

Sunday, September 25, 2016

Join Us – We share God's love by: Following Jesus, Reconciling Community and Building Peace

"But those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength. They will run and not get weary; they will walk and not grow faint."

9:15am *Gathering for Worship*

9:30am Worship Begins

11:10am Discovery Hour

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Silver Key - Golden Circle Nutrition Program
Senior Lunch in the Sanctuary
12:00-12:30pm Monday-Friday
Reservations (719) 884-2304 Before 5:00am

Mountain Community Senior Services (719) 488-0076

Service planned by MCMC Worship Commission.

Sermon downloads available online at http://mcmcpl.org

Order of Service

Speaker Paul Johnson

Worship Leader Mary Gardner

Song Leader Judy Thiessen

We Gather

Welcome

Announcements

Time of Quieting

Call to Worship

(based on Psalm 91:1-6, 14-16 and 1 Timothy 6:6-19)

All: Jubilee that is really life!

Leader: Comes from the One we trust.

All: Jubilee that is really life!

Leader: Comes from the Presence we call to.

All: Jubilee that is really life!

Leader: Comes from the Foundation of goodness and

sharing.

All: Jubilee that is really life!

Leader: Comes to us now in this moment.

All: Let us take hold of Jubilee that is really Life!

We Grow in Worship

Opening Prayer

Opening Hymns

HWB #110 Oh, for a thousand tongues to sing SJ #15 Santo (Holy)

Joys and Concerns

Congregational Hymns

HWB #369 Lord, whose love in humble service
HWB #384 We give thee but thine own

Offering and Prayer

Prayer of Confession

ALL

Creator of us all,

We sometimes forget:

We forget that we are not alone,

We forget that You made us,

We forget that we have had help along the way,

We forget to ask for what we need.

Embodied God,

Remind us that we are surrounded.

We are surrounded by the people You have created,

And by the many gifts You have given them to share.

Remind us of our own gifts,

And the ways we may use them in community.

Suffering Savior,

We confess that in our own struggle to survive,

We have ignored other communities.

We forget that they, too, have the right to survive.

Make us mindful. Make us compassionate.

Help us to see You in one another.

In Your name we pray, Amen.

Words of Assurance

Leader: Beloved in Christ, know that you are God's own and that through divine love you are freed to begin anew the work of living together in compassionate community.

Scriptures Luke 4:16-24

Sermon "Gods Jubilee: Please RSVP"

We Go Out to Serve

Sending Song SJ #78 We will walk with God

Sending Prayer

Sermon Notes



Upside Down Kingdom, Pages 84-93, Chapter 5

What five things does Jesus proclaim as He starts His ministry on earth?

What is this Jubilee party all about?

What is your Jubilee response? Murder or Joy?

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September Birthday

27 Heidi Juell



Ongoing Events

- The Pastor will be in the office Tuesday and Wednesday next week. Please call to make an appointment.
- Women's Bible Study 9:30-11:30am each Friday.
 Contact Rae Shellenberger at 719.213.6931.
- Men's Coffee each Saturday at 8am at Serrano's.
- Each Saturday "More than a Meal Ministries" 8:00am at Legacy Wesleyan Church, 502 N. Walnut St., Colorado Springs, CO 80905.



Upcoming Special Events

Congregational update and Meal-to-Share following today's service. Please join us!

The Mennonite magazine welcomes your original submissions of feature articles, poems, original artwork and photos for our November 2016 print magazine issue and corresponding online content focusing on "Fidelity of Place." Details at https://themennonite.org/november-call-submissions-fidelity-place/. Submissions due by Oct. 3 to Editor@TheMennonite.org.



Announcements

Colorado MDS is holding their annual meeting at the MCC Relief Sale, Sat. Oct 15 at 2 PM. Everyone invited!

New MCC Staff! We are excited to announce that Sarah Fleming and Kate Mast have joined our staff! Sarah is the new MCC Central States Thrift Shop Coordinator. Sarah

will work from her home in Iola, Kan. Kate Mast is the new MCC Central States Workroom Supervisor.

MCC Material Resource Need Update: MCC school kits and other supplies keep rolling into the Workroom in N. Newton, and we are thrilled! Current needs: rulers (flat, flexible plastic; indicating both 30 cm and 12 in), hand towels (dark color), dressmaker's scissors, bar soap (packaged, not boxed) and infant sleepers. Your donation of items in person, via Amazon Smile or check (designated MCC Kits) is appreciated. Questions? Call 316.283.2720.

Opportunities to Help



Sunday morning greeters needed! Please contact Faye Brenneman at 482.2527 to tell her when you can assist once each month. Thanks for helping all feel welcome!

If you like a fresh cup of coffee when you arrive at church each Sunday, please contact Faye (above number) to let her know which Sundays you can help make coffee.

Have you made your craft item for the MCC Craft Booth or Christmas Booth? Time is "closing in" -- items will soon be needed. Remember to bring donations to the sale on Friday, Oct. 14th or Saturday morning, Oct. 15th.

A few spots still open for pie booth at the MCC relief sale Oct. 14-15! If you could serve, sign up on kitchen door.

Needed: 3 volunteers to help set up 5 tables for Golden Circle Senior Nutrition meal after Discovery Hour weekly.