



Salina Mennonite Church

A Congregation of Mennonite Church USA

Salina Mennonite Church is a Christian community seeking to share God's love through celebration, nurture, service, and peacemaking.

We hold that every person is created in God's image. We embrace differences in race, gender, sexual orientation, ability or status.

June 9, 2024
Pentecost Sunday

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Welcome/Lighting the Peace Lamp

Annelle Claassen

Prelude

I'm Goin' a Sing when the Spirit Says Sing

arr. Charles Webb

Call to Worship

Leader: The Spirit has gathered us from down the road and across the city.

People: We are not quite ready to settle in and worship.

Leader: The Spirit has arrived to strengthen us.

People: We come with questions and heavy hearts, along with gratitude.

Leader: The Spirit is ready to kindle a flame of hope in our hearts.

People: We will open ourselves to receive and hear again God's deeds of power.

All: We invite the Spirit to renew us today

Opening Prayer

Hymn

New Earth, Heavens New

Voices Together 377

Greet those around you-

Storytelling

Butch Stucky

Hymn

God Who Touches Earth with Beauty

Voices Together 550

Scripture

John 15:26-27; 16:4b-15

NRSV

Sermon

The First Responder

Hymn

Holy Spirit, Come with Power

Voices Together 57

Community Life – Sharing

Congregational Prayer

Interlude

Spirit of God, Descend Upon My Heart

arr. Lloyd Larson

Community Life – Announcements

Hymn

Breathe on Me Breath of God

Voices Together 737

The Lord's Prayer

Pray using the words "sins" and "those who sin against us."

Benediction

Christian Education

For Adults – 9:00 a.m. Sunday

- Bible Study – *Salt and Light Study* – In the basement
- Bible Study – Reading *Rejoice!* – In the fellowship room

Upcoming Events

Wednesday	June 12	Worship Committee	5pm
Wednesday	June 12	Yard & Garden Work at the Church	6:30pm
Sunday	June 16	Sunday Worship – Wild Church	10am
Sunday	June 16	Potluck - Picnic	11:30am
Wednesday	June 19	Church Board Meeting	5:30pm
Sunday	June 23	Sunday Worship – Stewardship Sunday	10am
Sunday	June 23	Quarterly Congregational Meeting	11:15am
Sunday	June 30	Sunday Worship – Angie Smith	10am

Worship Totals

2024	Attendance	Unified Budget	Other	Total
6/2	Zoom 6 Church 21 Total 27	\$1300.00		\$1,300.00

Upcoming Worship Schedule

2024	Speaker	Worship Leader	Storytelling	Zoom PowerPoint	Greeter	Music
June 16	Luann Yutzy	Pete Smucker	Annelle Claassen	Carolyn Funk		Lori Schmidt

Local Announcements

Pastor Luann’s Office Hours: Wednesday afternoons 1pm to 5pm.

You are welcome to reach out to her anytime for Pastoral Care, Prayer Requests or just to visit – by phone or text 316-288-8897 or email luannyutzy@gmail.com

Please sign up: If you are interested in going on a **pontoon boat ride** some Sunday afternoon around Milford Lake – Please sign up on the sheet on the back table. More details to follow as we see interest!

Church Work Nights: All are welcome to gather at the church on Wednesday nights at 6:30pm for an hour of yard and garden work and/or fellowship. This will continue all summer and into the fall.

Conferencewide Announcements & Prayer Requests

Pray for our sister church, Iglesia Camino de Santidad (Path of Holiness Church) in Liberal KS, Pastor Moises Romero and his wife Teresa.

Western District Conference: Pray for God's guidance and wisdom for WDC pastors and congregations who are concluding ministry relationships or beginning a new season of ministry together.

WDC Annual Assembly, August 2-4, First Mennonite Church, Beatrice, NE. Assembly is the primary resourcing and fellowship event of the year. Many workshops, onsite and virtual. Faith formation and Family Festival for all ages. Worshipping God together. Registration is now open! For more assembly information visit: <https://mennowdc.org/2024-annual-assembly/>

MDS Cabinet Shop Celebration: join us for the dedication and celebration of the new Mennonite Disaster Service (MDS) Cabinet Shop and Warehouse. The event will be held on Sunday, June 9th at 604 E. Main Street, Goessel, Kansas from 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Admission is free. See the flyer on the back table.

Everence® June Workshop: Social Security and retirement income

Everence® will hold an informative Social Security and retirement income workshop on Tuesday, June 18, starting at 6:30 p.m. Topics will include, Social Security strategies, including when to begin taking benefits, risks that can impact your retirement savings plus strategies to help your income last throughout retirement. There will also be plenty of time for questions. The in-person workshop will be at the Everence office: 3179 N. Main St. Suite 1B, North Newton, KS. Information will be presented by staff from the Everence offices in Central Kansas. To register contact Everence at 316-283-3800, 877-467-7294 or central.kansas@everence.com.

Churchwide Announcements & Prayer Requests

Mennonite Church USA Mennonite Church USA is launching two new podcasts, aimed at encouraging and equipping today's pastors and congregational leaders. Learn more here: mennoniteusa.org/news/podcasts

Mennonite Church USA On June 18 at 7 p.m. ET/4 p.m. PT, join Nancy Kauffmann, Mennonite Church USA interim denominational minister of Church Safety, Michael Danner, MC USA associate executive director for Church Vitality and Ben Woodward-Breckbill, associate pastor at Shalom Mennonite Church, Newton, Kansas, as they address topics related to Safe Church protection policies and navigating through a crisis. Register here: mennoniteusa.org/webinar/registration-safe-jun18
View the PowerPoint slide here: mennoniteusa.org/slide/safe-webinar-june
View the PDF here: mennoniteusa.org/pdf/safe-webinar-june

Mennonite Mission Network: Today, Mennonite Mission Network's board members are worshipping in congregations in the Newton, Kansas, area, after a weekend of meetings. Pray for the board members, as they work to implement what they have discerned as the future directions for the agency.

Mennonite World Conference: Pray for intergenerational unity in worship. Preferences for worship styles often differ between age cohorts. This can cause arguments or the development of separate worship events. Pray that each generation will extend grace to each other and remain in relationship, willing to learn from each other.