

# 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 27<sup>th</sup> 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

## Community Mennonite Church

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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](mailto:cmc_jennifer@ntelos.net) Mon-Thur 9-4, off Fri  
**Jason Gerlach**, Pastor of Youth Ministry  
[youthpastor@ntelos.net](mailto:youthpastor@ntelos.net) Mon, Wed, Thur 9-noon  
**Shirley Yoder Brubaker**, Interim Pastor  
[cmc\\_shirley@ntelos.net](mailto: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