

Prayer Requests

Mennonite Church USA: Today, participants in Mennonite Mission Network's Radical Journey program begin their 10-day orientation in Chicago. Pray for openness and a spirit of service for each person preparing for a year in Argentina, Paraguay or South Africa.

Western District Conference: Pray for Chin Emmanuel Church, our newest member church, as they undertake acquiring their first church building in Houston, TX. Pray that this church would continue to make new disciples and reach out to their community.

This congregation: Please pray for our 2013-2014 mentor pairs: John Waltner & E. Josef Voth; George Leary & Austin Prouty; Monica Lichti & Sarah Turner; David Kreider & Angus Siemens; Carol Flickinger & Serena Wong; Jim Robb & Daniel Wagoner; Cliff Dick & Jamel Wagoner; Ada Schmidt-Tieszen & Elizabeth Tran; Bonnie Krehbiel & Laura Tran; Glen Ediger & Jonathan Voth; Valetta Seymour & Aneka Voth; Marlene Ewert & Katherine Lamp; Marles Preheim & Jason Wong; Lisa Thimm & Zoe Siemens; Miner Seymour & Will LeVan; Barb Soth & Christa Kondziola

If you would like to request prayer or a visit, contact the church office or one of the pastors. The Prayer Network and Visitation Team are ministries sponsored by the Deacon Commission.

Bethel College Mennonite Church welcomes into fellowship and membership all persons who confess faith in Jesus Christ, without regard to their race, ethnic background, gender, age, sexual orientation, education, ability, and other factors which give rise to discrimination and marginalization.

Church office hours: 9:00 a.m. – noon on Mon – Fri; 1:00 –5:00 p.m. on Mon – Thurs.

Building is locked daily at 5 p.m. unless evening activities are scheduled.

Notary public service is available in the church office.

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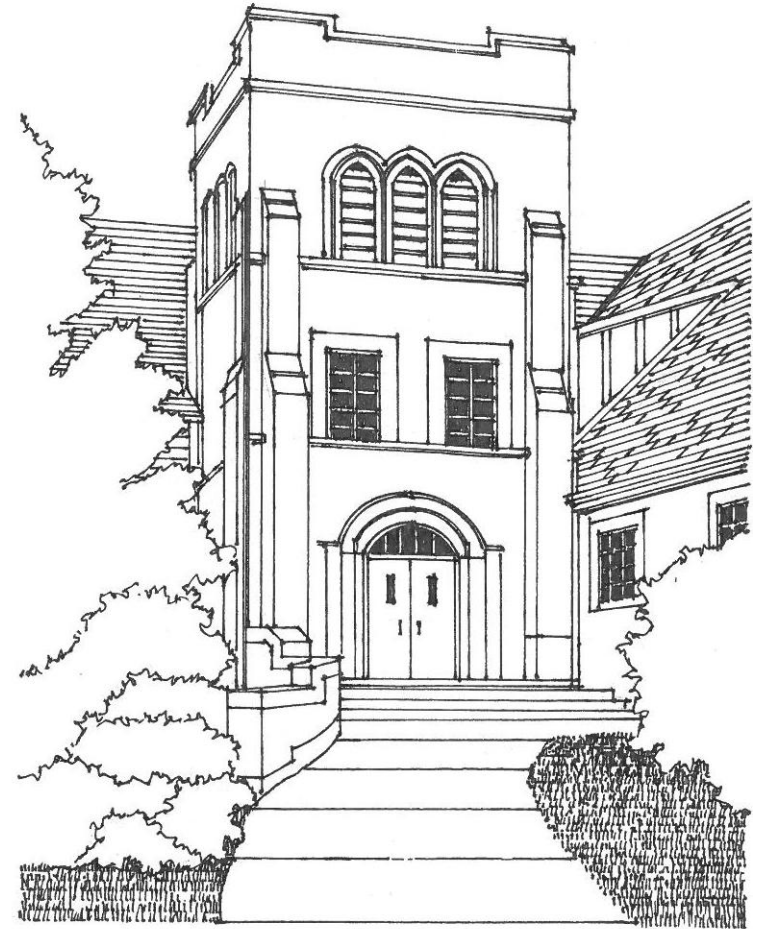
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The lights in the sanctuary windows witness to our hope and prayers for peace. We encourage others to place a light in a window as a reminder to pray for peace.

~ Witness Commission.



Bethel College Mennonite Church
August 25, 2013

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2600 College Avenue, Box 364, North Newton, KS 67117 316-283-3667

Pastors: Heidi Regier Kreider, Ruth R. Harder, Susan Wheeler

August 25, 2013 **Worship 9:30 a.m.**

TIME FOR WORSHIP

GATHERING

Prelude *Four Preludes* Chopin • *Praise to the Lord* arr. Bober
Thy Word Smith/LeDoux Verlene Garber, organist

Greeting and prayer Susan Wheeler

***Hymn** *Blessed Jesus, at your word* **HWB 13**
(children come forward during hymn)

LISTENING FOR GOD'S WORD

Time with children Ruth R. Harder

Introduction of Bethel College interns

Blessing of mentors and mentees

Old Testament reading Jeremiah 4:1-10

Worship music *To be His child* Book of JEBB

New Testament reading Hebrews 11:1-3, 8-16; 12:1-2

Worship music *Glory bound* Moody
When I've travelled my last mile Donahue
Book of JEBB

Sermon *Words and the Living Word* Heidi Regier Kreider

RESPONDING IN FAITH

***Hymn** *This is a story full of love* **HWB 315**

Prayer of God's people

Offering

To learn more about BCMC or share a prayer request,
please fill out a card from the pew rack and place in offering plate.

Offertory *Give Thanks* Smith/LeDoux

People with August birthdays are invited to come forward
during the offertory to receive a prayer blessing (bring hymnal)

***Dedication hymn** *Praise God, the Source of life* **HWB 95**

***Dedication prayer**

SENDING

***Hymn** *Creating God, your fingers trace* **HWB 325**

*Benediction

*Benediction response

***Postlude** *Ain-a That Good News* arr. Carter

*All who are able are invited to stand

Welcome to the musical group, Book of JEBB. Members are
Jesse Graber, Eric Schrag, Bethany Amstutz, and Ben Regier.

Songs by Book of JEBB

To be His child

Once I was lost, wandering in Sin
my heart was heavy & burdened within
Jesus one day he gave to me
now I'm His child for he set me free

To be His child is worth more than silver or gold
To be His child is worth more than this world can hold
And with Him keeping my soul no harm can befall
I am his child and that's worth it all

Glory bound - by Ruth Moody

When I hear that trumpet sound I will lay my burdens down
I will lay them deep into the ground, then I'll know that I am glory bound
I'll be travelling far from home, but I won't be looking for to roam
I'll be crossing o'er the great divide, in a better home soon I will reside
Hallelujah...

When I'm in my resting place I'll look on my mother's face
Never more will I have to know all the loneliness that plagues me so
So I'm waiting for that train to come & I know where she's coming from
Listen can you hear her on the track, when I board I won't be looking
back. Hallelujah...

When I've traveled my last mile - by Henry J. Donahue

Some day when I've traveled my last mile here,
The call will be coming for me;
I'll enter the lifeboat that will be near to carry me over the sea.

Chorus: He'll hold my hand, as over death's river I go;
Then safe I'll be in beautiful heaven I know.

My bark shall sail safely tho' waves dash high,
For Jesus will be at my side;
He'll still the rough waters when by & by I'm crossing the river so wide.

Chorus

I'm ready to go to that golden shore to live there while ages shall roll;
I want to see Jesus and saints of yore in heaven the home of the soul.
