

UNIVERSITY MENNONITE CHURCH

Sunday Service May 14, 2017 9:30 am

Greeter: Karen Rath	Worship Leader: Jim Pierce
Pastor: Marv Friesen	Song Leader: Faith King
Hosts: Fellowship Meal	Ushers: Nel Kopp, Rodney Brubaker, and Jim Rosenberger
Childcare (0-4 years): available in the nursery	

Prelude – Jessie and Otis Pierce

Call to Worship

Lighting the Peace Lamp

Gathering Hymns

HWB 14, “Come, we that love the Lord”

HWB 26, “Holy Spirit, come with power”

Children’s Time – Joel Weidner

Welcome of Visitors

Offering

Offertory – Jessie and Otis Pierce

Scripture Reading - Meredith Wideman, Gloria Horst Rosenberger

Luke 3:1-14 (p. 834); Acts 7:55-60 (p. 891)

Sermon – Marv Friesen, “Throwing Stones – Glass Houses”

Hymn of Response – HWB 307, “Will you let me be your servant”

Sharing of Joys and Concerns – Marv Friesen

Announcements and Celebrations – Jim Pierce

Sending Hymn

Benediction

Sunday School (second hour) – see announcements insert

Prayer Requests

MMN: On this Mother’s Day, Mennonite Mission Network gives thanks for the women who have modeled God’s love and helped to shape the church. Ask God to bless all the mothers in the world with food and homes for their children.

MEA: Pray for the Hesston College Bel Canto Singers as they depart for a two-week tour through the Midwest and minister to their audiences through music. Pray that God would give them safety as they travel and stay with host families along the way.

Church Information: www.universitymennonite.org

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Submissions for bulletin or email announcements: umcbulletin@yahoo.com

DEADLINE FOR BULLETIN INCLUSION: Thursday, 12:00 noon

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University Mennonite Church's safe-child policy demonstrates our commitment to the physical safety and the spiritual growth of all our children and youth, ages birth to 18, as well as to our volunteers who care for them. The complete policy is posted in the lobby entrances and in the nursery room.

To reserve space for your event or meeting in our meetinghouse, please contact Carolyn Brubaker, 237-6602. **To participate in the UMC email list, sign up at** university-mennonite-sharing-list+subscribe@googlegroups.com.

Upcoming Events: For more details, go to www.universitymennonite.org/calendar

May

Sun 14 Potluck Fellowship Meal 12:00 pm

Thu 18 Worship Committee 7:00 pm

Sun 21 Congregational Business Meeting 6:30 pm

Tue 23 Men’s Fellowship Breakfast 7:00 am

June

Wed 7 Elders Meeting 7:00 pm

Sun 11 Potluck Fellowship Meal 12:00 pm

Tue 13 Men’s Fellowship Breakfast 7:00 am

Tue 13 Student Ministry Advisory Committee 7:30 pm

Thu 15 Worship Committee Meeting 7:00 pm

Tue 27 Men’s Fellowship Breakfast 7:00 am

*Recordings of each worship service are available at
universitymennonite.org/worship_recordings*

Announcements, May 14, 2017

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Sunday School Offering: Genesis: Stories of the Patriarchs. All (ages) are welcome to attend in Room 3, first room to the left at the bottom of the stairs nearest to the parking lot.

Fellowship Meal Today at Noon

Everyone is invited to stay for a delicious carry-in meal. There is always enough for everyone and you are invited to stay whether you planned to or not. There will be labels for vegan, vegetarian, gluten free and especially any dishes containing nuts.

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