

VOICES *Together*

April 23, 2023

First Mennonite Church Hutchinson KS

OPENING TO GOD'S PRESENCE

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

CALL TO WORSHIP (VT 851)

Invocation (VT 862)

HYMN *Let's Walk Together* VT 6

Verse 1 - ensemble

Verses 2 & 3 - congregation joins

Passing the Peace & Fellowship Greeting

Lighting the Peace Lamp & Praying for God's Peace to Prevail
(VT 1006)

HYMN *Here To the House of God We Come* VT 27

LISTENING TO GOD'S STORY

Children's Time

HYMN *Like a Rock* VT 63

HYMN *Christ Has Broken Down the Wall*

Verse 1 - ensemble

Verses 2, 3, 4 - ALL in parts (repeat last phrase at the end)

Scripture Reading *Acts 10:1-35, 44-48*

Sermon *'Visions and Revisions'*

SHARING OUR STORIES

Music for Meditation:

HYMN *Faith Begins By Letting Go* VT 585

Verse 1 - ALL in unison

Verse 2 - all women sing soprano, all men sing tenor

Verse 3 - ALL in parts

Dedication of *Voices Together* hymnals (see prayer below)

Generosity Moment

HYMN *There's Enough For All* VT 757

Prayers of the People

HYMN *Abana alathi* VT 675

SENDING

Benediction (VT 906)

SENDING HYMN *I Will Follow* VT 775

Soloists on stanzas 1&2, ALL sing refrain & bridge

Fellowship with coffee, tea and juice follows the service in the Common Grounds room just off the foyer. Sunday School classes for all ages begins at 11:00am.

Your offerings are received, with gratitude, in the offering box on the table at the back of the sanctuary.

You can also now donate electronically on our website.

Sound: Murray Reimer
Livestream: Jay Gehring
Nursery Attendants: Julie Esau
Ushers: Dennis & Jennalee Boggs
Pianists: Peggy Stucky, Tonya Ramer Wenger
Organist: Pauline Buller
Vocal Ensemble: Annika Frascino, Tonya Ramer Wenger, Hilda Iwashige,
Pauline Buller, Cathia Krehbiel, Jonathan Wenger, Reuben Wenger,
Nick Krehbiel, Russ Gaeddert
Cello: Cathia Krehbiel
Percussion: Stephanie Gehring & Trae Gehring
Guitar: Bryan Kehr
Recorder: Heidi Unruh
Worship Leader: Calvin Buller
Scripture Readers: Sadie Pritchett, Heidi Unruh
Sermon, Music, and Children's Time: Cynthia Neufeld Smith

Welcome!

We are so glad you are here!!

COMING UP...

TODAY – *Voices Together*. A celebration of song and dedication of our new hymnals with Cynthia Neufeld Smith and musicians from our congregation.

April 30 – Guest preacher, Rev. Lee Lever. During the Sunday school hour, Rev. Lever will present his report of the pastor/congregation review. Plan to stay to hear the reflections of this congregation about how God's Spirit is moving among us; what we value as an Anabaptist congregation here in Hutchinson; and how Pastor Tonya's ministry is leading us into the mission and ministry we envision for our congregation.

Hutchinson Refugee Project is seeking volunteers to support families coming to our community. To find out more, talk with Joel Iwashige.

Kansas Mennonite Men's Chorus concert – "*We Sing That Others May Live.*" Come hear our faith story in song and share generously in the offering to support MCC work world-wide.

TODAY at 7:00pm – Bethel College, N. Newton KS

May 7 – Celebrating the ministry of Camp Mennoscah. Tammy Duvanel Unruh will provide the sermon and Children’s Time. Following Sunday school, a meal will be served to raise funds for FMC’s Sunday at Camp. Bring your contributions, enjoy the meal and plan to worship with us at Camp Mennoscah on June 18!

“Fire Keeper” – join with others at FMC to make a \$1,000 contribution to Camp Mennoscah! Camp is honoring a \$100,000 matching gift by inviting us to contribute to their M&M Project (Mission and Maintenance). Check your email or contact Bonnie Swenson for more information.



First Mennonite Church

Hutchinson KS

Arms Wide Open: To Serve & Be Served

Phone: 620-662-9385

Website: www.hutchfmc.org

Office email address: office@hutchfmc.org

Pastor Tonya Ramer Wenger: tonya@hutchfmc.org

Pastor Jim Unruh: jhunruh.ju@gmail.com