

Attendance last Sunday / Asistencia el domingo pasado: 57
Offering last Sunday / Ofreciendo el domingo pasado: \$1,224.01
Weekly offering needed to meet budget: \$3,000.00

THIS WEEK / ESTA SEMAN

Wednesday: 10:00 am, 12:00 noon - Staff meeting
12:00 noon, Bulletin items due
Thursday: 9:30 am – 2:00 pm, Service Circle

COMING EVENTS / EVENTOS VENIDEROS

December: 8 - Annual Church business meeting and potluck following worship
14 - 9:00-11:00 am, Roundtable
15 - Farwell for Transitional Pastor Steve
21 - 10:30 am - Memorial service and meal for Harold Weaver

Additional **volunteers are needed** to take a turn greeting at the front door and monitoring the halls during the service. *Please consider helping!* Questions?? – ask Ben Ollenburger or Mary Kathryn Miller.

Do want to serve/volunteer for the church in a different way? Talk with Mary Kathryn Miller or Marie Troyer or contact the church office, 293-0377, psmc.office1316@gmail.com.



Prairie Street Mennonite Church / Iglesia Menonita Prairie Street

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Office Hours / Horario de la oficina:

Tues and Thurs / Mar y Jue 8:00am - 4:30pm.
Wed and Fri / Mier y Vier 8:00am - 12:00 noon

Administrative Assistant / Asistente administrativa: Mary Kathryn Miller
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Anabaptist Mennonite Biblical Seminary Intern: Quinn Brenneke
Elders / Anciano-as: 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.

Para el cuidado pastoral se puede ponerse en contacto con un pastor o anciano-a directamente o llamar a la oficina de la iglesia para hacer una cita.



PRAIRIE STREET MENNONITE CHURCH IGLESIA MENONITA PRAIRIE STREET

Sunday, December 1, 2019 / Domingo, 1 de diciembre de 2019

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

Con gozo, siguiendo a Jesús en un espíritu de celebración, hospitalidad y cuidado para que otro-as puedan conocer a Jesús y seguir su camino de paz.

GATHERING MUSIC / MUSICA DE BIENVENIDO – Music Team

WELCOME / BIENVENIDO

Sing the Story 2 – “Maranatha, come”

CALL TO WORSHIP AND OPENING PRAYER / LLAMADA A ALABAR Y ORACION

SINGING / CANTANDO

*Hymnal 176 – “Comfort, comfort, O my people”
Insert – “Mountain of God”*

CONFESSION OF FAITH / CONFESION DE FE

SHARING THE PEACE / LA PAZ

*The peace of Christ be with you / and also with you
La Paz de Cristo sea contigo / y contigo Tambien*

SENDING BLESSING / ENVIANDO BENDICIONES – Ron Ringenberg

Rianna and Benni Isaak-Krauss

HEARING THE WORD / LA PALABRA

Children’s time: David Miller
Scripture reading: Matthew 24:36-44
Sermon: “*God’s Love, Judgment and Salvation,*” Pastor Steve

RESPONDING / RESPONDIENDO

Hymnal 145 – “There’s a wideness in God’s mercy”
Sharing joys and concerns / Compartir alegrías y preocupaciones
Offering / Ofrecimiento: *Prairie Street Sings 15* - Jesu Christo reina, reina ya
Pastoral prayer / Oración pastoral: Pastor Carolyn

SENDING / ENVIANDO

Hymnal 185 - “Hail to the Lord’s anointed”

BENEDICTION / BENDICIÓN

Adult Second Hour: Assemble school kits

Clase de espanol / Spanish Class: Dirigido por Quinn Brenneke

Children Sunday school: Pastor Carolyn and LaNasha Taylor

THIS MORNING / ESTA MANANA:

Worship Leaders: *Quinn Brenneke*
Song leader: *Kyle Weirich*
Spanish Translation: *Quinn Brenneke*
Spanish Reader: *Alicia Rodriguez*
AV Technician: *Brian Sutter*
Usher: *Marie Troyer*
Greeter : *Lois Martin*
Hall Monitor: *Anthony Hunt*
Building Lock-up: *Mary Kathryn Miller*
Visuals: *Janice Wiebe Ollenburger*

