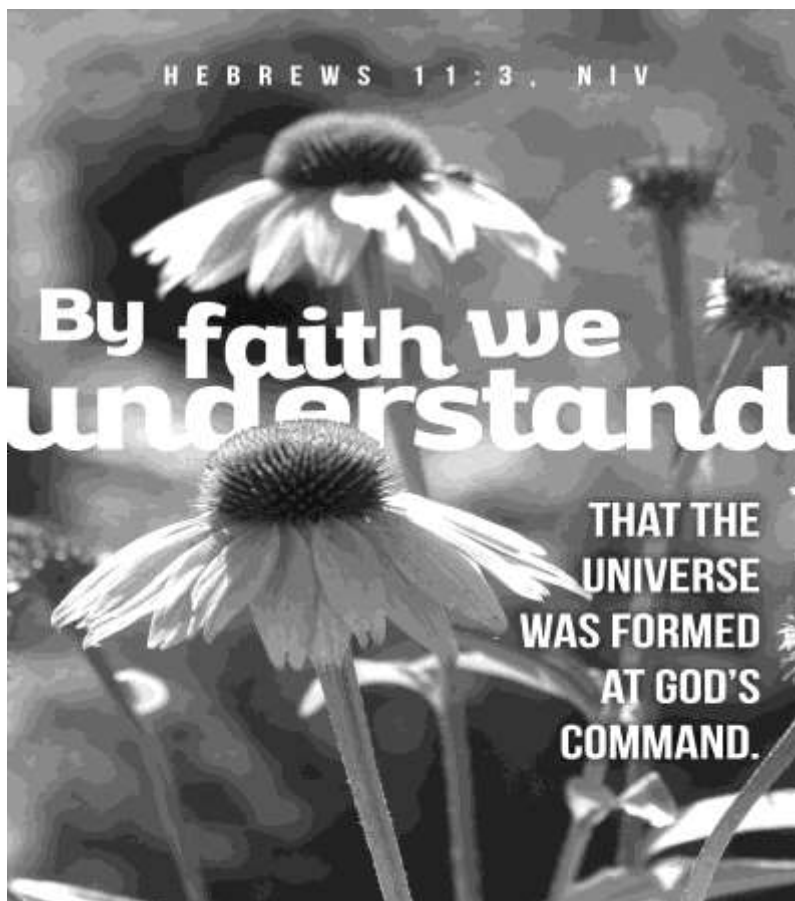


# First Mennonite Church

566 West Main Street, Berne, Indiana 46711

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## **TODAY'S SERVICES**

August 4, 2019

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

Guest Wi-Fi password - fmcguest

Jeff Linthicum - Senior Pastor

Jim Schwartz – Care & Visitation Pastor

Bill Helmlinger – Youth Pastor

Brent Hyman - Music & Worship Ministries

ORGANIST --- Dr. Scott Lehman

Prelude *Sunshine In My Soul/DeCou*

Welcome Lauren McKean

*\*Forever*

*\*Ever Be*

\*Hebrews 11:24-27 Cory Sprunger

*\*Whom Shall I Fear?*

Offering Prayer for Lancaster Mennonite Conference Kent Lehman

Offertory: *Great Is Thy Faithfulness*

Heidi Lehman and Ted Beitler

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

Scripture: Hebrews 11:1-16 Tad & Barb Wulliman

\*#404 [brown] *Faith of Our Fathers* (vs. 1,3)

Children age 4-Grade 4 may walk to Children's Church.

Message *Faithful Examples/* Pastor Jeff Linthicum

*\*Be Enthroned*

Prayer and Share Milly Fox

Announcement: My Coins Count  
Fear Not!  
MCC Update

*\*Find Us Faithful*

\*Benediction Pastor Jeff Linthicum

\*Postlude *Hornpipe from "Water Music"/Handel*

If you would like someone to pray with you following the service, please go to the chapel, as someone is waiting to pray with you.

## TODAY AT FIRST MENNONITE

On the scanner and TV today is the Helping Hands Class.

6:30 p.m. Evening Service – chapel. Grant & Jess will be speaking.

## ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

### TUESDAY – August 6

6:30 p.m. Sunshine Hour

6:30 p.m. Prayer in the Prayer room

### WEDNESDAY – August 7

7:00 p.m. Prayer Walk

### SATURDAY – August 10

8-Noon das Marit Market

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Prayer Walk** - Wednesday, August 7, adults will be participating in a prayer walk along with the youth. We will meet in the chapel at 7 PM for directions. Those able to walk around the community will be split into groups and will walk through neighborhoods and pray for the people that live there. The rest of the group will do a prayer walk around the church, praying over the fall programs in the various areas of the building. We will finish at 8 PM.

**New to You!!!** There will be a **Sunshine Hour Hymn Sing** August 13 at 6:30 p.m.! Come join the singing in the chapel, watch it "live" at Swiss Village, or tune in your scanner to 161.76 for this Hymn Sing. Sing and be a blessing or watch/listen and be blessed!

**Gathering up those quarters?** Next Sunday the Quarter Towers will be available for families and individuals for 2019 My Coins Count project for the Michiana Relief Sale at the Elkhart Co. Fairgrounds on September 27 & 28. Activity sheets/ideas will be included! This project will run August 11 - September 22.



**REGISTER TODAY!** Don't forget to get registered for FEAR NOT children's ministry seminar that will be at our church on Saturday, Aug 24. This seminar will also count for foster care hours, and certified teachers will get a certificate for professional growth points! Open to anyone in the congregation or the community. JOIN US! Register on the church website or forms in the foyer.

**God calls us to** encourage each other. Here is a list of August birthdays for missionaries and church staff. A basket will be placed in the foyer in which you may place cards for them, and these will be sent for you.

17 Edith Von Gunten    24 Bill Helmlinger    25 Debra Neuenschwander  
26 Naarah Helmlinger    26 Roberta Maxwell

**Congratulations** and best wishes of the congregation are extended to Connie & Lena Nagel, who will celebrate their 69<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary on August 5; also to Tom & Betty Stuber, who will celebrate their 58<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary on August 6.

## Youth Activities

August 11th - The Dominican team will be sharing this Sunday evening for the service at 6:30 pm. Expect a lot of information, laughs, and a song that was written by the youth in the Dominican just for you.

August 21st - Youth Fall Kickoff @ Tim & Lana Shoaf's house from 5 pm to 8 pm. Group games, 9 square, devotion time, prayer for incoming 6th graders and overall a great time of fellowship and fun! Food is to be expected, and did I mention fun?? Yes, fun is to be expected, too.