment.

Pastoral Care Needs - Celah and Rob Pence will be unavailable from July 22-August 5. If you have any care needs please contact Eric Codding through July 26th or Dave King July 27th- August 5th.

ZMC – PRAYER OPPORTUNITIES

Week of July 23, 2017

“Rejoice always, pray continually...” ~1 Thessalonians 5:16,17

PRAYERS FOR THE CHURCH

- The Metzler family as they begin the final two weeks of their time in Costa Rica.
- For Dewey & Phoebe Brenneman as they transition to a new home at Crestwood.
- For Alfonso Alvarado, pastor of our partner church in Lacey Spring who discovered a tumor. Surgery to remove and biopsy this tumor is rescheduled for July 31.
- Pray for healing for Alison Crosby as she recovers from surgery for melanoma.
- Pray for the family of Irene Thompson who passed away. Remember Irene's brother, Everette Hottinger, and his family in prayer during this time.
- Thank God for His active presence in our lives. Thank God for His protection over those who have been traveling near and far.
- For those who are participating or serving in our Christian summer camp ministries.
- The people in our congregation who are grieving the loss of a loved one.
- Pray for the building up of marriage relationships, thanking God in their flourishing and asking for God's patience and steadfastness in times of struggle.
- Thank God for Marcus and Lynae Maust's pregnancy. Pray for the baby's healthy development and for parents anticipating a new stage of life.

God's Mission and the wider church – Pray for the ongoing discernment and vision process following the MC USA convention and Virginia Mennonite Conference Assembly. Pray for Zion Mennonite Church to be a blessing to the Daphna neighborhood.

Birthdays this week: Cindy Byler, Travis Nyce, Neal Weaver.

Next Sunday: Preacher: Mark Thiessen Nation; Worship leader: Pastor Sarah; Music leader: Welby Showalter.

PRAYERS FOR OUR COMMUNITY AND COUNTRY • Pray for the peace of Christ to reign in peoples' hearts and minds during a tumultuous time of national politics. Pray that the Spirit would guide Eugene Souder and Wayne Showalter as they invite neighbors in the area to come worship God at Zion or Grace Mennonite Fellowship.

PRAYERS FOR THE WORLD—Bosnia and Herzegovina—Chairman of the Presidency: Dragan Covic. Members of the Presidency: Mladen Ivanić and Mladen Ivanić. Population: 3,871,643. Capital city: Sarajevo. Bosnia gained its independence from Yugoslavia in 1991, and was an ethnic tangle of Muslims (44%), Serbs (31%), and Croats (17%), and this mix contributed to the duration and savagery of its fight for independence. In 1992, Serbians with the help of the Serbian Yugoslav army began a ruthless campaign of ethnic cleansing in Sarajevo, involving the expulsion and massacre of Muslims.