DECEMBER 8: Advent 2 / Adviento 2:

Sermon: *Andrea Baker Dean*
Worship Leader: *Ben Ollenburger*
Song Leader: *Kyle Weirich*
Children's Time: *Steve Wiebe-Johnson*
AV Technician: *Anthony Hunt*
Usher: *Marie Troyer*
Greeter: *Mary Kathryn Miller*
Hall Monitor: *Anthony Hunt*
Building Lock-up: *Milo Wiese*

ANNOUNCEMENTS / ANUNCIOS:

Prairie Street Service Circle has sewn bags and purchased contents for Mennonite Central Committee (MCC) **school kits** to be assembled today during **Fellowship 15**.

--- *We are asking members of the congregation (and anyone who may be reading this and feels led) to sponsor bags for \$10 each by January 12, 2020. We will be donating one hundred school kits! Questions – contact Ellen Morey.*

“Thank you for your prayers for my sister Bev and her son Michael. Charges were dropped at Monday’s hearing, which allows him to go back to school rather than detention. We praise God for the opportunity for a life with hope, surrounded by family and friends.” Janice Wiebe Ollenburger

"Promise" advent banner: We anticipate the promise of Love breaking into our world of chaos. The darkness of the world is expressed in the use of black. Purple represents this time of reflectiveness, a time to prepare for Immanuel. The hope of God's promise is reflected in the blue moving throughout the piece. The yellow conveys the presence of God's light breaking into our darkness. God comes to us and dwells with us! We wait for that promise. Designed by Janice Wiebe Ollenburger; pieced by Edith Bollman; quilted by PSMC women, primarily Margaret Birkey, Ruth Horst, Veva Garber and Paula Stoltzfus. It was first hung for Advent 1988.

Anyone interested in hearing jazz? We will gather to remember our dear friend and brother, Ross Ringenberg. Danny Dean will play jazz and we'll enjoy wine and cheese. Space is limited, but if you want to join us on Friday, **December, 6th** at 7:00, please respond to Anna Ruth by Tuesday the 3rd. arhershberger@ambs.edu

Rachel Denlinger, Inyerman Fonseca and Ellen Morey will be visiting Menno-Hof at 10:30 am on Saturday, **December 7**. All are welcome to join and car-pooling is possible if rides are an issue. Please contact Ellen for carpool logistics or join us onsite at 10:30 in the morning. See the Menno-Hof website for rates and directions.

Following worship on **December 8** all attenders are encouraged to stay for the **Annual Church Business Meeting**. This is a time to review the previous year and act on next year's budget. (Promises that it won't be too long or laborious!). A potluck meal follows.

Michiana Voices for Middle East Peace (MV4MEP) will host Cody O'Rourke, founder of Good Shepherd Collective, to share about how Palestinians are organizing to de-fund the radical settler movement calling for their displacement and annexation of their lands. Cody will speak on **December 2** at 7pm at Assembly Mennonite Church in Goshen. *The event are free and open to the public.*

December 14 all are invited to come to the quarterly **Roundtable Meeting, 9:00-11:00 am**. Roundtable is a time to learn how Teams are working and serving the church, coordinate activities, dream new dreams and see the ways God is moving in our church.

A memorial service and meal for Harold Weaver will be held at PSMC on **December 21**, beginning at 10:30. am. *Carolyn Heydon will coordinate the meal and will need volunteers to assist with meal prep, table set-up, serving and clean up - consider volunteering to assist.*

Would anyone find it fun to decorate the church for Christmas? Us visual folks are just focusing on the sanctuary. So, if anyone would like to do more around the church, like the entries or fellowship hall or the hallway, that would be fine. I can't help, but if you let me know you're interested I can help connect people to work together. It could be fun to have a decorating party with a bunch of people! Call or text me: 574-607-7335 Or email me: janicewo@gmail.com. -- Janice Wiebe Ollenburger.