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## CHURCH INFORMATION

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1606 Norma St., State College, PA 16801; (814) 234-2039

[www.universitymennonite.org](http://www.universitymennonite.org)

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**Submissions for bulletin:** [bulletin@universitymennonite.org](mailto:bulletin@universitymennonite.org)

Deadline for bulletin inclusion: Thursday end of day

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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.

**Our church maintains a Google Group email list to keep members informed about prayer requests and happenings in the community.** Join the email list by sending an email to:

[university-mennonite-sharing-list+subscribe@googlegroups.com](mailto:university-mennonite-sharing-list+subscribe@googlegroups.com)

**Missed worship?** Our church services are being recorded and published on our website at: <http://www.universitymennonite.org/worship-service-recordings-current/>

**Church Wi-Fi information** – Connect to **umc**, password **mennosimons**



**Sunday Worship**  
**November 6, 2022, 10 am**  
(in-person and Zoom)

**100** |  **MCC**  
YEARS

*Relief, development and peace in the name of Christ*



## ORDER OF WORSHIP

**Welcome** – Gloria Horst Rosenberger

**Prelude** – *Umbombela* by the Soweto Gospel Choir

**Call to worship litany** - Gloria Horst Rosenberger

*Leader: We have come here to worship God.  
But what does the Lord require of us?*

**People: We could make great sacrifices  
To please God with our selflessness.**

*Leader: We could give massive amounts of our income  
To please God with our generosity.*

**People: We could attend church every Sunday  
And serve on countless committees.**

*Leader: But what does the Lord require of us?*

**People: To do justice.**

*Leader: To do fearlessly what is right.*

**People: And to love kindness.**

*Leader: To have big hearts.*

**People: And to walk humbly with our God.**

*Leader: Let us revere God in our hearts and work for justice for all.*

**All: Come, let us worship our God.**

**Lighting the peace lamp**

**Singing** (please stand if you are able)

Voices Together 7 – *Come, Let Us All Unite to Sing*

Voices Together 103 – *Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee*

accompanist – Krista Weidner

**Voices of the congregation** - Ben Wideman

*Where do you see a signpost of God in our world today?*

**Offering**

**Children's time** – Ken Sensenig

**Scripture reading** – Galatians 6:7-10 read by Emily Pakhtigian

*Do not be deceived; God is not mocked, for you reap whatever you sow. If you sow to your own flesh, you will reap corruption from the flesh; but if you sow to the Spirit, you will reap eternal life from the*

*Spirit. So let us not grow weary in doing what is right, for we will reap at harvest time, if we do not give up. So then, whenever we have an opportunity, let us work for the good of all, and especially for those of the family of faith.*

**Sermon** - Ken Sensenig - *Let Us Not Grow Weary of Doing Good*

**Sermon response** – *Here I am, Lord* played by Krista Weidner

**Sharing** – Laura Litwiller

**Singing** – Voices Together 759 – *Take My Life, And Let It Be*

**Welcoming visitors, celebrating birthdays, making announcements**

**Benediction**

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### Announcements

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**Masking protocol** – Centre County is currently in the **low** community transmission level for COVID-19 and masks are **optional** for attendance in church.

**Christian education discussion** – Stay after worship for a sermon discussion in the sanctuary.

**Ten Thousand Villages Bag Sale – 25% off!** Ten Thousand Villages is holding our annual bag sale on **November 11, 12, & 13**. Everything in the store is 25% off during these 3 days. Support our mission to provide income for artisans in developing countries by doing your holiday shopping at the store. We'll be open extended hours on Friday & Saturday 8 am to 8 pm, and noon to 4 pm on Sunday.

**IT'S BACK!**  
**OUR BIGGEST SALE OF THE YEAR**  
**25% OFF EVERYTHING!**

November 11 - 13  
Extended hours: 9 AM - 8 PM  
on November 11th and 12th

Indulge sustainably with ethical gifts for everyone  
on your list!  
Artisans have been paid in full.  
(excludes gift cards)

ten thousand villages  
1341 S Atherton St, State College,  
PA 16801

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## Announcements (cont.)

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**Fellowship meal on November 20.** Mark your calendars for the next fellowship potluck on November 20.

**Bell ringers needed** - We need volunteers to fill one-hour time slots to ring the bells by the Wishing Well while patrons donate money to IHS. This year, UMC will be ringing bells outside Meyer Dairy Store on Saturday, December 10. We need one bell ringer per hour, but two is helpful. Please sign up for time slots on SignUp Genius:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050444a4a829ab9-ihsbell1>

**Mennonite Church USA's Women in Leadership Steering Committee** wrote a statement in response to the recent Supreme Court decision that overturned Roe v. Wade. Read their statement here: [mennoniteusa.org/wil-statement-roe-wade](http://mennoniteusa.org/wil-statement-roe-wade)

**Volunteering at UMC** - Ready to give worship leading a try? Have a good message to share with our children? We welcome any regular attender to help provide leadership on Sunday mornings. Ben and Kate can help you learn how to navigate hybrid worship. Sign up online at <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0e4daeae28a0ff2-2022>. We work as a body with many members, learn as a body, offer grace and love to one another as the body of Christ. Join us!

**Need help?** We are a community with talents, tools, and a willingness to serve each other. If you need help - gathering groceries, raking leaves, etc., let Kate know. There are some here who might be able to lend a hand.

**Your offerings support UMC** – Remember to support UMC with your financial gifts. Offering baskets are by the doors to the sanctuary or you can make your offering the following ways:

- Mail a check to the church to the attention of our treasurer, 1606 Norma Street, State College PA, 16801
- Donate on the church website at <http://www.universitymennonite.org/donate>
- Set up an automatic payment with your bank (bill pay service)
- Use a service like Zelle <https://www.zellepay.com/>