

First Mennonite Church

566 West Main Street, Berne, Indiana 46711
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WORLD COMMUNION SUNDAY



TODAY'S SERVICES

October 2, 2011

9:00 a.m. Sunday School - - - 10:00 a.m. Morning worship

6:30 p.m. Evening Service

Morning worship is broadcast at 10 a.m.

WPGW, Portland, 1440 AM, 100.9 FM - Scanner frequency 161.76

Jeff Linthicum - Senior Pastor

Jerry Flueckiger - Care & Adult Ministries Pastor

Darren Kloepper - Youth Pastor

Brent Hyman - Music & Worship Ministries

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WELCOME TO OUR WORSHIP SERVICE

ORGANIST –Dr. Scott Lehman✧ SONG LEADER – Brent Hyman

Prelude

*Kyrie Eleison/Schubert
Open the Eyes of My Heart, Lord*

Invocation and Welcome

Brent Hyman

Adoration

*#77 [brown] Call to Worship (from 2 Chron. 6:40 and Psalm 18:1-3)

Brent Hyman

*#78 [brown] I Love You, Lord

*#79 [brown] My Jesus, I Love Thee (vs. 1, 2, 4)

Romans 12:1-2a

Brent Hyman

Confession

Scripture: (from Daniel 9:4b-6a, 7-8, 15, 18a) – read responsively

Brent Hyman

Silent Confession

Breathe on Me, Breath of God (vs. 1, 2)

Thanksgiving

Offering

for Church Camp
Prayer led by Darren Kloepper

Offertory

Thanks Be to Thee/Handel

Guests, please fill out the cards in the pew and drop in the offering plate.

Children ages 3-grade 4 may walk to children's church.

Grades 1-4 will meet in the spotlight room.

Supplication

Phil. 4:6

Brent Hyman

#640 [brown] *Sweet Hour of Prayer*

I Lift My Eyes Up

Scripture: (from Daniel 9:18b-19)

Marie Nussbaum

Intercessory Prayer

Marie Nussbaum

Special Music: *Blessings*

Story

Lara Collett

Message

Daniel's Prayer/Pastor Jeff Linthicum

*#638 [brown] *I Need Thee Every Hour*

Communion

Untitled Hymn

*Benediction

Pastor Jeff Linthicum

If you would like someone to pray with you following the service, you may go to the chapel where someone is there to pray with you.

*Postlude

O Day of Peace/Parry

TODAY AT FIRST MENNONITE

On the scanner and TV today is the Chapel class.

- 6:30 p.m. Evening Service – sanctuary. Brass & organ recital featuring Dr. Scott Lehman.
6-8 p.m. Youth Open Gym/Movie Night
8:00 p.m. Youth-Bell Choir

ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

Women's Ministries Quilting Week

MONDAY – October 3

9a.m-5 p.m. Quilting

TUESDAY – October 4

9:00 a. m Quilting

10:00 a.m. Short WM meeting

11:00 a.m. Carry-in meal

6:30 p.m. Sunshine Hour

7-9 p.m. Quilting

7:00 p.m. Mennonite Choral Society Rehearsal

7:00 p.m. Board of Trustees

7-9 p.m. Prayer Room is open to anyone for a prayer meeting.

WEDNESDAY – October 5

9-12 Quilting

5:00 p.m. Adult Bell Choir

5:45 p.m. Fellowship Meal

6:10 p.m. Children's Choir Rehearsals

6:50 p.m. Imago Dei

7:00 p.m. Nursery for up to age 2

7:00 p.m. Age 2-3- Toddler Nursery

7:00 p.m. Age 4-K – *Heroes of the Bible* - room at the bottom of the ramp

7:00 p.m. Grades 1-5–Spotlight room—Soul Food – Fish & Chips anyone?

7:00 p.m. Adults–chapel *Echoes of the Past* – Dr. Gerald Gerig

7:00 p.m. Christian Faith Forum – James Bible study – Pastor Jerry – rm. 17

7:00 p.m. *Secret Church* video & discussion series led by Darin Ringger & Chad Gilbert in room 15.

7:00 p.m. Prayer Room for corporate prayer

7:00 p.m. Women's Ministries – Project Committee Room

7:00 p.m. Prayer Shawl Ministry

8:15 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY – October 6

9 a.m.-5 p.m. Quilting

FRIDAY – October 7

9 a.m. – 5 p.m. Quilting

SATURDAY – October 8

9-12 noon das Marit Farmers' & Artists' Market--- try pumpkin or banana nut waffles by Imago Dei, gourds, pumpkins and chrysanthemums.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The offering today is for Church Camp. Next Sunday it is for Mennonite Mission Network Home.

Menu for Wednesday, October 5: Haystacks, applesauce & drinks.

On Tuesdays for the month of October, Fellowship Class will set up the tables for the Wednesday evening meals.

A communion service will be held at Swiss Village on October 5 at 10 a.m.

Opportunity - If you would be interested in being on the team that maintains the church website, please e-mail Anissa Burson at burson04@juno.com.

Once again, Nursery School asks you to help them by eating cookies. More specifically, you can buy cookie dough in our annual fund raiser between Oct. 2-9. Order forms are on the table in the foyer and can be returned to Greta Lehman's church mailbox.

The last Senior Fellowship Activity of the season will be a breakfast at First Mennonite Fellowship Hall on Friday, October 21, at 9:00 a.m. Following the home-cooked breakfast, we will enjoy Floyd Liechty's photo reminders of the Berne of long ago. The cost will be \$7.00 per person and reservations must be in by October 17 to Doyle and Anna Lehman (589-2055) or Jerry and Bonnie Flueckiger (589-4666).

Senior Trip Reminder: for those going on the senior trip to Lancaster, PA, the bus will board at 6:00 a.m., departing at 6:15 a.m., on October 11. The chartered coach will pick up passengers from the east parking lot.

College Age Students/Parents!! Please send Darren your address at college (or local address if you are commuting)! We are planning to send out gift boxes during the school year and if Darren doesn't have a correct address, then you will miss out! Send contact information to darren@firstmennonite.org.

MDS Service Trip – We have just received word that we will be serving in Birmingham, Alabama this year. We will help rebuild houses destroyed by tornadoes earlier this year. We will be leaving October 16th and will be returning October 22nd. Please contact Jim Buckingham at 368-7521 or 589-3525 as soon as possible if you would like to serve the Lord in this way.

Uncharted Territory is the theme for a series of meetings sponsored by the South Adams Ministerial Association in an event designated as Community Impact Services. Pastor Joel DeSelm will be the speaker sharing from God's Word the Lord's direction in uncharted territory. Pastor Joel DeSelm has been the pastor for over 20 years of the Woodburn Missionary Church in Woodburn, IN. Our Community Impact will be celebrated for three consecutive Sunday evenings, October 9, 16, 23 at 6:30 p.m. here at First Mennonite.

Youth Fall Retreat will be October 14-16 at Camp Friedenswald. The cost will be around \$45. Please see Darren for details.

Congratulations and best wishes of the congregation are extended to Dean & Myrna Hendricks, who will be celebrating their 52nd wedding anniversary on October 3; also to Byron & Ruth Mary Liechty, who will celebrate their 56th wedding anniversary on October 8.

Building Project Summary

	Pledges	Payments	
Combined	\$2,119,211.83	\$1,949,916.26	92.0%