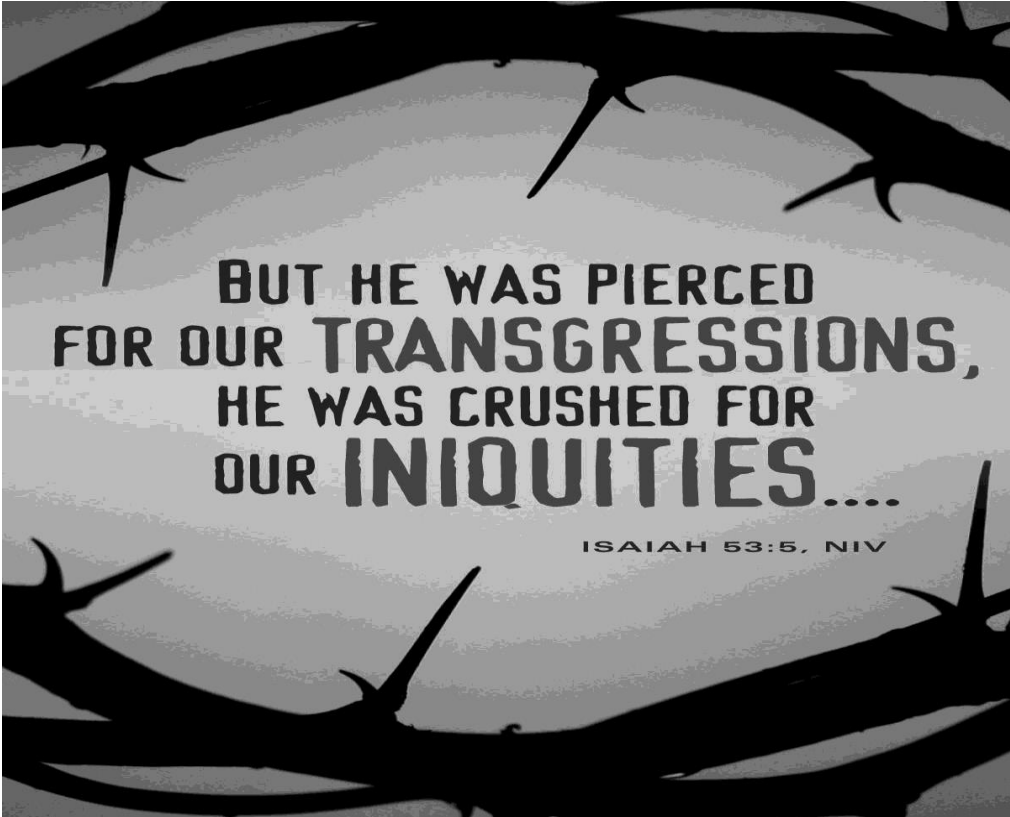


First Mennonite Church

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**BUT HE WAS PIERCED
FOR OUR TRANSGRESSIONS,
HE WAS CRUSHED FOR
OUR INIQUITIES....**

ISAIAH 53:5, NIV

TODAY'S SERVICES

March 24, 2019

9:00 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

ORGANIST --- Dr. Scott Lehman

Prelude *Three Lenten Hymns/Hobby*

Welcome Pastor Jeff Linthicum

*#327 [brown] *The Old Rugged Cross*

**Forgiven*

*Isaiah 53:3-5

Offering Prayer Darin Ringger

Offertory *Seek Ye First/Wagner*

Children age 4-Grade 4 may walk to children's church.

Guests, please fill out the cards in the pew and drop in the offering plate.

Scripture: Galatians 3:10-13 Marge Wulliman

Message *Satisfaction for Sin/Pastor Jeff Linthicum*

**In Christ Alone*

Mission Moment

Prayer & Share Pastor Jim Schwartz

**The Power of the Cross*

*Benediction Pastor Jeff Linthicum

*Postlude *Turn Us Back to You, O Lord/Harmon*

If you would like someone to pray with you following the service, please go to the chapel, as someone is waiting to pray with you.

TODAY AT FIRST MENNONITE

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

The flowers this morning are in honor of Steve & Myrna Bauman's 60th wedding anniversary and have been provided by the Steven Bauman family.

6:30 p.m. Evening Service-chapel. Althea Shoaf, mission trip report

ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

TUESDAY – March 26

6:30 p.m. Sunshine Hour

6:30 p.m. Prayer in the Prayer room

WEDNESDAY - 27

No Evening Activities or Meal

ANNOUNCEMENTS

On Tuesdays for the month of April the Family Faithbuilders Class will be responsible for setting up tables for the Wednesday evening meals.

No meal or Wednesday evening activities due to Spring Break this week.

MISSING?? Are you missing any dishes that you may have brought to the church for funerals, Wednesday nights, carry-ins, etc.? Please check the room beside the kitchen for your dishes. Thank you!!

MISSING?? There are several Bibles on coat racks that do not have names in them. If you are missing one, check the coat rack to see if yours is there!!

Spring cleaning? Downsizing? Donations of clothing and household items are welcome and appreciated at Et Cetera Ecke, a mission arm of our church. These donations generate funds to provide material relief, development, and peace through the Mennonite Central Committee. Feel like shopping? Every purchase is a gift to the world.

SUMMER CAMP is only a few months away, and CAMP LUZ has opened their registration for 2019. Early bird pricing is available through April 15, so make plans now to reserve your child's spot. For more information about each program or to register online, visit: www.campluz.com or talk to Debby.

The church is in need of one or two more people to prepare and run the projection slides on Sunday mornings. We will have a training session for anyone who might be interested. If you might be interested in learning how to run the ProPresenter software, please contact Damara Neuenschwander or Brent Hyman (brent@firstmennonite.org). This doesn't require you to be in the Geek Squad or be a Mac Genius. With a basic understanding of simple computer commands, we can train you to operate the program.

God calls us to encourage each other. Here is a list of March & April birthdays for missionaries and church staff. A basket will be placed in the foyer in which you may place cards for them, and these will be sent for you.

31 Jan Claassen April 2 Doug Bryan 5 Deb Reusser
5 Jeff Linthicum 7 Trevor Maxwell 9 Kyle Claassen 15 Carole Fennig
21 Monia Maxwell 26 Jerry Flueckiger 29 Daniel Fennig

Congratulations and best wishes of the congregation are extended to Steve & Myrna Bauman, who will celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary on March 29.

Youth Spring Break Plans

Service Project on Tuesday, March 26th. We will be going to Forgotten Children in Bluffton. We will leave the church at 5:30 pm and return around 8:30 pm. Please sign up and grab a permission slip. Eat before you come.

Group Game Night on Wednesday, March 27th. We will start at 6 pm and finish at 8 pm. We will meet in the gym to start and play a bunch of group games and hang out.

Winter Jam is on Thursday, March 28th. Today is the last day to sign up and turn in your permission slip. We need to know how many we are taking. The plan is to leave at 2 pm on Thursday and return around 1 am. We are planning on staying for the whole concert. Cost is \$15 or \$10 plus 1 canned good. You pay at the concert and you bring the canned good with you there.