

### **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.

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Welcome/Land Acknowledgement

Pete Smucker

**Prelude** This is my Father's World

arr. John Carter

Call to Worship

**Hymn** For the Beauty of the Earth

Voices Together 120

Scripture

Exodus 3:1-6 and Romans 1:20

Grounding

Wandering

Wondering

Luann Yutzy

Hymn

This Is God's Wonderous World

Voices Together 180

**Community Life – Sharing** 

**Congregational Prayer** 

**Community Life – Announcements** 

**Hymn** There's a Wild Hope in the Wind

Voices Together 828

The Lord's Prayer

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

**Benediction** 

**Potluck** Please join us immediately after Worship in the Fellowship Room

behind the sanctuary for our monthly 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday Potluck.

All are welcome.

#### **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 19	Church Board Meeting	5:30pm
Wednesday	June 19	Yard & Garden Work at the Church	6:30pm
Sunday	June 23	Sunday Worship – Stewardship Sunday	10am
Sunday	June 23	Quarterly Congregational Meeting	11:15am
Sunday	June 30	Sunday Worship – Angie Smith	10am
Sunday	July 7	Sunday Worship – Lamar Roth	10am
Wednesday	July 10	Worship Committee	5pm

## **Worship Totals**

2024	Attendance	Unified Budget	Other	Total
6/9	Zoom 1 <u>Church 22</u> Total 23	Rent \$200.00 \$1,900.00		\$2,100.00

# **Upcoming Worship Schedule**

2024	Speaker	Worship Leader	Storytelling	Zoom PowerPoint	Greeter	Music
June 23	Lori	Annelle	Carolyn	Miles		Donna
	Schmidt	Claassen	Funk	Weathers		Burnett

#### **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 <a href="mailto:luannyutzy@gmail.com">luannyutzy@gmail.com</a>

**Pontoon Boat ride:** has been canceled until a Sunday in September. More details later.

**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**

Western District Conference: Pray for WDC congregations recovering from damage from storms, that they would experience God's presence and strength and also be a witness of caring and compassion in their community.

**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: <a href="https://mennowdc.org/2024-annual-assembly/">https://mennowdc.org/2024-annual-assembly/</a>

### **Everence® June Workshop: Social Security and retirement income**

Everence<sup>®</sup> 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** Janet Szabo, a member of Mountain View Mennonite Church, shares how after a period of declining attendance, Mountain View Mennonite Church is experiencing a spring new life, through active church participation from adults and children alike. Read more here: mennoniteusa.org/spring-garden-creation

Mennonite Church USA Sara Gurulé, constituent engagement representative for Mennonite Mission Network, MC USA's mission agency, shares her grief about climate change and how the systems of greed and power have affected the places she calls home. Read more here: <a href="mailto:mennoniteusa.org/complex-grief-climate">mennoniteusa.org/complex-grief-climate</a>

**Mennonite Mission Network:** On this Father's Day, join Mennonite Mission Network personnel in praying for fathers around the world, especially those who lack the support needed to provide life's necessities for their children. May we share what God has given us, acknowledging that we are all part of God's one family.

**Mennonite World Conference:** Natural and climatic conditions are one of the challenges in our region. There are many possible natural disasters that always threaten and become challenges. In Indonesia, for example, earthquakes, landslides and floods occur. In the Philippines, typhoons often occur which destroy many things and also cause floods. This is indeed a problem, but it is also an opportunity for churches of believers to carry out a missionary call to provide assistance to people affected by disasters.

—submitted by Agus Mayanto, MWC regional representative for Southeast Asia