



PAOLI MENNONITE FELLOWSHIP

July 15, 2018

*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: For the beauty of a summer day,
People: And the comfort of friends near and far;
Leader: For the invitation to love and be loved,
People: For our God who extends that call;
Leader: For time set apart to nourish the soul,
People: For time to go out into the world and serve;
Leader: For all these things we give thanks.
All: Let us worship God.

Prayers

Anabaptist Disabilities Network celebrated 15 years of helping congregations "catch the vision" of barrier-free worship, programs, leadership and community life for EVERYONE, regardless of their abilities. May God grant us compassion that embraces and nurtures the God-given gifts and capacities in each person.

Continue to remember Peter and Delicia and their work in Equador. An update about their work is posted on the bulletin board.

There continues to be much violence in many parts of our world. Pray for all the children and families who have been separated while trying to find safety in our country. The children and people of Yemen also continue to suffer devastating effects from the war in which the U.S.is supporting. Continue to pray for the people of Syria who are suffering greatly from the war in their country. May our hearts and the hearts of our leaders burn with justice and compassion for all people.

Practicing Faith in Puerto Rico

Gathering to Worship

Gathering Song: O sing to the Lord – SJ 12
Welcome and Introductions
Call to Worship (see back of bulletin)

Singing Our Faith

Jesus be the center - SS 31
Be a sower
Santo – SJ 15

Celebrating Shalom – Jon Shellenberger

Opportunities for generosity – Special “noisy offering” for July goes to Food Resource Bank.

Hearing God’s Word

Children’s Time: Jon, Jonathan, and Emmett Shellenberger
Scripture
Meditation

Response song: O how good is Christ the Lord – SS 90

Sharing joys & concerns/Intercessory prayer

Announcements

Sending Song: The Peace of the Earth – SJ 77

Before leaving please put all songbooks under your seat and be sure the tables are cleaned. Thank you!

PASTOR-ELDER TEAM

Darren Bender-Beauregard, Pastor of Youth Formation	723-5259
Doris Weaver	723-2841
Deb Giles	865-5480
Stori Sullivan	865-0445
Phil Mininger	278-4741
Crystal Shellenberger	723-2035

MINISTERS - All the congregation

SHORT TERM COORDINATORS: Evie & Wally Shellenberger H: 723-3925, Cell: 812-653-9703

CHURCH OFFICE

Short term coordinator: Evie Shellenberger; Office hours – Tues.& Thur. 8am-12pm
Pastor of Youth Formation: Darren Bender-Beauregard; Office hours – Wed. 2-5 pm
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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 July 15, 2018 (worship at 9:30 am)	NEXT SUNDAY July 22, 2018 (worship at 9:30 am)
<i>Practicing Faith</i>	<i>Practicing Faith</i>
Worship Leader: Jon & Crystal	Worship Leader: Evie Shellenberger
Music Leader: Joanna Woodsmall	Music Leader: Keith Gibbons
Meditation: Puerto Rico Group	Meditation: Ben Isaac-Krauss
Greeters: Dave & Joanna Woodsmall	Greeters: Darren & Espri Bender-Beauregard
Nursery: Sherry Schmidt/Dessica Albertson	Nursery: Darren Bender-Beauregard/Stori Sullivan
A.V.: Aaron Johnson	A.V.: Wally Shellenberger

TODAY

Jon, Crystal, Jonathan, Emmett Shellenberger and PMF volunteers will share their work and experiences with MDS in Puerto Rico.

NEXT SUNDAY

Ben Isaac-Krauss will lead a practicing faith meditation on Prayer-Tuning in.

THIS WEEK

Wed. July 18, **Isaiah study group**, 7:00 pm

Thur. July 19, **PET** mtg. 7:00 pm.

Sister Care breakfast, July 21, 9:30 am at Christianna Matheny’s home. Christianna will provide a breakfast casserole and everyone else is to bring a pitch in item. There is limited parking so car-pooling is recommended. Please call Christianna for directions and to RSVP. Phone: 812-365-9139.

UP COMING

Shalom Sunday, July 29, Red Cross shelter at Spring Mill, 11:00 am – 1:00 pm. Pitch in lunch.

Three youth (Matthew Ford, Hannah Albertson and Quinton Albertson) registered to attend **Know Jesus** at Goshen College on July 27-29, along with two adult sponsors (Veronika Sukup and Darren Bender).

Annual **Back to School Ice Cream Social**, August 12, 5-7 pm.

Annual PMF **Summer Campout** will be held August 25-26 at Tipsaw Lake. Mark your calendars now, and stay tuned!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Wally & Evie have begun their service as Short-term Coordinators for PMF, during this transition time. In this role they will help keep the various “pieces” of PMF in touch with each other. They will also be responsible for overseeing, providing, or delegating congregational care. Contact them if you have a need. Prayer requests that you’d like shared on the Prayer Chain should be directed to Evie or Wally. If you have a logistical or schedule question, contact Deb at the church office.

Check out the invitation to learn about a new **addiction recovery program** in Orange County, a Recovery Engagement Center. Join the community to learn more about the opening of this center on July 24, 6:30 p.m., at Christ the King Catholic Church meeting hall.

New in magazine rack: *The Common Place*. Read about remarkable young adults in Columbia.

New on Bulletin Board: An invitation to help with the Good Samaritan Fund annual fund raiser in August.