

# Zion Mennonite Church

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Sunday school: 9:30 am • Worship service: 10:43 am



## EMHS Touring Choir “The Love of God”

5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter

May 19, 2019

## WELCOME TO ZION MENNONITE CHURCH

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### GATHERING

Prelude

Gathering Song

Welcome & Call To Worship

Scripture Reading: Psalm 19

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### CONFESSION

Congregational Song

### PROCLAMATION

Testimony

Scripture Reading: Hebrews 1:1-4

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### RESPONDING

Congregational Life Sharing and Prayer

Announcements

Offerings

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EMHS Touring Choir

### SENDING

Prayer for lunch

Benediction/Sending Song – EMHS Touring Choir

Everyone is invited to the fellowship hall for lunch!

Please allow choir members and their families to go first in the line.

## MINISTRY LEADERS TODAY

Greeters: Elwood & Joy Yoder      Usher: Daryl Bert  
Worship Leader: Pastor Mike      Worship Arts: Risha Metzler  
Foyer: Mark & Tammy Gray      Music Leader: Deb King  
Nursery: Amy R. & Catherine M.      Sound Operator: David Rohrer  
Testimony: Jack Zhao      Musician: Laurie Weaver

## STATISTICS FOR MAY 12, 2019

Attendance: 126      Offering: \$3,990.26  
Offering YTD: \$104,249  
Building Fund: \$200      Goal YTD: \$109,981

**Much gratitude for your generous giving to ZMC!**

## UPCOMING MINISTRY ASSIGNMENTS:

	<u>May 26, 2018</u>	<u>June 2, 2019</u>
<u>Greeters:</u>	Daryl & Marci Myers	Elwood & Joy Yoder
<u>Worship Leader:</u>	David Gingerich	Pastor Sarah & Monica C.
<u>Preacher:</u>	Faith Stories-New Members	Music Sunday
<u>Music Leader:</u>	Hannah Wenger	Sara Halteman
<u>Sound Operator:</u>	Jackson Maust	Craig Zook
<u>Nursery:</u>	Lynae M., Kate & Sadie	Radell & Sarah Schrock
<u>Foyer Monitors:</u>	Doug & Kathy Alderfer	Karla Souder
<u>Usher:</u>	Daryl Bert	Jeremy Beach
<u>Worship Arts:</u>	Risha Metzler	Risha Metzler

## CONGREGATIONAL INFORMATION

LEAD PASTOR: Mike Metzler • 540-246-6435 • PastorMike133@gmail.com  
ASSOCIATE PASTOR-CHILDREN & FAMILIES: Sarah Piper • 540-560-1686  
ELDERS: Dave King (Chair), Clay Showalter, Monica Compagnari  
CLT: Daryl Myers (Chair), Hannah Leaman (Vice Chair), Dave King (Elder),  
Bob Buckwalter, Steve Halteman, Karla Souder, Hannah Wenger, Elwood Yoder  
COMMISSIONS: •Care: Monica Rhodes    •Faith Formation: Amy Rush  
•Outreach: Diane Emswiler    •Stewardship: Brian Rhodes  
•Worship: Becky Brenneman  
ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT: Barb Morris    CUSTODIAN: Frieda Barber  
The church office is open: Tues, Thurs, Fri (9 am-12 pm) & by appointment.

- Please make sure all drinks in the sanctuary are in a closed container.
- Please see an usher if you need a hearing assistance device.

## ZMC – PRAYER OPPORTUNITIES

Week of May 19, 2019

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

## PRAYERS FOR THE CHURCH

- \*Praise God for the resurrection of Jesus and the start of new creation that this historic event offers the world.
- \*Praise God for the diligent work and perseverance of the people who recently graduated. Pray that God gives them wisdom to know how to use their studies in the unfolding mission of God.
- \*Praise God for the thorough work of Zion’s Safe Church Team (Pastor Sarah, Paul Leaman, Jesse Compagnari, Karla Souder, and Gen Moyer-Groff). Pray that God would use their work to bless the children, youth and adults of ZMC.
- \*John Stauffer, as he prepares for surgery to remove his gallbladder on May 24. Pray for God to bring healing to him through this operation.
- \*Ruth Alger, as she receives chemotherapy to treat a malignant tumor in her abdomen.
- \*Pray for Micah, Rebekah and Alex as they prepare for baptism. Pray that they would know that God is with them.
- \*Pray for teachers, that God gives them patient endurance to finish the year strong.
- \*Pray for people who are grieving the recent death of loved ones. May God bring us comfort and hope during this difficult time.
- \*Pray for us to know God’s comfort and provision during this time of leadership changes.
- \*Ervin & Bonnie Stutzman, as they prepare to serve as Interim Pastors for ZMC beginning in August.

