



June 15, 2025
Learning to See
First Mennonite Church

GATHERING & PRAISING

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship VT 1051

Leader: In our concerns and in our choices,

All: God is with us.

Leader: In our disappointments and in our joys,

All: God is with us.

Leader: In our protesting and in our serving,

All: God is with us.

Leader: Now and always,

All: God is with us.

HYMN *Seek Ye First* VT 417

Passing the Peace – Fellowship Greeting

Greet those around you with the peace of Christ!

HYMN *Here I Am Lord* VT 545

HEARING GOD'S STORY

Children's Time

Scripture Reading: 2 Kings 6:8-23

Sermon

Music for Meditation *Speak, O Lord.*

. . . Words and music by Keith Getty and Stuart Townsend.

Speak, O Lord, and renew our minds;
Help us grasp the heights of Your plans for us-
Truths unchanged from the dawn of time,
That will echo down through eternity.

SHARING OUR STORIES

Prayers of the People & Lord's Prayer

LIVING GOD'S STORY

HYMN *Be Thou My Vision* VT 549

Benediction

Postlude

If you need a hearing assist device, please ask at the sound booth in the back of the sanctuary.

The Nursery is typically staffed with a volunteer care provider during worship (and Sunday School as needed). Children are also welcome to remain in the sanctuary! Worship bags with drawing/coloring materials are provided at the back of the sanctuary.

Sound: Earl Ediger, Allen Yoder
Livestream: Jonathan Wenger
Ushers: Russ and Jean Gaeddert
Nursery: Russell and Julie Goering
Pianist: Peggy Stucky
Musician: Stephanie Gehring
Worship Leader: Carol Moore
Song Leader: Shane Miller
Scripture: Sue Combs
Children's Time: DeAnna Goering
Sermon: Hilda Iwashige

TODAY:

Offerings to support FMC mission and ministry are received in the offering box at the back, or on our website.

Fellowship time with drinks following worship in Common Grounds room

Sunday School for all ages beginning at 11:00am

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- **June 9-30** – Pastor Tonya sabbatical time away
- **June 15 & 29** – *Summer Sunday School (all ages!!)*
- **June 21-22** – FMC weekend at Camp Mennoscah
- **June 22** – *Worship @ Camp Mennoscah* (NOT 52 Rambler Rd!)
- **July 1-6** – Pastor Tonya back
- **July 7-12** – **MennoCon25** in Greensboro NC (delegates are Pastor Tonya and Magdalena Wenger)
- **July 13 & 27** - *Summer Sunday School (all ages!!)*
- **July 13** – **MarimBell** concert @ 2:00pm
- **August 10 & 24** - *Summer Sunday School (all ages!!)*

The **Reno County Unhoused Coalition** is organizing a “Beat the Heat” backpacks distribution on June 28th to support the unhoused members of our community. If you’re interested in this project, pick up a flyer in the foyer.

FMC Weekend at Camp Mennoscah – June 21-22, 2025

Sign up TODAY in the foyer for:

Saturday evening (June 21) will include a shared potluck dinner at 5:30pm and swimming in the pool at 7:00pm, along with fellowship, games, walking, playing in the river, etc. Those who would like to can stay overnight in the cabins (no electricity, bathhouses close by, bring your own bedding, etc.). Those staying overnight will coordinate breakfast together.

Worship on Sunday morning (June 22) at Camp at **10:00am**, followed by swimming and lunch. A main dish (taco salad) will be provided for lunch. Please bring fruit or dessert to share, or sign up with Hilda or Joretta to bring a topping for the taco salad.

Pastor Tonya’s Sabbatical Schedule (final 4 weeks):

June 9-30: includes some time at home, the final Transforming Community retreat June 15-17, and travel to visit friends and family.

July 28-Aug 3: attending a retreat for clergy women in Indianapolis + more travel to visit friends.

JULY 13 MarimBell CONCERT @ 2:00pm

We are excited to be hosting **MarimBell** on Sunday July 13 for a concert at 2:00pm. Plan to attend and invite your friends and family! **MarimBell is a dynamic duet ensemble co-founded by percussionist Marie Clyatt-Larson and handbell soloist Emily Li.** Rooted in their deep experience as performers and educators, MarimBell was created to explore the expressive possibilities of two rarely combined instruments: marimba and handbells. The result is a rich and engaging soundscape that blends percussive rhythm, lyrical resonance, and artistic nuance.



Arms Wide Open: To Serve & Be Served

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office hours may be irregular over the summer

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