

July 17, 2022

FACES OF OUR FAITH Adam & Eve

CONNECTING

Visual Meditation

Take time as we enter into worship to gaze at the artwork by Sarah Are on the bulletin cover: "At Last". Observe the visual qualities of what you see: color, line, texture, movement, shape, form. Now take a deeper look. What parts of the image are your eyes most drawn to? What have you overlooked? Which word(s) stand out most to you?

Prelude Welcome & Announcements

CALL TO WORSHIP (based on Psalm 100)

Shout with joy to the Lord! Worship the Lord with gladness. Come before him, singing with joy! Know that the Lord is God!

HE MADE US, AND WE ARE HIS. WE ARE HIS PEOPLE, THE SHEEP OF HIS PASTURE.

Enter his gates with thanksgiving; go into his courts with praise. Give thanks to him and bless his name.

FOR THE LORD IS GOOD. HIS UNFAILING LOVE CONTINUES FOREVER, AND HIS FAITHFULNESS CONTINUES TO EACH GENERATION.

HYMN All people that on earth do dwell HWB 42

Lighting the Peace Lamp – *Readings from FMC Senior Youth Peace Essays through the years*

Special Music – *Come, thou fount of every blessing* A "Faces of our Faith" story from FMC History

HEARING THE WORD

Children's Time Scripture Reading *Genesis 2:4b-25* Sermon

PRAYING & RESPONDING

Music for Meditation Prayers of the People (with Lord's Prayer) Reception of Bryan and Anita Kehr into membership Blessing for Senior Youth Backpacking Trip

SENDING

 HYMN
 You're not alone (Voices Together 779 - insert)

 Benediction
 Postlude ... remain seated to receive the postlude as a musical blessing.

"FACES OF OUR FAITH: Bold & Untold Stories" Worship resources, including artwork, from A Sanctified Art.

Sound: Earl Ediger & Allen Yoder Livestream: Jonathan Wenger Nursery Attendant: Fred & Mary Wade Ushers: Glenda & Rick Hooper Organist: Pauline Buller Guitar: Bryan Kehr Worship Leader, Scripture Reader & FMC Faces of our Faith Story: Delon Martens

WELCOME!! We are so glad you are here!



Please take a moment to add a name or two or three to the mobile in the foyer of people who have been or are the 'faces' of your faith, helping to shape or guide your faith journey. This could be a person you know personally or a Bible character, author, musician, or others who come to mind.

Coming up @ FMC

<u>Please hold the Senior Youth Group in your prayers</u> this week as they travel to Colorado for a backpacking trip led by Jonathan Wenger and Tanya Martin Nisly. The trip will include intentional opportunities for reflection on their relationship with God through the experience of dwelling within God's creation.

<u>FMC serves at the Soup Kitchen THIS SATURDAY July 23</u>. Sign up to help prepare food, serve the meal or make deliveries. Signup sheets are near the mailboxes. All slots are in need of volunteers!

<u>Colorado peaches are back – MCC Fundraiser!</u> Place your order for fresh Colorado peaches - just \$27 for 10 lb. box and \$38 for 18 lb. box by calling MCC at 316.283.2720 or emailing <u>patsydirksen@mcc.org</u>. Peaches must be ordered and paid for by <u>July 25</u>. The peaches are offered as a fundraiser for the Colorado MCC Relief Sale, please make payment by check to Beth-El Mennonite Church with "peaches" in the memo line. Generous volunteers Jerry & Leann Toews will bring the peaches from Colorado to MCC in North Newton for you to pick-up around August 22.



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