

Sunday, March 17, 2019

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

Second Week of Lent

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 Mon-Fri Reservations (719) 884-2304 Before 5:00am

Mountain Community Senior Services (719) 488-0076

Your worship service today was planned by the MCMC Worship Commission.

Sermon downloads available at http://mcmcpl.org

Speaker Paul Johnson Worship Leader Dar Barrie Judy Thiessen Song Leader We Gather Welcome Announcements **Time of Quieting** Call to Worship (based on Psalms 63 & 27) Leader: O God, You are our God. We seek You. People: Our souls thirst for You as in a dry and weary

Order of Service

Leader: The Lord is our light and our salvation—we shall not be afraid.

People: We will wait for the Lord, and take courage, for we will see God's goodness.

land where there is no water.

All: O God, You satisfy our souls as with a rich feast. In the shadow of Your wings, we sing for joy, and You uphold us.

We Grow in Worship

Opening Prayer

Opening Hymns

HWB #4 Unto thy temple, Lord, we come SS #1 Praise the One who breaks the darkness Scripture Psalm 27:1-5 **Prayers of the People and Sharing the Grace Congregational Hymns**

HWB #598 A wonderful Savior is Jesus HWB #232 Christ upon the mountain peak

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Prayer of Confession

Leader (from Psalm 27:7-9): "Hear, O Lord, when I cry aloud, be gracious to me and answer me! 'Come,' my heart says, 'seek God's face!' Your face, Lord, do I seek. Do not hide Your face from me. Do not turn Your servant away in anger, You who have been my help. Do not cast me off, do not forsake me, O God of my salvation!" Who will seek the Lord todav?

People: We will seek the Lord today.

Leader: We are all invited to seek the Lord today. Let us bring ourselves to God in prayer.

Prayer of Assurance

- All: Sheltering God, we seek You, for You alone are our light and salvation. When darkness moves into our lives, we seek Your face.
- Leader: When fears overcome us and paralyze us, we seek Your face. When our souls hunger for Your shelter, we seek Your face.

All: In the morning and in the evening, we will seek the face of our God.

Leader: Our generous God provides for us.

Scripture	Luke 9:28-36
Sermon	"Who Is This Jesus"
Communion	

We Go Out to Serve

Sending Song

HWB # 538 Lead me, Lord

Sending Prayer



Sermon

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Ongoing Events

- Pastor Paul will have office hours Monday & Tuesday this week. Pastor Amy's office day will also be Tuesday. For appointments, call 720-880-8773 (Paul) or 719-985-7649 (Amy).
- Women's Bible Study 9:30-11:30am Fridays. Contact Rae Shellenberger at <u>719.213.6931</u>.
- Men's Coffee Saturdays at 7am at Serrano's.



Please Register for Faith & Life Forum! The event is less than three weeks away, and it is important to know how many folks are coming for planning purposes. Please RSVP at your earliest convenience using one of these options:

- https://mountainstatesmc.org/2019-faith-lifeforum/
- Email: administrator@mountainstatesmc.org
- Call 970-591-2384

Spread The News!!! Announcements

Our monthly meal-to-share is TODAY, following morning worship service. Please join us for food and fellowship!



Wondering what to expect at #MennoCon19? The Gathering Place will host a chat with convention planners on what's new and answer your questions on Tuesday, March 26, 12pm MDT. Register at thegatheringplace.us.



Mennonite Mission Network Prayer Request

Do you know someone aged 15-22 who might benefit from MMN's Youth Venture programs in Benin, Indonesia, Japan or Peru? Pray for participants who want to build the global church through relationships with God's people.



Opportunities to Help

Child Care for Conference: Would you consider being available to provide child care at conference activities? We would like to develop a "bench" of persons who are interested in helping that we can call on for conferencesponsored events, allowing young parents the opportunity to fully participate. We have two upcoming events: Forum at the end of March and Assembly in August. Please email Barry Bartel at BarryB@mountainstatesmc.org or Brenda Bartel at brendalynbartel@gmail.com. Thank you!

Thanks for supporting Tri-Lakes Cares! Important needs:

- Canned peaches, canned pears
- Cereal and Oatmeal
- o Broth
- White rice small bags
- Almond milk shelf stable