



July 13, 2008

**Order of Worship**

Prelude  
 Welcome/Announcements  
 Call to Worship  
 Lighting of the Peace Candle  
 Scripture: Matthew 5:1-12  
 Hymns  
 Offering  
 Children's Story  
 Hymns  
 Scripture: Leviticus 25:8-55; Luke 4:16-20  
 Sermon: Celebrate!  
 Response Hymn  
 Prayer 'n Share  
 Closing Song  
 Benediction

Worship Leader: Ken Kauffman  
 Song Leader: Wendell Amstutz  
 Children's Story: Kelly Yoder

**Colossians 3:12-16 (New Living Translation)**

*"Since God chose you to be the holy people whom he loves, you must clothe yourselves with tenderhearted mercy, kindness, humility, gentleness, and patience. You must make allowance for each other's faults and forgive the person who offends you. Remember, the Lord forgave you, so you must forgive others. And the most important piece of clothing you must wear is love. Love is what binds us all together in perfect harmony. And let the peace that comes from Christ rule in your hearts. For as members of one body you are all called to live in peace. And always be thankful. Let the words of Christ, in all their richness, live in your hearts and make you wise. Use his words to teach and counsel each other. Sing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs to God with thankful hearts.*

**This morning:**

8:45 a.m. Prayer time in Todd's office  
 9:00 a.m. Coffee Time in Fellowship Hall  
 9:30 a.m. Sunday School

**Noon:**

"Here I Stand" meeting in the Fellowship Hall

**Prayer Requests:**

- Pray for campers in Grades 3 and 4 and the staff at Drift Creek Camp this week.

**This week:**

Tues. 6:30 p.m. Quilting  
 Thurs. 9:00 a.m. Quilting  
 Sat. 10 a.m. Have your garden produce or flowers to the church garden area for delivery to Greenbriar.

**A Red Cross Blood Drive** will be held here at Zion on Tuesday, July 22. To donate blood, please call 503-528-5892 to make an appointment. The blood drive will begin at 12:30 p.m. and end at 5:30.

**Next Sunday Manuel Ruiz** will speak during our worship service. Manuel is a pastor from Northwest Mexico. He grew up in one of the churches that was part of Mexico Missions under Pacific Coast Conference. He recently traveled here to attend the conference sessions in Canby.

**Sunday School Teachers Needed**—full or part-time for the following ages: 2-4 years; Grades K-1; Grades 2-3; Grades 4-5; Grades 6-7; and Grade 8. Please contact Stacy or Pam.

**Thank you for your response** to the request to bring snacks for Bible School. Only a very few items are left to bring--sign up today! The food will need to be at the church by Sunday, July 27.

**A Bridal Shower** for Nicole Brenneman will be held Wednesday, July 23, at 7 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.

**Our Worship Service** on July 27 will be held outside in the tent to be used for Vacation Bible School. Bring your favorite lawn chair, if you wish. You may drive to the site if that is more convenient for you.

Bible School will begin Sunday evening, July 27, and end July 31. Hours are 6:30–8:45. Bring friends and neighbors.

**Some changes August 3–31:**

- Our worship service will be held from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m.
- No coffee time
- Sunday School classes will not meet. Classes will resume September 7.
- The nursery will not be staffed.

**Flowers for Sunday morning worship:** Please sign up on the bulletin board if you can supply flowers for our worship services beginning in September. You are welcome to sign up for more than one Sunday if you wish. Thanks!

**Habitat Happenings:** Please reserve **July 26** and **September 27** for working with Pacific Covenant on the Disciples Build on the Paez house in Gervais. On July 26, we will be putting sheeting on the roof trusses. Please let Clyde Hockman know if you can help so meals can be planned. We have raised \$3,000 toward the \$5000 goal. Designate Habitat on the bottom of your checks.

**A Retirement Celebration** is planned for Chaplain Lynn Miller (Mennonite Home, Albany) on Sunday, July 27, 2-5 p.m., at the Mennonite Home Chapel. The program is at 3 p.m. Family, friends, etc. are invited. See the bulletin board for more information.

**The church has received** an invitation to the wedding of Peter Shetler and Jenny Welty, on August 2, at 2 p.m., at Emmanuel Bible Church, Salem. See the bulletin board for the invitation and a picture.

**You are invited to a barbecue dinner** to raise funds for the Oregon Mennonite Festival for World Relief. Hosted by Marolyn and Harley Brenneman in North Albany, the barbecue will take place on Saturday, Aug. 2, at 5 p.m. You'll enjoy music from the Corvallis Mountain Boys in a beautiful country setting. Tickets are \$15. Contact Nancy Beachy or Gloria Gingerich to purchase tickets. Please don't wait; reservations must be sent to organizers by July 28.

**A part-time janitor** (4-5 hours per week) is needed for the church. Mary Anna will be retiring in December. Talk to Gene Gascho if you'd like more information.

**“Thank you to the Zion Women** for making the beautiful quilt for my graduation. It will be a beautiful reminder of Zion's love when I am at college. It really meant a lot to me, you ladies are awesome!”

Jalisa Heyerly

**Thank you for all of your help** with last week's PNMC meetings! Sunday lunch was super. Zion has been a great member congregation of PNMC! Shalom, Charlotte Hardt

**Flowers:** Carol Miller **Flowers next week:** Judy Gascho

**Nursery:** Luanne Berkey, Callan Berkey

**Next week:** Sheryl and Krista Mast

**Last week:** Attendance: 127

Offering: Budget \$7,289.76 Habitat for Humanity \$950

**Readings for next Sunday:**

Lexionary readings for July 20: Isaiah 44:6-8; Psalm 86:11-17; Romans 8:12-25; Matthew 13:24-30; 36-43.

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