

Welcome to

Rochester Mennonite Church

June 9, 2019

Sunday Morning Worship

10:00 AM

Kurt Kennel, Worship Leader

Lois Kennel, Song Leader

Rev. Galen Penner, Pastor

GATHERING AND PRAISING

Words of Welcome

Scripture Memorization

(bulletin insert)

Matthew 7:7-11

Hymn

Unto thy temple, Lord, we come

#4 (HWB)

Call to Worship/Gathering

(bulletin cover)

Invocation/Praying

(bulletin cover/unison)

Hymn

There are many gifts

#304 (HWB)

Hymn

Come, gracious Spirit

#303 (HWB)

HEARING GOD'S WORD

Scripture Reading

Acts 2:1-21

Romans 8:1-11

Sermon

Receive the Holy Spirit

Hymn

O Holy Spirit, making whole

#300 (HWB)

SHARING AND PRAYING

Joys, Concerns and Announcements

Prayer Hymn

Lord, listen to your children

#353 (HWB)

The Prayers of the People

RESPONDING TO GOD'S CALL

Offering Ourselves and our Gifts to God

(Monthly Giving – School Relief Kits)

The Offering Hymn

Lord of all good

#60 (STJ)

The Offering Prayer

Hymn

Let justice flow like streams

#65 (STJ)

BLESSING AND SENDING

Benediction

Doxology

Praise God from whom

#119 (HWB)

The Rochester Mennonite Church is a congregation that welcomes people to join our community of faith so that they may grow in their personal understanding and relationship with God. Members and guests are appreciatively welcomed to this service of worship.

Announcements

If you have announcements to be included in the bulletin, please get them to Galen, preferably with the exact wording you wish to use, not later than Thursday morning. Also please indicate how long you wish to have the announcements included in the bulletin.

The sign-up sheet for being a worship leader, song leader, and doing the children's story for the next several months is available. Please sign up as you feel led.

Responsibilities for Next Sunday (June 16):

- Set-up – Daniel Leichty
- Worship Leader – Gordon Harms
- Song Leader –
- Children's Story –
- Adult Sunday School –

Matthew 7:7-11

Ask, and it will be given you; search, and you will find; knock, and the door will be opened for you. For everyone who asks receives, and everyone who searches finds, and for everyone who knocks, the door will be opened. Is there anyone among you who, if your child asks for bread, will give a stone? Or if the child asks for a fish, will give a snake? If you then, who are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your Father in heaven give good things to those who ask him!

Pray for those participating in and leading the June 3–13 Trail of Death: A Pilgrimage of Remembrance, Lament and Transformation. This course traces the route of the 1838 forced removal by the U.S. military of about 850 Potawatomi people from their ancestral homeland in northern Indiana to eastern Kansas.

Pray for the seven IBA students who recently graduated at Manantial de Vida Church, Camden, New Jersey. Pray that the IBA program continues to be a blessing for the Hispanic churches in the U.S. as it trains leaders to work to expand God's kingdom.

Seeking an Admissions Counselor and Student Services

Coordinator: Anabaptist Mennonite Biblical Seminary in Elkhart, Indiana, is accepting applications for this full-time position. Objectives include: recruit prospective students, establish and maintain relationships with key influencers, and oversee student services programs and activities.

Start seminary studies this fall! It's not too late to enroll at Anabaptist Mennonite Biblical Seminary in Elkhart, Indiana, for the 2019–20 academic year. Strengthen your leadership abilities in an Anabaptist setting — whether on campus or through one of our distance programs. AMBS offers generous need-based financial aid packages.

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(The Rochester Mennonite Church meets in the chapel of Christ United Methodist Church, located at 5th Avenue and 4th Street SW. The chapel is located in the northeast corner of the building.)

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