



**Zion Mennonite Church**  
*To the Glory of God  
 and the Service of the Community*



August 2, 2009

Prelude  
 Call to Worship—*#16 God is Here Among Us*  
 Psalm 23  
 Lighting of Peace Candle  
 Praise Song—*#59 Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above*  
 Offering  
 Announcements  
 Hymns: *#487—Teach Me, O Lord*  
           *#545—Be Thou My Vision*  
 Children’s Story  
 2 Peter 1:1-11  
 Sermon—“Wise Guys” by Todd  
 Song of Response—*#315 This is a Story Full of Love*  
 Share/Prayer  
 Sending Song—*SJ#73 The Lord Lift You Up*  
 Benediction

Prelude: Kristin Oakes  
 Worship Leader: Tom Brenneman  
 Song Leader: Julie Yoder  
 Children’s Story: Ken Kauffman



**TODAY** at 11:30 a.m. at 91 School. Bring a potluck dish, your own table service and lawn chairs. Drinks will be provided. There will also be water games, so come prepared!

**This Morning:**

9:30 a.m.   Worship Service  
 11:30 a.m.   Church Picnic at 91 School

**This Evening:** NO MYF

**This Week:**

Tuesday     6:30 p.m. Quilting  
 Thursday    9:00 a.m. Quilting

**Prayer Requests:**

- Pray for the Garber family as they mourn the passing of Karol McGilchrist. She is Sam Garber and Ingrid Knudson’s mother. Her memorial will be held Wednesday, August 5 at 10:30 a.m. at Bethany Evangelical Free Church in Canby.



**We are planning a hymn sign/special music service** on August 9 and are interested in having a variety of musicians involved. Do you or does your child have a piece you are willing to share? Please contact Kristin Oakes or Jana Gingerich with your musical offering.

There is still a need for primary Sunday School teachers! Please let Pam or Stacy know if you would be willing to teach part-time or full-time. Our kids need you!

Todd will be on vacation August 3-16. Contact Jana or one of the Elders in his absence.

# Vacation Bible School 2009

You're invited to a **Garden Party** for Cesar and Sandra Garcia from Colombia on Friday evening, August 7, from 6:30-8:30 pm at Ken and Nancy Beachy's home. Please RSVP by August 3.

**You're 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, August 8 at 5 p.m. You'll enjoy meeting guests who are leaders in the Colombian Mennonite Brethren Church and hear stories of MCC's work in that country. Tickets are \$15. Contact Jodi Hansen to purchase tickets and for directions. Please don't wait; reservations must be sent to organizers by August 2.



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..... Wendell and Karen Amstutz invite the congregation to a lunch reception for Zion and Roca de Salvacion churches, celebrating the marriage of their daughter Veronica and Cristian Costa, on August 9 at 11:30 am, following the church service.  
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**Flowers:** Claudia Lapp    **Next week:** Stacy Berkey  
**Nursery:** Nursery not staffed  
**Nursery Next Week:** Nursery not staffed  
**Last week:**    Attendance:132  
                         Budget: \$2,685.65    VBS: \$386.46

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Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light for my path.  
Psalm 119:109.



**Have a car?** Would you be willing to provide a ride for someone? The Caring Team is putting together a list of people who would be willing to provide transportation when a need arises - maybe a trip to a doctor's appointment or a ride into town for some errands. There is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin if you would like to help in this way. For questions, contact Todd, Floyd Lapp, Ken Beachy, Dave Yoder or Betty Garen.

Drew Strayer, an EMU graduate, is starting a new job in Salem. He is looking to rent a room from August 16 until he is able to find a house to buy and relocate his family from Ohio. If you are interested in talking with him about this, let Jodi know and she will give you contact information.

**Hospice Volunteer Training:** Legacy Hospice Services will be providing training, in Woodburn, for volunteers who would like to support people who are nearing the end of life, and their families. Volunteers are needed for friendly visits, or for brief respite care. Daytime training will be on Tuesdays beginning August 11th. For information, contact Shelley Wagener at [swagener@lhs.org](mailto:swagener@lhs.org) or at 1-800-361-8506

**THANK YOU** to everybody who helped make VBS possible. It was another great year! We are missing one primary guide, two middler guides, and one Jr. High guide. If you still have them, please put them in Kristin Oakes' mailbox.

## WMS News:

- ♦ Western Mennonite School is hosting baseball, soccer and volleyball camps in August. Call Dora at 503-363-2000 for registration information or go to [www.westernmennoniteschool.org](http://www.westernmennoniteschool.org).
- ♦ The 12th Annual Western Golf Benefit will be on September 26th at Chehalem Glenn Golf Course (Newberg, OR). Day of contests, prizes, gifts, fun, food and fellowship. Come out and support WMS athletics. Contact John Marvin at 503-363-2000 or [jmarvin@westernmennoniteschool.org](mailto:jmarvin@westernmennoniteschool.org). For further details and to register go to [www.westernmennoniteschool.org/golf-benefit](http://www.westernmennoniteschool.org/golf-benefit).
- ♦ Administrative Assistant needed for Advancement office. Volunteer position. Contact John Marvin, 503-363-2000

**Quilting at the Beach:** Individuals or teams of 4 women are invited to come stay 2-4 days (or more), during September 4-14 (over two weekends) to quilt half days on a top for MCC sale and "play" the rest of the day. Cost: \$25 per night per woman with all the rental fees going to MCC presale expenses. Contact Dianna Eshleman at [eshleman@broadstripe.net](mailto:eshleman@broadstripe.net) or 541-764-2251 to reserve your dates in the 4bdrm/2.5bath oceanfront wuite with full kitchen and sitting room.

**Irish Music Concert.** Sunday, August 2 at 6:30 pm, the Ortega family of Silverton is hosting a backyard summer concert featuring live music from LuckyPenny, a musical trio that specializes in traditional and contemporary Irish and American music. Admission is free, with donations accepted for **Habitat for Humanity's Women Build** house. See the bulletin board for an address and more information.