
CHURCH INFORMATION

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

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Deadline for bulletin inclusion: Thursday end of day

Staff and volunteer leadership

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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. Find out more and request to join at <https://universitymennonite.org/email-sharing-list/>

Our church has an online directory with photos and contact information.

Find out more and request to join at:

<https://universitymennonite.org/directory/>

Sign up to receive **Pastor Kate's midweek email newsletter** at:

<http://eepurl.com/gtOJur>

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

Church calendar <https://universitymennonite.org/calendar/>

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



Sunday Worship
June 30, 2024, 10 am

“Don't ask what the world needs.
Ask yourself what makes you
come alive, and go do that,
because what the
world needs is
people who have
come alive.”

-Howard
Thurman



Worship Leader: Doug Yoder

Accompanist: Becky Kephart

Song Leader: Ken Litwiller

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Welcome and prayer – Doug Yoder

Prelude – *It's a Great Day to Be Alive* by Travis Tritt

Call to worship

Leader: To worship is to stand in awe under a heaven of stars,
before a flower, a leaf in sunlight, or a grain of sand.

**People: To worship is to be silent, receptive, before a tree astir with the wind,
or the passing shadow of a cloud.**

Leader: To worship is to work with dedication and with skill;
it is to pause from work and listen to a strain of music.

**People: To worship is to sing with the singing beauty of the earth;
It is to listen through a storm to the still small voice within.**

All: Worship is the mystery within us reaching out to the Mystery beyond.

Lighting the peace lamp

Singing

Healer of our Every Ill, VT 644

Precious Lord, Take my Hand, VT 610

Voices of the congregation – Joyce Hall

Singing to call children forward, *Come and See*

Children's time – Jess McCormick

Scripture - Mark 5:21-43, read by Carl Keener

Singing – *Leaning on the Everlasting Arms*, VT 160

Sermon – *Pastor Kate Heinzl*

Special music – Becky Kephart, *I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say*, VT 536

Sharing time – Pastor Kate

Announcements/birthdays/anniversaries/introduction of visitors

Benediction

Announcements

Masking space - The back three benches on the left side of the sanctuary are reserved for those who wish to mask in an area where others are also masking. ***This does not mean that everyone who masks must sit in this area;*** rather, it allows for those who want to mask and to maintain some distance from those who are unmasked to sit in one place.

Coming up - Check out the church calendar for more details

<https://universitymennonite.org/calendar/>

Jul 2, 12 pm – Lectio Divina, Zoom

Jul 8, 7 pm – Sacred harp singing, foyer

Jul 9, 12 pm – Lectio Divina, Zoom

Jul 11, 7 am – Men's fellowship breakfast, Waffle Shop, 364 E College Ave

Jul 14, 11 am – Christian Education (all ages)

Noon – Potluck fellowship meal

Jul 16, 12 pm – Lectio Divina, Zoom

Jul 21, 10 am – Church Around the Table, various homes and UMC sanctuary

Library news - In commemoration of Pride Month, there is a display of UMC library books in the elevator lobby featuring books on LGBTQ issues. These books present different Christian viewpoints over the past 50 years. To check out a book, please sign the card at the back of the book and place the card in the cardholder. Return the book when you are finished with it. – Library committee

Foxdale Movie Night presents "Cooked: Survival by zip code" - a film linking extreme weather events with extreme disparity. Thursday, July 11, 7 pm, Foxdale auditorium.

FREE SUBU: Want to support Vedam Subu's quest for justice? Learn how to get involved at <https://freesubu.org/>

State College Food Bank is especially in need of canned chicken and gluten-free pasta. Other foodstuffs are also welcomed. Please bring and place in Food Bank box here at UMC.

MC USA News

Read the fascinating memoir of James Liu, Chinese Christian educator and leader at <https://www.mennoniteusa.org/menno-snapshots/james-liu/>

Check out **Lead/Follow, MC USA's new video podcast**, hosted by MC USA executive director Glen Guyton. This season is focused on youth and young adult engagement. Find them online at

https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLHBjEtD1xPkPiT1xerayc0wVX_BmThd82

Announcements (cont.)

Children in UMC worship – Children through fifth grade are invited to come to the front of the sanctuary for children's time. After children's time, the nursery is available for children ages four and under. (Parents, please check to see if the nursery is staffed; if not, please stay with your child.) Children of all ages are also welcome to remain in the sanctuary for the service or to gather at the table in the back for quiet activities using the materials provided.

Need help? We are a community with talents, tools, and a willingness to serve each other. If you need help - gathering groceries, yard work, 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 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/>