

First Mennonite Church

566 West Main Street, Berne, Indiana 46711
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*"For the Son of Man
came to seek
and save the lost."*

Luke 19:10

TODAY'S SERVICES

August 16, 2020

8:30 a.m. Sunday School - - - 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship

6:30 p.m. Evening Service

Morning worship is broadcast at 10 a.m.

WPGW, Portland, 1440 AM, 100.9 FM - Scanner frequency 161.76

Guest Wi-Fi password - fmcguest

Jeff Linthicum – Senior Pastor

Jim Schwartz – Care & Visitation Pastor

Bill Helmlinger – Youth Pastor

Brent Hyman – Music & Worship Ministries

WELCOME TO OUR WORSHIP SERVICE

ORGANIST --- Dr. Scott Lehman † WORSHIP LEADER --- Brent Hyman

Prelude *I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say/Ashdown*

Welcome Brent Hyman

*#324 [brown] *When I Survey the Wondrous Cross*

*#349 [brown] *O How He Loves You and Me (v.1)*

**Jesus Paid It All*

Special Music *We Are Not Alone/Choplin*
Hyman family

Offering and Intercessory Prayer Michael Mosser

Scripture: Luke 19:1-10 Chris Gilbert

#387 [blue] *Lord, Thou Dost Love*

Children Age 4 – 5th grade may walk to Children's Church.

Message *Giving/Pastor Jeff Linthicum*

*#383 [blue] *God, Whose Giving*

Announcements

*Benediction Pastor Jeff Linthicum

*Postlude *That's Why We Praise Him*

TODAY AT FIRST MENNONITE

On the scanner and TV today is the Helping Hands Class.

8:30 a.m. Sunday School – Marcia Cressman

6:30 p.m. Jamie & Marcia Cressman Testimony

ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

TUESDAY – August 18

6:30 p.m. Sunshine Hour (not on livestream; listen on scanner)

WEDNESDAY – August 19

7:00 p.m. *Heaven* (Part 2) – Pastor Jim Schwartz

SATURDAY – August 22

8:00 am-Noon das Märkt Market

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Services are still available to watch by livestream for those who are not yet ready to attend services in person. Sunday School (class televised from chapel), Sunday morning worship, Sunday evening and Wednesday evening services will all be livestreamed with live worship and teaching. Link to the live services by clicking on the red *Watch Services Online* button.

Quarter Towers are available on a table in the hallway for our My Coins Count project for the Michiana Relief Sale. They will be collected September 27.

First Mennonite is a drop-off point for masks for the community. All masks donated on the west side will be given to the police station for the public. We will continue to have a mask drop-off inside the east doors for donations for our congregation. While all sizes are needed, we are specifically needing child sizes. THANK YOU for continuing to sew! If you need materials to use, please see Chris Hyman.

Mennonite Disaster Service Opportunity: MDS is opening a new project to help people rebuild homes in Willow, Alaska. In 2019, the McKinley Fire burned 3,288 acres and destroyed 139 buildings in a small town of 2,100 people. The project will run from July 13 through September 14. Volunteers are required to serve two weeks. For more information, visit the MDS website under “current volunteer openings” or contact Jim Buckingham at (260) 525-1175.

Congratulations and best wishes of the congregation are extended to Byron & Milly Fox, who will celebrate their 52nd wedding anniversary on August 17; and to Steve & Nicki Lehman, who will celebrate their 52nd wedding anniversary on August 17.

UPDATE ON THE CHURCH’S FINANCES

As of the end of July, we have the following balances on hand:

Benevolence Treasury	\$ 86,753
Household Treasury	\$ 61,230

Actual spending compared to the approved plan for the Household Treasury is as follows:

	<u>YTD Actual</u>	<u>YTD Plan</u>
Disciple Commission	\$ 12,253	\$22,330
Witness Commission	235	1,692
Worship Commission	3,346	5,518
Care Commission	2,558	5,717
Personnel	279,012	272,116
General Administration	34,437	29,021
Church Property & Maintenance	<u>69,335</u>	<u>66,558</u>
Total Household Treasury	\$401,175	\$402,952