

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.

Pentecost June 8, 2025

Salina Mennonite Church

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Welcome/Lighting the Peace Lamp

Prelude I'm Goin' a Sing When the Spirit Says Sing

Lynn Newcomer arr. Charles Webb

Call to Worship

One: On this Pentecost Sunday, we welcome the howling Spirit,

All: who brings peace.

One: We receive the fierce Spirit, *All: who leads us to gentleness.*

One: We are surprised by the sudden Spirit movement

All: that opens a patient place within us.

One: We wait with expectation for the fire of the Spirit

All: to kindle a bright spark of faithfulness.
One: The Spirit among us flames with kindness.

All: She alights on each of us with joy, One: fills us with God's goodness,

All: forms us into people who act with intention and wisdom.
One: In the power of the Spirit, let us speak the language of love

All: in this sacred space of worship.

Hymn There's a Wideness in God's Mercy (vs. 1, 3, 4, 5)

Voices Together 156

Greet those around you

Storytelling Rebecca Thomson

Hymn Like the Murmur of the Dove's Song Voices Together 56

Scripture Acts 2:1–4

Sermon Abundant Fruits of Justice Sown in Peace Gary Thomson

Hymn Holy Spirit, Come with Power Voices Together 57

Community Life – Sharing Letter of Celebration

Community Life – Prayer

Interlude Spirit of God, Descend Upon My Heart arr. Lloyd Larson

Community Life – Announcements

Hymn The Love of God Voices Together 162

The Lord's Prayer Pray using the words "sins" and "those who sin against us."

Benediction

Join in the celebration of our Graduates in the Fellowship room.

Christian Education

For Adults – 9:00 a.m. Sunday

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

Upcoming Events

Wednesday	June 11	Garden Time	6:30pm
Sunday	June 15	Sunday Worship – Rachel Swartzendruber Miller	10am
Sunday	June 15	Third Sunday Potluck	11:20am
Wednesday	June 18	Church Board Meeting	5:30pm
Wednesday	June 18	Garden Time	6:30pm
Sunday	June 22	Sunday Worship – Lectio Divina	10am

Upcoming Worship Schedule

2025 Speaker		Worship	Storytelling	Zoom	Greeter	Music
		Leader		PowerPoint		
June 15	Rachel Swartzendruber Miller	Vera Zerger	Butch Stucky	Pete Smucker	Marlene Waltner	Lori Schmidt

Worship Totals

2	025	Attendance	Unified Budget	Other	Offering Total
	6/1	Zoom 3 Church 24			
	0/1	Total 27	\$1600.00		\$1,600.00

Local Announcements

Pastoral Care: During this time, we are without a pastor, the Board will try to fulfill that role of Pastoral Care. During June, if you have a need of pastoral care of any kind, Tom Claassen is the person to contact. His phone number is 785-826-6755.

Carolyn's Hours: I will be working Tuesday & Thursday Afternoons from my home and Wednesday afternoons and Friday mornings at Church.

The Offering Plate is located on the back table. Offerings can be left there or mailed to the church.

Worship Schedule: There is a copy of the July-August Worship Schedule on the back table and on the wall by the Worship Closet in the Fellowship Room.

Garden Time: Every Wednesday at 6:30 folks will be working in the church gardens. Come and join us and get your hands dirty!

Churchwide Announcements & Prayer Requests

Western District Conference: Pray for WDC congregations hosting Vacation Bible School this summer, as they invite children, families, neighbors and other church friends to grow in faith together.

Mennonite Church USA: Mennonite Church USA Moderator Jon Carlson echoes Paul's call for us to be reconciled to God and one another. Read more here: mennoniteusa.org/menno-snapshots/reconciled/

Mennonite Mission Network: Mennonite Mission Network requests prayer for Angola, which is experiencing a cholera epidemic, with more than 13,000 reported cases and nearly 500 reported deaths at the time of the compilation of this prayer request. The outbreak has rapidly spread throughout the country, with those under 20 years old being the most affected. Join the Angolan Mennonite churches in praying, as they care for the sick and pray for healing.

MCC: The MCC Lunch & Learn is back! Join us on Tuesday, June 17 from 12-1 p.m. at MCC in North Newton (121 E. 30th St.). Becky Teiwes, MCC Central State's Borderlands Program Coordinator will share about courage, compassion, and faithfulness as MCC continues to work with partners and churches at the U.S./Mexico border. Lunch will be provided for a suggested donation of \$10-\$15. Please RSVP by June 9 at mcc.org/events/lunch-learn-mcc-partners-usmexico-border or by calling the office at 316.283.2720.

MCC school kits for South Texas, June 18, 6-8 p.m. Bring your kids, grandkids, and friends to MCC (121 E. 30th St, North Newton) for a fun evening of packing school kits for MCC partner The Sidewalk School. Hear about this partner from MCC Borderlands Program Coordinator, Becky Teiwes and for extra summer fun, enjoy hand-made ice cream from Salted Creamery at the end of the evening. Donations welcome to help cover the cost of school kit materials. For more info: mcc.org/events/school-kits-south-texas or call 316.283.2720.

Sewing Days of Summer, June 20 from 5-8 p.m. and June 21 from 8:30 a.m. -12 p.m. All sewers are welcome to come to MCC (121 E. 30th St, North Newton)! Bring your own projects or sew kit bags/comforters/dignity kits for MCC, everyone from beginners to experts are welcome! Bring your kids or grandkids and pass along the joy of sewing. Please RSVP online at mcc.org/events/sewing-days-summer or call Brocia at 316.836.5054.