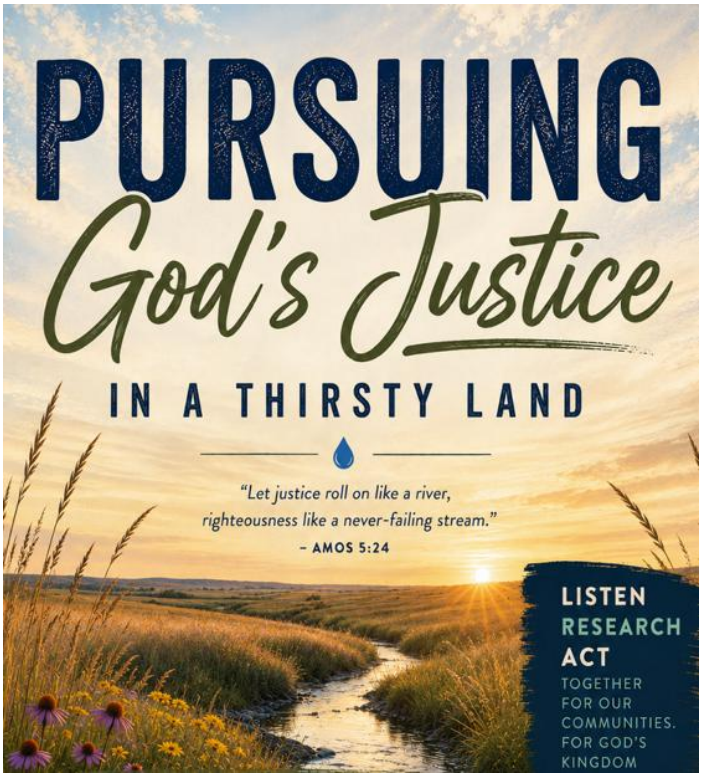


October 18, 2026

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		Pete Smucker
Prelude	*Be Thou My Vision*	arr. Mary Byrne
Call to Worship		Voices Together 784

All: The Lord told you what is good
and what God seeks from you:
do justice, love mercy,
and walk humbly with your God.

Hymn	*What Does the Lord Require of You?* (Repeat)	Voices Together 207
Greet those around you		
Storytelling		Butch Stucky
Hymn	*Lord, You Sometimes Speak*	Voices Together 537
Scripture	*Micah 6:8 and Luke 10:25-37*	
Sermon	*Discern Between Justice and Mercy*	Tammy Duvanel Unruh
Hymn	*Lord Jesus, Come and Overturn*	Voices Together 146

Community Life – Sharing

Community Life – Prayer

Hymn What a Fellowship Voices Together 160

Community Life – Announcements

Hymn *What Is the World Like* Voices Together 298

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

Benediction Voices Together 1059

Potluck follows in the Fellowship room

Christian Education

For Adults – 9:00 a.m. Sunday

- Gathering in the Fellowship Room – *Rejoice* Devotional
- Scripture study in the basement

Upcoming Events

Sunday	October 18 Third Sunday Potluck	11:20am
Sunday	October 25 Worship Service - Pursuing God's Justice in a Thirsty Land - 3	10am
Wednesday	October 28 Church Board Meeting	5pm
Saturday	October 31 Fall Celebration/Hayrack Ride	4pm
Sunday	November 1 Worship Service – Indigenous Peoples Series	10am
Wednesday	November 4 Worship Committee	5pm

Worship Schedule

2026	Speaker	Worship Leader	Storytelling	PowerPoint	Greeter	Pianist
Today	Tammy Duvanel Unruh	Pete Smucker	Butch Stucky	Carolyn Funk	Marla Stucky	Donna Burnett
Next Sunday	Tammy Duvanel Unruh	Carolyn Funk	Rebecca Thomson	Pete or Miles	Lee Walker	Lori Schmidt

Worship Totals

2026	Attendance	Unified Budget	Other	Total
10/11	22	$7000.00	Special Needs Fund $60.00 Blessing Box Fund $85.00	$845.00
October 2026		$2550.00	Special Needs Fund $105.00 Blessing Box Fund $105.00	$2760.00

Local Announcements

Pastor Tammy's Office Hours: Wednesday's 9:30am to 5:30pm and Thursday mornings after 9:30 am. You are welcome to reach out to her anytime for Pastoral Care, Prayer Requests or just to visit- by phone or text 316-207-3472, email pastorsalinamennonite@gmail.com

Carolyn's Hours: Tuesday & Thursday afternoons from my home; Wednesday afternoon & Friday morning at Church. Announcements or changes to the service need emailed by 8am Friday morning.

