

Attendance last Sunday: 65
General Fund offering: \$3,336.32+year-to-date = \$56,693.58
General Fund contributions budgeted for all of 2018: \$218,488.55
Nehemiah Fund pledges: \$167,555.28; received to date: \$167,690.28

THIS WEEK

Today, 6:00pm – Sojourners & Friends at Prairie Street
Monday, 4:30/5:30/6:30pm – Music Together classes
Wednesday, 4:30pm – Rhythm Kids class
Thursday, noon – Bulletin items due
Thursday, 1:30pm – Goshen Bible study
Sunday, 4:00-7:00pm – Fellowship Hall reserved

COMING EVENTS – June

7 – Mennonite Women Service Circle, 9:30am
10 – Potluck lunch and Congregational meeting, noon
14 – Open Circle & Friends at Granma’s House of Pancakes, 8:30am
14-16 – Annual sessions of IN-MI Mennonite Conference in Indy
16 – Jay Kauffman’s memorial service, 10:30am



Prairie Street Mennonite Church

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Elders: Dorothy Wiebe-Johnson, Lois Longenecker, Anna Ruth Hershberger

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, May 20, 2018

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

PENTECOST SUNDAY

GATHERING TO WORSHIP

Welcome
Sing the Journey 19 – “I will call upon the Lord”
Call to Worship

SINGING

Prairie Street Sings 43 – “Our God reigns”
Sing the Story 106 – “Like a tender breath, stirring”

CONFESSION OF FAITH AND WORDS OF ASSURANCE

SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

HEARING THE WORD

Children’s procession: Carolyn Gardner Hunt
Scripture reading: Acts 2:1-13
Sermon: Frances Ringenberg
“Too much wine...”

RESPONDING

Hymnal 299 – “New earth, heavens new”
Offering – Sing the Journey 2 – “Come, walk with us”
Communion: Carolyn Gardner Hunt presiding

SENDING

Prairie Street Sings 46 – “You are all there is”
Benediction: Carolyn Gardner Hunt

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: *Josh Kinder*
Pre-service music: *Music team/instruments*
Song leader: *Carolyn Smith*
Prayer team: *None*
Spanish Translator: *TBA*
Visuals: *Communion table*
AV technician: *Brian Sutter*
Usher: *Becky Miller*
Greeters: *Angel & Lora Miranda*
Hall monitor: *Jerry Miller*
Church nursery: *LaNasha Taylor*
Fellowship-15: *TBA*
Building lock-up: *Jim Bixler*

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: *Sara Wenger Shenk*
Worship Leader: *Frances Ringenberg*
Song Leader: *Carolyn Gardner Hunt*
Children's time: *TBA*
Prayer team: *Lois Longenecker, Dorothy Wiebe-Johnson*
Pre-service music: *Music team/instruments*
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ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Prairie Street needs you! Volunteers are shifting roles and spaces are open - be sure to get your **"How do I get involved?"** forms in today.

You are invited to come and support healing and hope for Ana and Joe, Chris, Nancy, Naomy, Ruben, Alia, Nataly and Benji. We plan to have a short service of remembrance and prayer as we plant a tree in honor of Susanna in Ana and Joe's yard. We will meet at their house at 215 W. Dinehart Ave. **today** around 12:30pm (just after Sunday School).

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.

Vintage Folding Chairs available! We are thinning our collection of folding chairs with turquoise seats. See Marie Troyer, Al Longenecker or Pastor Frances.

Children's size wooden chairs are also available for a donation. Please see Pastor Carolyn.

Palestinians Speak Justice Tour, Wednesday, May 23 at 7:00pm, Mennonite Church USA offices, 3145 Benham Ave. What is Palestinian Liberation Theology? Who is it for? **Palestinians Speak Justice** is a tour featuring prophetic Palestinian voices speaking truth to power: Tarek Abuata, executive director of Friends of Sabeel North America (FOSNA), and Rev. Naim Ateek, founder of the Sabeel Ecumenical Liberation Theology Center in Jerusalem, Palestine. Abuata will discuss how to live liberation theology by lifting up Palestinian voices and acting in solidarity with Palestinian calls for justice within the United States. Ateek will share insights from his newest book, *A Theology of Palestinian Liberation*. Their words and insights are especially crucial as the tour falls near the 70th anniversary of the Nakba. Learn more about the tour: <https://www.liberationtheology2018.com/>