

### **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.

# August 4, 2024 Worship with WDC Assembly

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Welcome - Greet those around you-

Community Life - Sharing and Prayer

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

**Community Life – Announcements** 

The Lord's Prayer

**WDC Assembly Worship Service** 

@10:30am

via YouTube Live

Michelle Armster, preaching+

MCC School Kits: Lori invites all that can stay after church today to gather in the upstairs fellowship room to assemble the MCC School Kits in the beautiful, handmade bags.

#### **Christian Education**

For Adults – 9:00 a.m. Sunday

- Bible Study *Salt and Light Study* In the basement
- Gathering in the Fellowship Room

## **Upcoming Events**

Wednesday	August 7	Worship Committee	5pm
Wednesday	August 7	Yard & Garden Work at the Church	7pm
Sunday	August 11	Sunday Worship – Wild Church	10am
Sunday	August 18	Sunday Worship – Mike Matson	10am
Sunday	August 25	Sunday Worship – Wild Church-Oakdale Park	10am
Sunday	August 25	Potluck Picnic at Oakdale Park	11:30am

## **Upcoming Worship Schedule**

2024	Speaker	Worship Leader	Storytelling	Zoom PowerPoint	Greeter	Music
August 11	Luann Yutzy	Vera Zerger	None			Lori Schmidt

### **Worship Totals**

2024	Attendance	Unified Budget	Other	Total
7/21	Zoom 5 Church 29 Total 34	\$12,535.00		\$12,535.00
7/28	Zoom 0 <u>Church 18</u> Total 18	\$145.00		\$145.00

#### **Local Announcements**

**Pastor Luann's Office Hours:** Wednesdays, from 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>

MCC School Kits: Today is the last day to collect school supplies for the MCC School Kit project. We will assemble the kits, in bags, after church. We will have a dedication for them on August 11. After the service, we will load them up in Pastor Luann's car for her to take to the MCC Center in North Newton.

**Church Work Nights:** All are welcome to gather at the church on Wednesday nights at 7pm for an hour of yard and garden work and/or fellowship. This will continue all summer and into the fall.

**No Potluck on August 18<sup>th</sup>**. It will be a week later - August 25<sup>th</sup> as we meet at Oakdale Park, Shelter #1, for our final Sunday of Wild Church. Church starts at 10am with a picnic following @11:30am.

### **Churchwide Announcements & Prayer Requests**

**Western District Conference:** Give thanks for the WDC Annual Assembly this weekend and pray that we would all be open to God's transforming work as we join together in community.

**Mennonite Church USA:** MC USA responded to the July 13 assassination attempt with a statement that called for prayer. Read the statement here: <a href="mennoniteusa.org/prayer-assassination">mennoniteusa.org/prayer-assassination</a>

**Mennonite Church USA:** Season One of MC USA's "Lead/Follow" podcast for pastors and leaders is now complete! Watch all 10 episodes on YouTube or listen on Apple or Spotify! Watch or listen here: <a href="mennoniteusa.org/lead-follow">mennoniteusa.org/lead-follow</a> View the PDF here: <a href="mennoniteusa.org/lead-follow-pdf2">mennoniteusa.org/lead-follow-pdf2</a>

**Mennonite Mission Network:** Sibonokuhle Ncube, one of Mennonite Mission Network's regional directors for Africa and Europe, is spending the summer on the African continent. Pray for her as she gets acquainted with African partners and builds on the agency's more than 100-year-old legacy.

**Mennonite World Conference:** Migration to the USA is negatively impacting those who stay, especially among younger people. Puerto Rico churches are becoming a retirement community for those who spend their working years in the USA and retire "back home". The others struggle to keep their young leaders "at home" when they are inspired by better opportunities elsewhere.

**Mennonite World Conference:** Pray for the social and economic needs in Cuba. There are fuel and energy shortages resulting in blackouts. Increasing food prices are a strain especially for pensioners. Many feel hopeless about the state of the country, and some hope to emigrate for a better life. May God continue to touch the hearts of all those who help us unconditionally and keep supporting Cuba.