


First Mennonite Church

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YOU WILL CAST
ALL OUR SINS
INTO THE DEPTHS
OF THE SEA.



MICAH 7:19

TODAY'S SERVICES

September 16, 2018

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 - fmcgust

Jeff Linthicum - Senior Pastor

Jim Schwartz - Care & Visitation Pastor

Bill Helmlinger - Youth Pastor

Brent Hyman - Music & Worship Ministries

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

Prelude *Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise/Moyer*

Welcome Brent Hyman

*#1 [brown] *Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven*

*Psalm 103:1-5

**Glorious Day*

**Rescuer*

Offering Prayer Judy Moser

Offertory: *Grace Greater Than Our Sin* Hogan

Brass Ensemble

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: Micah 7:15-20 Lydia Fox

Message *Return of the King*/Pastor Jeff Linthicum

**O Come to the Altar*

Prayer and Share Pastor Jim Schwartz

Announcements

*#521 [brown] *A New Name in Glory*

*Benediction Pastor Jeff Linthicum

*Postlude: *Rescuer*

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.

6:30 p.m. Evening Service – chapel. Ben Sprunger: New Tax Laws and Giving

8:00 p.m. Youth Bell Choir (7th-12th grades)

ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

MONDAY – September 17

7:00 p.m. Ministries Council

TUESDAY – September 18

6:30 p.m. Sunshine Hour

6:30 p.m. Prayer with a Pastor – Prayer room

WEDNESDAY – September 19

5:00 p.m. Grace Notes Bell Choir

5:45 p.m. Fellowship Meal

6:10 p.m. Mennonotes – Choir room (grades 6-8)

6:10 p.m. JAM – Rm. 7 (grades 2-5)

6:45 p.m. *Design for Discipleship*, led by Malcolm & Jeanne Stauffer and John & Renelle Stauffer in Room 13

6:50 p.m. Grades 1-5 – in the Family Life Center

6:50 p.m. Youth – Youth room

7:00 p.m. Age 4-K – Room at the bottom of the ramp

7:00 p.m. Age 2 & 3 – Toddler Nursery

7:00 p.m. Chapel – Rod Ovitt – *Come Near to the Relational God*

7:00 p.m. *The 23rd Psalm for the 21st century: A Jewish Shepherd's Story* led by Darin Ringer in Room 15

7:00 p.m. Prayer Shawl Ministry

7:00 p.m. Women's Ministries – Project Committee Room. Quilting is also available.

7:00 p.m. Prayer Group – Prayer room

8:15 p.m. Chancel Choir

SATURDAY – September 22

9-Noon das Marit Market

All day Michiana Sale

ANNOUNCEMENTS

On Tuesdays for the month of September, the Koinonia Class will be responsible for setting up tables for the Wednesday evening meals.

The menu for Wed., September 19: Tacos, applesauce, dessert & beverages.

Tomatoes wanted: Have extra tomatoes? The Wednesday meal team could use them. Please bring them to the kitchen by Wed. at 2 p.m. on September 19 & 26.

Still Needed: Elementary Children's Church helper (once a month). See Chris or Debby if you can help!

All homemade crafts for the Michiana Mennonite sale need to be at the church by Wednesday, September 19.

LET'S FEAST, 2018 Women's Retreat. September 28-29. Sign up through September 26. Only \$20. Any questions? Ask Becca Amstutz. Sign-ups are in the foyer!

Let's get baking! The annual M.C.C. sale is Sept. 21-22. We would like to encourage the congregation to do more baking for the sale. Please note: A new ruling requires that no margarine or oleo may be used in any items; butter or oil may be used. Information sheets, containers, and labels are on the table in the foyer. All baked items need to be at the church by 9:30 a.m. Friday, September 21.

CUPCAKES & CANVAS – LADIES! Join us for a women's event, Cupcakes & Canvas, on Thursday evening, October 11, at 6:30 in Fellowship Hall. Cost is \$23 per person, to be paid at time of registration. Sign up in the foyer through October 3. All supplies will be provided. Questions? Call Lori Bailey, 260-849-2254.

Child Care Needed for nursery during movie night Sunday evening, Oct. 7. We will be showing "I Can Only Imagine." A child-appropriate video will be provided for younger children. See Chris or Debby if you can help.

END-TIMES PROPHECY FOR TODAY is the series planned for October Wednesday evenings in the chapel. Bill Archer will be our teacher. We hope you plan to join us for this series!

SHOE BOXES - The children's mission festival this year will have a shoe store theme....so we need shoe boxes! Please put them in the red box outside the children's ministry office.

God calls us to encourage each other. Here is a list of October 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.

15 Elias Bryan 15 Loren C. 17 Nate Linthicum
20 Jonathan Fennig 28 Marie Nussbaum