



PAOLI MENNONITE FELLOWSHIP

June 21, 2015

*We welcome all persons
to worship, study and fellowship with us as we continually
seek to be faithful disciples of Jesus.*

Call to Worship

Leader: Listen! The story of God is unfolding...
Women: It is the story of Abraham and Sarah, of Moses and the Exodus.
Men: It is the story of the prophets, the judges and the kings.
Leader: It is the story of Jesus and his followers.
Women: A story of sadness and hope, joy and pain.
Men: Of courage and redemption, faith and doubt.
Leader: It is my story.
Women: It is my story.
Men: It is my story.
All: This is our story. This is God's story.
Leader: Listen! The story of God is unfolding...

For Prayer

Pray for the Elders, the congregation, Rebecca, and Matt during this leadership transition time.

Continue to Pray for who are grieving the recent loss of a loved one, particularity for Connie Gilliom following Bob's death; and Dave, Debby and Patsy Heinz and their family in the death of Mary Parks. May God's gracious Spirit walk with them in this time of sorrow and grant them strength and peace. Keep the second prayer request from last week

Pray for those who are preparing and plan to attend the Mennonite Church USA convention. Pray for out MYF and sponsors as they prepare to attend the convention in Kansas City, June 20-July 5

Pray for SOOP volunteers serving at Anabaptist Mennonite Biblical Seminary (AMBS) as they assist with maintenance, housekeeping, and in the office.

This I Believe. Telling the Story

"The place God calls you to is the place where your deep gladness and the world's deep hunger meet." Frederick Buechner

Gathering to Worship

Gathering Song: Morning has broken – H 648
Welcome and Introductions
Call to Worship (*See back of bulletin.*)

Singing Our Praise:

How great Thou art
Hallelujah! Your love is amazing
O sing to the Lord – SJ 12

Celebrating Shalom: Marlene Beachy

Opportunities for Generosity

Special giving focus for June is Mennonite Central Comm.'s relief work in Nepal
Penny Power: Coins for Foods Resource Bank

Songs: Siyahamba

Grant Us, Lord the Grace of giving – H 388

Hearing God's Story

Scripture: 1st Samuel 16: 14-23

Children's Time: David and the power of music

Sharing from Our Story

This I believe
Response

Going Out to Tell the Story

Sharing joys and concerns / intercessory prayer
Announcements
Sending song: Now go in peace – SJ 74
Benediction

PASTOR-ELDER TEAM

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Matt Pflederer, Pastor 653-4131
Mary Beth Gibbons 723-2723
Ted Larrison 723-3826
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MINISTERS

All the congregation

CHURCH OFFICE

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OUR COVENANT

In covenanting together, we affirm that Jesus Christ is Lord. We gratefully acknowledge him as our Lord and accept his teaching as the way to live. We recognize the importance of:

- Regular Bible study, worship with others, and prayer as a vital part of our Christian life.
- Taking each other seriously, contributing our gifts and caring for one another in love to strengthen the Christian body.
- Living and sharing the Good News as Christ has taught us and as the Holy Spirit enables.

TODAY June 21, 2015 (worship at 10:00 am) <i>This I Believe</i> Worship Leader: Matt Pflederer Music Leader: Joanna & Dave Woodsmall I Believe Dave Brown Kinloch Greeters: Lonnie & Sandi Sears Nursery: Donna Mosemann/Darren Bender Beauregard A.V.: Jamey Sullivan	NEXT SUNDAY June 28, 2015 (worship at 10:00) <i>This I Believe</i> Worship Leader: Jim Beachy Music Leader: Marlene Beachy I Believe: Matt Pflederer Greeters: Wally & Evie Shellenberger Nursery: Andrew Blount/Shanna Johnson AV: Jamey Sullivan
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TODAY

David had a passion for music. He used his musical gifts to calm a distraught King and to write songs that have helped people through the ages sing and speak their deepest feeling to God. We will be hearing from Dave Brown Kinloch as he shares his story.

NEXT SUNDAY

We will have a special service to celebrate Matt’s work among us and recognize his final Sunday at PMF. A pitch-in meal will follow.

THIS WEEK

Wed. **June 24, 6:30 pm** , **Large Group** meeting to discuss and make a decision regarding pastoral leadership. Please plan to attend.

UPCOMING

June 30 – July 5 – MYF attend the Mennonite Church USA youth convention, in Kansas City, MO. Rebecca will attend the adult portion as PMF’s delegate. More information can be found at:
<http://convention.mennoniteusa.org/>

July 19 – 10:00 am, Service of Ordination for Rebecca. Friends, family and guests from conference will join us. The hospitality committee is coordinating a meal to follow the service. There will be a sign in sheet for those who would be willing to help.

Summer Campout August 29 – 30, Tipsaw Lake. Mark your calendars now. Details will be out later in June.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Toss your loose change into our **“Penny Power”** collection this summer and help people around the world produce their own food through Foods Resource Bank. This year we’ll have a ‘boys versus girls challenge’.

Are you looking for a way to enhance your walk of discipleship? Consider subscribing to **Rejoice** devotional. This little booklet offers daily scripture readings and reflections that connect the text to life. Please notify the church office by Wed. June 24 to join PMF’s group subscription (cost is \$27.75 /y).

We will have a time at the end of next week's service to **show our appreciation and wish Matt well**. All are invited to share something as a group or individually such as a song, skit, joke, or words of wisdom.. Let Lonnie know if you have something to present to help with our planning.