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

Last Sunday's Worship: You are welcome to view last Sunday's service on YouTube. Go to YouTube.com and search for Salina Mennonite Church. Last Sunday's video is uploaded usually by Wednesday afternoon. The congregational sharing and prayer time is never recorded. The recording is paused during that time and resumed for the rest of the service.

Blessing Box: We encourage everyone to bring non-perishable items to replenish the food reserves. If you choose not to shop for groceries, you may designate your cash or check donation for the Blessing Box.

Worship Schedule: There is a copy of the November/December Worship Schedule on the back table and on the wall by the Worship Closet in the Fellowship Room.

Native American Art: In preparation for our next series, *Indigenous Peoples*, starting November 1st – The worship committee is asking for Native American Art or other items that could be used on the Worship table. Please contact Annelle if you have items to share.

Hayrack Ride/Weiner Roast: Join us Saturday, October 31st, at Butch & Marla Stucky's home: 1817 East Schippel Road, Salina, KS 67401. Activities begin at 4:00 with trailer rides. The wiener roast follows at 5:30pm. Hot dogs, buns, s'mores, table service, and drinks provided. Bring side dishes and lawn chairs.

Churchwide Announcements & Prayer Requests

Western District Conference: Give thanks for the WDC Resource Library and the many ways that it enriches discipleship, children's and youth formation, preaching and teaching, spiritual growth and congregational vitality.

Mennonite Church USA: *Finding courage on the road less traveled*
Caleb Stoltzfus shares his grandfather's story as a conscientious objector during the Vietnam War and reflects on the courage it takes to walk a road less traveled — as a conscientious objector or as an LGBTQ+ person finding their place in the church. Stoltzfus will lead a related seminar at MC USA's upcoming Waging Peace Summit. Read the blog here: https://www.mennoniteusa.org/finding-courage/

Mennonite Mission Network: Joanne Speigel invited a group of her friends to join her on a Civil Rights Just Peace Pilgrimage, and they accepted. This week, the group will travel to the U.S. South with Mission Network to learn more about the Civil Rights Movement, racism and the ongoing work of racial justice. Pray for them as they learn together and come face to face with the difficult and heartbreaking realities of civil rights in the U.S.

Mennonite World Conference: The country has witnessed escalating political violence, hate speech and intimidation ahead of the 2027 general elections. Pray that the government will protect the people and that the country will have a fair and peaceful elections. —George Ochieng, Kenya

WDC Leader Forum: *Exploring Financial Tools for Congregations* – Thursday, Nov 5, 7:00-8:30 p.m. on Zoom. Financial software tools for bookkeeping, payroll, taxes, and generating financial reports are commonly expensive and tailored to professional accountants, creating barriers for congregations needing to find something they can afford and that is also user-friendly for a typical administrative assistant or lay leader to learn. Accounting gets even more complicated for religious nonprofits. Unique from businesses, donations are the primary income and other income from fundraisers, etc, must be handled differently. There are also multiple unique tax rules specific to religious nonprofits and ministers. In this Zoom gathering facilitated by WDC Business Manager, Shari Scheffler, we'll explore some of the various financial tools currently being used by member congregations, and the pros and cons of each. A couple of financial leaders from local congregations will suggest/share/demonstrate what specific church-related financial tools are working well for them, and attendees will have an opportunity to share their own tips, recommendations, and helpful resources also. Join us for the opportunity to make connections that might just lead to some extremely helpful resources as all of us navigate the complexities of accounting practices as church congregations. This forum is available without cost to anyone in the congregation who wants to learn more about and discuss this topic. **Register HERE by November 2**. WDC Leader Forums are planned periodically in response to themes gathered in the WDC Listening Process, as opportunities to connect with others in WDC to discuss common concerns, share insights and explore resources. Spanish interpretation available upon request as indicated on the registration form.



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