**God’s Mission and the wider church** – Pray for the EMHS Touring Choir as they travel and share God’s mission through song. Pray for Jared Stutzman as he gives leadership to the choir. Pray that God would transform lives through this ministry.

**Birthdays this week:** Heidi King, Joanne Showalter, Karla Souder, Tobias Metzler

**Next Sunday:** Preacher: Faith Stories-New Members,  
Worship leader: David Gingerich, Music leader: Hannah Wenger

**PRAYERS FOR OUR COMMUNITY AND COUNTRY** – Praise God for the baptisms and transformation that happening in our area jails. Pray for faith communities to find ways to help people continue walking with Jesus as they transition into society.

**PRAYERS FOR THE WORLD** – Pray for 1.3 million people of Mauritius, a stable and prosperous archipelago in the Indian Ocean. Pray for the Church there to faithfully witness to Christ through their words and actions.



## ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS

Both Katie Maust and Grant Stoltzfus received 100% affirmation from congregation members to serve on the Congregational Leadership Team beginning in September 2019! Praise God for their willingness to serve the congregation in this way.

Eastern Mennonite School welcomes applications for a new Leadership Scholarship for students grades 9-12. Recipients will receive up to 50% off of the regular high school tuition rate. Applicants must be new students who have a GPA of 3.5 or higher, and who wish to develop their leadership skills through contributions to the school. An interview and essay are required. Contact Marsha Thomas at 540-236-6021 or go to [emhs.net/admissions/leadership-scholarship.cfm](http://emhs.net/admissions/leadership-scholarship.cfm)

Needing 1 more volunteer to provide a ride back to Louck House in Broadway for David and Linda Swartzendruber following our Sunday worship service. Rides would be for every 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month. Looking for at least a one year commitment. If you can serve in this way, contact Mary Leaman as soon as possible at 540-246-2693!

Now is a great time to register a camper who has never attended Highland Summer Camps before, especially if you know someone (not a sibling) who is a returning camper this year. Make sure you are both registered by June 1<sup>st</sup>, and mention the person who referred you when you register [www.highlandretreat.org/summer-camp](http://www.highlandretreat.org/summer-camp) or call 540-705-0512. Both the new camper and the returning camper will receive a \$25 certificate to use in the Highland camp store!

Contact Amy Rush with questions.

May 25: Memorial Service for Betty Byler in Strite Auditorium at Virginia Mennonite Retirement Community, 1:30pm.

Everyone welcome.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS - (continued)

May 26: MYF Event 6-7:30pm @ ZMC

June 1: JYF Westover Park Picnic @ 4pm

June 2: Music Sunday! Please submit your song suggestions online: <https://forms.gle/1Cm5dghuESC3661G9> (link also on ZMC website) or email Sara Halteman at: [sshalteman@gmail.com](mailto:sshalteman@gmail.com).

June 9: Zion Mennonite Women are hosting a bridal shower for Rachel Nafziger in the fellowship hall at 1:30 pm, or at the conclusion of the church picnic that is scheduled that day. Gifts of money for their honeymoon are welcomed as well as gifts from their online registry. (Link is listed on [zmcva.org](http://zmcva.org)) Come support Rachel and say hi to Ken and Judy!

June 9: 'Music Under the Oaks' with The Walking Roots Band. Free concert at 4 pm, at Trissels Mennonite Church, 11246 Hisers Lane, Broadway. Refreshments. Bring blanket or lawn chair. (Inside in case of rain.)

June 10-13: The Zion/Trissels Vacation Bible School will be held at Trissels, Monday through Thursday from 9-11:30am. To volunteer, contact Hannah ([hannahwenger@gmail.com](mailto:hannahwenger@gmail.com)) or Pastor Mike.

July 18-20: Virginia Mennonite Conference Assembly, in Harrisonburg. The theme is "Cultivating Good Soil." Worship services will be at Lindale Mennonite Church; delegate sessions will be at Eastern Mennonite School. There will be a Mennonite Disaster Service house-building project onsite (including dedication). VM Missions will have their Centennial Celebration.

July 19-21: ZMC Annual Highland Retreat