



June 28, 2026
First Mennonite Church

The "WHEN" (We Gather)

Prelude *Thy Word* ...Amy Grant & Michael W. Smith, arr. Mark Hayes

Welcome & Announcements

Prayer: *Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying* VT 682
(repeated during the "Threshold" moment below)

Threshold

We arrive fully into this moment, Holy One.

We open to sense your presence among us.

We hear you say,

"I am present with you."

We need you, Jesus, to help us.

We come to you as your first disciples did.

We hear you say,

"I am present with you."

Spirit of Divine Love,

come to us with your healing waters.

We hear you say,

"I am present with you."

Like a Rock VT 63

Sharing the Peace & Fellowship Greeting ... *stand or remain seated to greet those around you with the peace of Christ.*

Children of the Heavenly Father VT 517

The "WHAT" (We Proclaim)

Let the Children Come

Scripture Reading *Romans 8:15-17; Mark 14:35-36*

Sermon

Music for Meditation

The “WHERE” (We Respond)

Prayers of the People

Prayer of Presence

Beginning bead: “*Be still and know that I am God*”

Bead 1: Creator (we are also creative) *Gen 1:1*

Bead 2: Logos (“the Word” scripted on our hearts) *John 1:1*

Bead 3: Mother (“as a hen gathers her chicks”) *Matt 23:37*

Bead 4: Alpha & Omega (always with us) *Rev 1:8*

Bead 5: Great Light (shining into our darkest places) *Isa 9:2*

Bead 6: Refuge (shelter in times of trouble) *Ps 9:9*

Bead 7: Gracious & Merciful (always loving us) *Jonah 4:2*

End Bead: Abba (intimate and fully known)

Lord’s Prayer (*VT 989B with ‘sins’*)

The “WHY” (We Go Forth)

Abide With Me VT 502

Benediction

Postlude *Humble Thyself in the Sight of the Lord* ...Bob Hudson, arr. Mark Hayes

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

“All My Days” worship series is created by Marcia McFee at Worship Design Studio; used with permission.

Reno County Food Bank donations for July: Hamburger or Tuna Helper

Read THIS WEEK @ FMC posted at hutchfmc.org for more information.

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

Sound: TBD

Livestream: Jay Gehring

Ushers: Russ & Jean Gaeddert

Nursery: Joel & Hilda Iwashige

Worship Leader: Joel Iwashige

Scripture Reader: Hilda & Lucia

Pianist: Peggy Stucky

Children’s Time: Diane Ziemer

Song Leader: Tonya Ramer Wenger

Sermon & Prayers of the People: Tonya Ramer Wenger

TODAY:

Text prayer requests to Pastor Tonya at 620.513.2828

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

Fellowship time with drinks after worship in Common Grounds Room

Join us for Sunday School on July 12 and 26, August 9 and 23

LOOKING AHEAD

- **June 28-July 1** – Pastor Tonya on vacation
- **July 13** – Craft Night 6:30-8:00pm in Fellowship Hall
- **July 13-17** – Pastor Tonya gone on retreat for clergy women in Indianapolis
- **July 15** – Book Study Group (session 2) – snacks @ 12pm, conversation @ 1pm
- **July 19** – 3rd Sunday potluck; bring a dish to share and your own table service
- **August 7-9** – Western District Annual Assembly in Dallas

MCC opportunities (details in FMC's website post THIS WEEK)

- Grandparent Day to pack school kits – July 13 & 14, 9:30-11:30
- Colorado Peaches fundraiser – orders with payment in by July 15

Anabaptist Mennonite Biblical Seminary study opportunities

- **Journey: A Missional Leadership Development Program.** Distance-friendly course with discount fee for applications by July 17.
- **Spiritual Direction: Foundations.** In person or fully on-line 3-hour course; register by August 24.
- **Distance-friendly graduate-level courses.** Register by August 24 available for non-admitted students (details in THIS WEEK post on our website)

Kansas Constitutional Amendment on August 4 primary ballot

The amendment would change the way Kansas fills vacancies on the state Supreme Court. A "No" vote preserves the fair, transparent and trusted justice system in place now. A "Yes" vote, while selecting judges by a popular vote of registered voters, forces judges to campaign for their positions and opens the door for big donors/corporations to influence the selection process and the court's judicial decision-making. See our THIS WEEK post on our website for details. Seeking justice for all includes voting for justice.

Bethel College is hosting Crossmen Drum & Bugle Corps, a top-tier competitive drum corps, on campus through July 7. They will give a free performance July 4, 8 p.m., in Thresher Stadium – everyone is welcome!

Kids Meet Christ: Art, Improv, and Lego are Worship, Too! (a Western District Conference event). Saturday, September 12, hosted by FMC for families with children, those who lead worship and children's activities and anyone else interested. Workshop presenter is Talashia Keim Yoder.

Mennonite Women in Mission Women & Girls (8 yrs-high school) Retreat

is at Camp Mennoscah on September 12-13. Schedule and registration information is on the website at www.mennonitewomeninmission.org. Retreat starts at 10 a.m. Saturday with SoulCollage™ with Elizabeth Eells, comforter tying, and Faith & Life bookstore. The retreat theme is "My Time is in Your Hands" with session speakers Melissa Atchison & Audrey Ratzlaff. Girls leaders are Schyler Entz and Emily Brandt with an additional girls tie dye bandana session with Marla Sowatzky Towe. Come join us for fun, fellowship, and inspiration!

Mennonite Disaster Service website is full of information about current projects, volunteer opportunities and inspirational stories. Check it out here: <https://mds.org/> We are filled with gratitude for Cleo Koop and Jason Stutzman and their sharing with us on June 7.

Mennonite Mission Network Just Peace Pilgrimage: Solidarity with Indigenous Peoples Pilgrimage; September 22-26, 2026. Navajoland near Bluff, Utah; led by Sarah Augustine. See Mennonite Mission Network <https://www.mennonitemission.net/>



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