

Attendance last Sunday: 90
General Fund offering: \$1,008.48+year-to-date = \$49,175.50
General Fund contributions budgeted for all of 2018: \$218,488.55
Nehemiah Fund pledges: \$167,555.28; received to date: \$167,215.28

THIS WEEK

Monday, 4:30/5:30/6:30pm – Music Together classes
Tuesday, 6:30pm – ESL classes
Wednesday, 4:30pm – Rhythm Kids class
Thursday, 9:30am – Mennonite Women Service Circle
Thursday, noon – Bulletin items due
Thursday, 6:30pm – ESL classes
Sunday, noon – Potluck lunch. Please remember a dish to share and your tableware.

COMING EVENTS – May

13 – Summer Sunday worship in the Fellowship Hall
17 – Elkhart Bible study, 1:30pm
17 – Elders meeting, 7:00pm
20 – Sojourners & Friends



Prairie Street Mennonite Church

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For pastoral care you are welcome to contact a pastor or elder directly, or call the church office to make an appointment.



PRAIRIE STREET MENNONITE CHURCH

1316 Prairie Street, Elkhart IN 46515-1687
Sunday, April 29, 2018

*Joyfully following Jesus in a spirit of celebration,
hospitality, and caring so that others may know
Jesus and follow his way of peace.*

GATHERING TO WORSHIP

Welcome

Sing the Journey 4 – “You’ve got a place”

Call to Worship

Leader: Come, let us worship our Maker!

People: The One who has formed all the peoples of the earth is our God.

Leader: The Lord summons us to worship in Spirit and in Truth. To know the voice of God and obey God’s commandments.

People: The whole law is summed up in a single commandment, “You shall love your neighbor as yourself.”

ALL: *We come into your presence O God, renew, reconcile and heal us by your Word and Spirit. Accomplish in us what you desire and we shall declare your goodness!*

SINGING

Hymnal 363 – “Renew your church”

Prairie Street Sings 31 – “Those who dwell in the shelter of God”

CONFESSION OF FAITH AND WORDS OF ASSURANCE

SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

HEARING THE WORD

Children’s time: Ellen Morey

Scripture reading: Acts 8:26-39

Sermon: Martin Navarro

“Who is my neighbor?”

RESPONDING

Hymnal 310 – “How good a thing it is”

Sharing Joys and Concerns: Anna Ruth Hershberger

Offering – *Sing the Story 120* – “Somebody prayed for me”

Pastoral Prayer: Lois Longenecker

SENDING

Sing the Journey 30 – “Jesus Christ is waiting”

Benediction: Frances Ringenberg

A prayer team is available to pray with you at the front of the sanctuary following the service. You are welcome to request anointing.

THIS MORNING:

Worship leader: David Miller

Pre-service music: Music team/instruments

Song leader: Kyle Weirich

Prayer team: Lois Longenecker, Anna Ruth Hershberger

Spanish Translator: Martin Miranda

Visuals: Worship team

AV technician: Brian Sutter

Usher: Becky Miller

Greeter: Mary Kathryn Miller

Hall monitor: Jerry Miller

Church nursery: LaNasha Taylor

Fellowship-15: TBA

Building lock-up: Al Longenecker

SECOND HOUR:

Children:

Kindergarten–Grade 4 – Lower Level

Grades 5-8 – MYF room

Adults:

- **Spanish Class/Discipleship** – Lower level classroom
- **Book of Genesis** – Ben Ollenburger – Lower level classroom
(Open Circle classroom)

NEXT SUNDAY:

Sermon: Carolyn Gardner Hunt

Worship Leader: David Miller

Song Leader: Kyle Weirich

Children’s Time: Chett Mitchell

Prayer team: Dorothy Wiebe-Johnson, Frances Ringenberg

Visuals: TBA

Pre-service music: Music team/instruments

AV technician: Nick Bouwman

Usher: Becky Miller

Greeters: Angel & Lora Miranda

Hall monitor: Jerry Miller

Church nursery: LaNasha Taylor

Building lock-up: Ron Ringenberg

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

CMI Sale: CMI is holding a Bazaar clearance sale on Saturday, May 5, 10:00am-3:00pm at 524 S. 7th Street in Goshen. Come support the ministry of Coaching Mission International!

Remember the MCC Relief kit project sponsored by our Mennonite Women Service Circle. Donations are being collected in the narthex. If you need a list of items, please see one of the women or contact Joy in the office.

Mennonite Women’s May Gathering: On Saturday, May 5, women of Indiana-Michigan Mennonite Conference churches will gather at East Goshen Mennonite Church to share in conversation, inspiration and brunch. Come to hear Carol Honderich share about her 'Women of the Bible' quilt. She will share about women from the Bible and from our community. The program begins at 9:00am. We will have brunch mid-morning and conclude our time around 11:45.

When God calls someone to ministry, a journey begins. Perhaps you are on that journey. Perhaps you are looking for mentors and companions along the way. Indiana-Michigan Conference invites you to join **Journey: A Missional Leadership Development Program**. This program is for pastors and other congregational leaders who are called without specific training for ministry or who are exploring a call to pastoral ministry. The deadline to apply for fall 2018 is July 17. For more information visit www.ambs.edu/journey or contact your pastor, or Dan Miller at dan@im.mennonite.net or at 574 534 4006.