Mennonite Mission Network Prayer Request: Pray for Anicka Fast and John Clark, who are serving as country co-directors for Mennonite Central Committee (MCC) in Burkina Faso. Anicka, in her half-time assignment with Mission Network, also teaches missiology and church history, in addition to mentoring Africans who are doing archival work for their churches' stories.

**Western District Conference Prayer Request:** Pray for health and strength for members of WDC congregations and their communities, as we continue to move forward from the pandemic.

To request prayer or a visit, or if a family member is hospitalized, please contact the church office or a pastor so that visits and prayer support can be offered. Names of people receiving medical care are printed in the BCMC bulletin only by permission of the patient or a guardian/family-member. This is part of the caring network at BCMC, which includes support among members of Sunday school classes and small groups, as well as the Prayer Network and Caring Fund 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.

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Church office is closed Friday afternoons

Building is locked weekdays at 5 pm unless evening activities are scheduled

Saturdays—building is locked; Sundays—building is locked at 2 pm

Notary public service is available in the church office

Pastor: Dawn Yoder Harms, Day off: Monday—Phone: 316-283-3667 cell phone: 316-212-1847; Email: dawn@bethelcollegemennonitechurch.org

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Custodian: Michael Crawford—day off Tuesday Music Coordinator: Barbara Thiesen

## Bethel College Mennonite Church June 27, 2021



Our faith in a God of love leads us, by the power of the Spirit, to follow Jesus in doing justice, loving mercy, and walking humbly with God.

# June 27, 2021 The Story of Jonah

Prelude Tuba Tune in D Major – (C.S. Lang)

Karen Schlabaugh

Lighting the Christ Candle Mike Claassen

Welcome Mike Claassen and Nathan Koontz

Prayer

\*Hymn of Praise Could it be that God is Singing VT 42

Children's Conversation Bill Swartley

Scripture Reading Psalm 103:1-14

Jonah 3

Sermon Who Knows? Dawn Yoder Harms

Hymns of Response Kyrie VT 147

There's a Wideness in God's Mercy VT 156

Dedication of Renovated Kitchen and Fellowship Hall

Prayers of God's people Mike Claassen

\*Sending Hymn The Lord Lift You Up VT 832

Benediction Dawn Yoder Harms

Postlude Nun lasst uns Gott, dem Herren (Johann Christoph Bach)

VT - Voices Together

VT = Voices Together

Audio visual—Ken Lamp Pastors—Renee Reimer, Nathan Koontz, Dawn Yoder Harms

#### **Dedication of the Renovated Kitchen and Fellowship Hall**

This morning we dedicate BCMC's newly renovated Kitchen, Fellowship Hall, and accessible family restroom. Many thanks to Annette Lamp, project coordinator, and Monica Lichti, staff liaison, who poured many hours and much energy into seeing this project to completion! Following worship today, you are welcome to tour the renovated space and enjoy refreshments on the playground. Thank you to the Hospitality Commission for the refreshments.

#### **Church Office and Building Closed and Staff Absences**

- The church office and building will be closed on July 5 in order for the staff to have a holiday (since July 4 is on a Sunday.)
- Monica Lichti will not be in the office July 2 or 6.
- Pastor Nathan Koontz will be gone from July 5 to 10.
- Pastor Renee Reimer will be attending the MC USA Convention from July 6-10.

#### 2021 Kansas MCC Sale is July 2 and 3!

Stay connected and don't miss a thing at this year's MCC Relief Sale! Get live updates and other up-to-the-minute information via Facebook, Instagram & Twitter. Go to @kansas.mccsale on Facebook and @ksmccsale on both Instagram and Twitter to like and follow.

Mennonite Relief Sale BCMC contact people are Dale and Margo Schrag, 316-283-6031 and Dennis and Kathy Campbell, 316-416-5156.

Any graduates out there?! This year BCMC celebrated 5 high school graduates, but we know there are others in our community who have graduated this year too. We'd love to hear from you! Whether you graduated from high school, college, or graduate level please let us know your accomplishment. Email Renee Reimer with name, accomplishment, and school/program name at renee@bethelcollegemennonitechurch.org

### **Summer Sunday School for Children**

Outdoor Summer Sunday School for Children and Youth will take place July 4, 11, 18, and 25 on the BCMC playground. All ages are welcome as we will be playing outdoor team building games together.

#### Vacation Bible School

Bethel College Mennonite Church, Casa Betania, Faith Mennonite Church, First Mennonite Church, New Creation Fellowship, and Shalom Mennonite Church are hosting Vacation Bible School - Bring the Peace - this week (June 28th to July 2nd). Please pray for all the volunteers and participants participating virtually Monday to Thursday and during their in person field day on Friday, July 2nd.