

Belmont Mennonite Church

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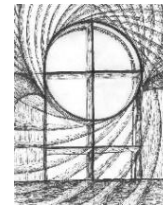
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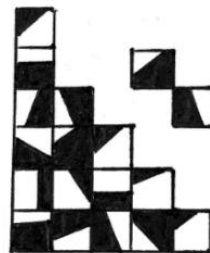
Vision Statement

We seek to be transformed by the Holy Spirit into the likeness of Jesus Christ. We commit ourselves to be channels of God's grace and salvation, wisdom and power, love and peace, through challenging worship, nurturing fellowship, discipleship, and intentional ministry to those we regularly relate to, to the surrounding Belmont neighborhood, and to worldwide spiritual and physical need.



Inclusion Statement

We celebrate that everyone is created in God's image and that people of every age, ability, race and ethnicity, sexual orientation, marital status, socio-economic situation, gender identity, and citizenship status are welcome as full participants in the life of our congregation.



GATHERING

Welcome

VT 411 "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"

Call to Worship

Prayer

PRAISING

VT 133 "My Jesus, I Love Thee"

VT 435 "Blessed Assurance"

VT 408 "Crown Him with Many Crowns"

AFFIRMING OUR FAITH

OFFERING

(Offering baskets are available at the entrances of the sanctuary for your monetary gifts.)

ENGAGING

Children's Time

Scripture: Isaiah 58:6-12; 1 Peter 1:3-9

Sermon: "We Are (still) Easter People"

RESPONDING

VT 340 "Lift Your Glad Voices"

Encounters with God

Congregational Prayer

SENDING

Church in Action

VT 811 "Use Us, God"

Benediction

WELCOME to worship at Belmont, and a special welcome to our guests!

Everyone is invited to stay after worship for a time
of coffee and fellowship in the gym.

Worship Participants:

Worship Leader: Maynard Kurtz

Song Leader: Troy Kauffman

Accompanist: Ted Dyck

Scripture Readers: Chris Weaver, Kate Rheinheimer

Children's Time: Steve Brenneman

Sermon: Kevin King

Encounters, Congregational Prayer, Church in Action: Mandy Yoder

Worship Visuals: Kris Shenk

Sound & Livestream: Jon Schrock, Tony Krabill

Last Sunday:

In-person Attendance: 119

Online Attendance: 36

Offering: \$10,025

Church Calendar This Week:

Today
MVT, 12:15pm

Friday, May 8
Open AA Meeting, 7pm

Looking Ahead:

Sunday, May 10
Nelson Kraybill preaching

Monday, May 11
Worship Commission, 1pm

Wednesday, May 13
Mary Beck Ministry Team, 5:15pm
Bobby Jo Valentine Concert at
Silverwood Mennonite, 7pm

Sunday, May 17
Thrift on the Third
Mary Beck Sunday
MYF Cookout & Senior Sharing

Tuesday, May 19
PCRC, 7pm

Sunday, May 24
Pentecost; Mandy preaching

Announcements:

The Monday and Friday weekly emails contain information about church life and community events. If you would like to receive these emails from the church office, please contact Uryna: office@belmontmc.org

We've added some new books to our church library, as well as one new DVD. These can be found on the table in the library. Please sign the card in the back of the book and place it in the container when you check any out.

- A new DVD (shown about a year ago during adult nurture hour) "Where the Cottonwoods Grow"
- Two books for children (donated by Jon & Kris Shenk):
 - A Light to Share by Natalie Frisk
 - Sparkling Peace by Teresa Kim Pecinovsky & Hannah Rose Martin
- Making it Plain by Drew J Hart (donated by Dot Smucker)
- Two books donated by MDS (Mennonite Disaster Service)
 - Many Hands by Julie Kauffman & Susan Kim
 - Mended by Hillary Daecher (for children)

Nurture Hour for Adults and High School Youth:

Kevin King from Mennonite Disaster Service will be presenting today. Adults and high school youth are welcome to attend this class in the Community Room.

Coming up:

- May 10: *What Happened at Benham West: African American Stories of Community, Displacement and Hope* with Nekeisha Alayna Alexis
- May 17: *What Happened at Benham West: African American Stories of Community, Displacement and Hope* with Nekeisha Alayna Alexis
- May 24: Benham West Walk

Nurture Hour for Children and Junior Youth:

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| Children (Room 216) | Joe Shoemaker & Pete Gingerich
Jill Kio & Marlene Penner
Anna Matteson & Stephen Matteson
Heidi Sawatzky & Tyler Sawatzky |
| Junior Youth (Room 228) | Brandon Kurtz, Katie Kurtz,
David Fast, Angie Shoemaker |
| Nursery/Toddler Caregivers | Brandon Kurtz, Katie Kurtz,
Rhonda Martin, Chris Weaver
Marty Suter, Angie Shoemaker |