Attendance last Sunday: 62

General Fund offering: \$2,666.66 + year-to-date = \$4,878.66 **General Fund contributions budgeted for all of 2019:** \$156,000.00

Offering needed per week to meet budget: \$3,000.00

THIS WEEK

Monday, 4:30/5:30/6:30pm - Music Together classes

Wednesday, 4:30pm – Rhythm Kids Thursday, noon – Bulletin items due Thursday, 1:30pm – Goshen Bible study

Saturday, 3:00pm - Bowling for youth, grades 5-9

Saturday, 5:00pm – "Won't you be my neighbor?" documentary

Sunday, during second hour – Meeting of two transition task groups

COMING EVENTS - February

3 - Second hour transition discussion/sharing

7 - Mennonite Women Service Circle, 9:30am



Prairie Street Mennonite Church

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Transitional Pastor: Steve Thomas (574-202-0048)

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Elders: Dorothy Wiebe-Johnson, Lois Longenecker, Anna Ruth

Hershberger, Leo Rodriguez

For pastoral care you are welcome to contact a pastor or elder directly or call the church office to make an appointment.



PRAIRIE STREET MENNONITE CHURCH

1316 Prairie Street, Elkhart IN 46515-1687 Sunday, January 20, 2019

Joyfully following Jesus in a spirit of celebration, hospitality, and caring so that others may know Jesus and follow his way of peace.

ANABAPTIST WORLD FELLOWSHIP SUNDAY

CALL TO WORSHIP / INVOCACION

Sing the Journey 2 – "Hamba nathi (Come, walk with us)"

SINGING / CANTANDO

Bulletin insert – "Vos sos el destazado (You were tortured)" **Bulletin insert** – "The Kingdom of God"

CONFESSION / CONFESION

SHARING THE PEACE / LA PAZ

La Paz de Cristo

HEARING THE WORD / LA PALABRA

Children's Time: Dorothy Wiebe-Johnson

Scripture reading: Leviticus 19:33-34; Matthew 25:34-36

Sermon: Oseé Tshiwape

"Where are you from?"

RESPONDING / RESPONDIENDO

Prairie Street Sings 58 - "The wall is down"

Offering - Sing the Journey 78 - "Sizohamba naye"

Communion

SENDING / ENVIANDO

Prairie Street Sings 88 - "La paz de la tierra"

Benediction: Benjamin Isaak-Krauss

A prayer team is available to pray with you at the front of the sanctuary following the service. You are welcome to request anointing.

THIS MORNING:

Worship Leaders: Benjamin & Rianna Isaak-Krauss

Song Leaders: *Kyle Weirich, Sam Yoder* **Visuals:** *Worship team and friends*

AV Technician: Anthony Hunt
Usher: Marie Troyer
Greeter: Sally Longley
Hall Monitor: Jay Little

Church Nursery: LaNasha Taylor

Fellowship 15 Please see Mary Alice to Sign up!

Building Lock-up: Jim Bixler

SECOND HOUR:

Children (through grade 8) will meet in the lower level Hartzler Room.

Adults: Sermon response discussion, Fellowship Hall – Ellen Morey

Spanish Language class, Graber Room

NEXT WEEK:

Sermon: Steve Thomas

Worship Leader: Steve Wiebe-Johnson

Song Leaders: Kyle Weirich

Children's Time: TBA

AV Technician: Brian Sutter
Usher: Marie Troyer
Greeter: Sally Longley
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ANNOUNCEMENTS:

We will continue our usual worship start time at 9:30 <u>not</u> 10:00 as previously proposed (with the exception of today). With our congregational conversations in second hour February--May to address transitional agenda, the Transition Team determined that the proposed time change for Sunday mornings would not allow enough time for these important discussions. The worship committee will reconsider the proposal later.

To members of the Community and Leadership Task Groups: Next Sunday, January 27, there will be a joint meeting of the two groups during second hour with Pastor Steve Thomas.

Calling on our younger members and Hispanic participants: We want to hear these members of our body talk about what they desire for the future of Prairie Street. On Sunday morning, February 3 during second hour we will invite these two groups to talk to the rest of the congregation about their aspirations for our congregation. Please plan to attend this important meeting, the first of congregational conversations (February--May) in our transition process.

Bowling for the youth in Grades 5-9 on Saturday, January 26. Meet at the church at 3:00pm. We will carpool to Signature Lanes. Bring \$8 to cover shoes and one hour of bowling. We invite others in the congregation to join us for the fun. We will return to Prairie Street around 5:00pm for a bowl of chili. If you can join us, please let Jeanette Krabill, Felipe Clark or Silas Stutzman know.

Many of you are showing interest in, *Won't You Be My Neighbor*, a documentary on Mr. Rogers. The film touches on matters of race, sexuality and disability and has other interesting philosophical points tucked in. Come to Prairie Street on **Saturday, January 26th, at 5:00pm** for a light supper (perhaps popcorn and apples). Bring a pillow and blanket if you want something cushy. Questions? Contact Anna Ruth.

Offering Counters: There are several open slots on the offering counter monthly schedule. This is a "team" effort every Sunday with at least two people counting the offering. If you are willing to help, there are open slots on the 2nd Sunday, 3rd Sunday and 5th Sunday (4 times per year) of the month. Anyone 18 years or older can participate in the life of the congregation in this way. Contact Joy in the church office to get your name on the schedule! office@prairiestreetmc.org

ESL classes will be starting on Tuesday, March 5. Teachers and door openers (greeters) are needed Tuesdays and Thursdays, 6:30-8:00pm. If you are willing to help in either capacity one or two days per week, please email SueAnn Vongunten at vonalter2@gmail.com or speak with Mary Lackore. There is also interest in beginning daytime ESL classes in Goshen. If this works better for your schedule, please speak to Mary Lackore or Lora Miranda.