

Community Mennonite Church

June 27, 2010

Tell me a Story . . .

Gathering

PRELUDE

Matt Carlson and Jack Rutt

OPENING PRAYER

O God, author of eternal light,
Lead us in our worshipping this day:
that our lips may praise you,
our lives may bless you,
and our meditations glorify you,
through Christ our Lord. AMEN

CALL TO WORSHIP

Shirley Yoder Brubaker

HYMN

O splendor of God's glory bright
Blue 646

Hearing God's Word

SCRIPTURE

Luke 10 (selected verses)

Shirley Yoder Brubaker and Jason Gerlach

CHILDREN'S STORY

Jennifer Davis Sensenig

SONG

A mighty fortress
Blue 329

SCRIPTURE READING

Judges 4:1-10; Judges 5:1-5, 12-20, 31

**May the words of my mouth
and the meditations of my heart
Be acceptable in your sight, O God,
my Rock and my Redeemer.
God provides leaders**

SERMON

Jennifer Davis Sensenig

Responding in Faith

HYMN

Be thou my vision
Blue 545

OFFERING OUR FIRSTFRUITS

OFFERTORY

CONGREGATIONAL SHARING

Shirley Yoder Brubaker

VMC DELEGATE REPORT

Nicholas Detweiler-Stoddard

Sending

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Shirley Yoder Brubaker

HYMN

My dear Redeemer and my Lord
Blue 547

BENEDICTION

Iced Tea/Lemonade Fellowship

SUMMERTIME SPIRITUALITY

God is calling CMC to deepen our spirituality in 2010: to enrich our prayer practices, to follow Jesus in our relationships with persons who are gay or lesbian, to respond to the Holy Spirit's invitations.

Our recent worship series on Biblical Hospitality emerged from our sense that the Holy Spirit invites us to pay attention to our opportunities personally and as a congregation for giving and receiving hospitality as Jesus did. In this series we were reminded that hospitality takes time. When we open ourselves to others, we find common threads in our stories as well as differences. Hospitality opens up new opportunities for the work of the Holy Spirit among us.

In order to prepare for congregational dialogue on difficult issues, please plan to attend a forum led by Pastoral Elder Lonnie Yoder on **Sunday, June 27th from 11am-12noon**. (Childcare and supervision from nursery through Jr. high is provided.) There are also related **reflection questions** available in your mailbox or from the member pages of our website. Pastoral Team looks forward to hearing your responses. Consider talking about these questions in your home, with your mentor, or in your small group.

PASTORAL TEAM

Welcome to all visitors!

- Restrooms and Nursery Care (ages 3 and under) are off the main hallway (north side of building)
- The Church Newsletter is in one of the kiosk pockets
- "Quiet activity bags" for ages 3 to 5 are available in the back of the sanctuary
- Visitor Information can be in the kiosk in the fellowship hall.
- Please let us know you were here by filling out a blue slip in the Welcome to Worship brochure and placing it in the offering plate.

TODAY, June 27

Worship at 9:30 AM
Announcements: Jennifer Davis Sensenig
Nursery: Wilma Gingerich & Sharon Spangler
Sound: Jonathan Tieszen
Greeters: Sara Hartzler and Meribeth Kraybill
Head Usher: Harold Shenk

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OUR MISSION

We the people of Community Mennonite Church offer our gifts and lives to the call of Jesus Christ.

We strive actively to follow the God of peace through our worship, fellowship, and service to both the local community and the wider world.

CMC ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

Sun 9:30 AM Worship - Caring & Sharing offering
Speaker: Jennifer Davis Sensenig, Shirley Yoder Brubaker & Jeremy Nafziger
Worship Leader: Jennifer Davis Sensenig, Shirley Yoder Brubaker & Jeremy Nafziger
Nursery: Meribeth & Carly Kraybill
Sound: Ray Horst
Greeters: Nicholas Stoddard & Gloria Rutt
Head Usher: Shelby Hertzler
All—church picnic at Morrison Park at noon

IN OUR BUILDING THIS WEEK

Wed 7:00 PM Patchwork Pantry, kitchen, FH

WEEKLY LECTIONARY READINGS

June 27 II Kings 2:1-2, 6-14; Psalm 77:1-2, 11-20;
Galatians 5:1, 13-25; Luke 9:51-62

UPCOMING IMPORTANT DATES

July 11-16 MYF service trip to New York
Sept 10-12 All-church Retreat at Camp Overlook

PASTORAL TEAM

Jennifer Davis Sensenig, Lead Pastor
cmc_jennifer@ntelos.net *Mon-Thur 9-4, off Fri*
Jason Gerlach, Pastor of Youth Ministry
youthpastor@ntelos.net *Mon, Wed, Thur 9-noon*
Shirley Yoder Brubaker, Interim Pastor
cmc_shirley@ntelos.net *Tue, Wed 9-noon*

Tina Beachy, Pastoral Elder
Lonnie Yoder, Pastoral Elder

CHURCH COUNCIL

Andrea Wenger, Council Chair
David Detrow, Vice-Chair
Terry Burkhalter, Administrative Chair
Brian Martin Burkholder, Community Life Chair
Jennifer Murch, Youth Chair
Heidi Winters Vogel, Outreach Chair
Hedy Reese, Worship Chair

CHURCH OFFICE

Sandy McCafferty, Office Coordinator
office hrs: Mon-Fri, 9-4:30

Attendance last Sunday: 143

Offering: \$3,293.00

YTD Budget Comparison: -\$13,578