

June 23, 2024 • Volume 69, No. 25 Fellowship: 9:30 am • Worship: 10:00 am

SEEKING JUSTICE TOGETHER

Nathan Confronts a King:

We can call leaders to account

As we seek to embody justice and righteousness, what is our church uniquely called to based on our location, values, connections, gifts, and resources?

Gathering & Praising God

We Dream of a Turning (VT 209) Call to Worship & Prayer *Blessed Are You (VT 290)* Jenn Esbenshade Sue Martin

Hearing God's Voice

Offering Scripture: 2 Samuel 12:1-15, Psalm 51 Conversation with Children Dawn Kaczor Sermon: Karyn Nancarvis* "A Bold Confrontation: Concealment, Confession, and a Contrite Heart"

Responding

God Who Touches Earth With Beauty (VT 550) "This Is Us" Sue & Tim Martin Sharing and Announcements Congregational Prayer Steven Lantz

Sending

How Can We Be Silent (VT 790) Benediction **Coffee:** Evelyn Bailey; **Greeters:** Francy Bailey & Jim Bailey **Close:** Jim Bailey; **Sound:** Kai Esbenshade **Offering:** Francy Bailey & Wade Esbenshade

* Karyn Nancarvis is the Campus Chaplain at Garden Spot Village. In 2020, she earned her Master of Divinity degree from Eastern Mennonite Seminary. Karyn is an active member of Laurel Street Mennonite Church and serves as board member for The Shalom Project. She and her husband, Tim, reside in Lititz and have five adult children.

<u>June 16</u>

Attendance: 38 (1 on zoom) • Offering: \$1,495

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

June 26: Danika Snader

NEXT SUNDAY: June 30

Coffee: Ray Hurst; Greeter: Michele, Ellie, Maggie Good Close: Mike Bortzel; Worship Leader: Wanda Gonzalez Bortzel Song Leader: Jenn Esbenshade; Prayer: Brenda Martin Hurst Children: Ray Hurst; Sound: Mike Good; Sermon: Ruth Douglas Miller Offering: Wanda Gonzalez Bortzel & Brenda Martin Hurst

UPCOMING EVENTS

All events are at New Holland Mennonite Church unless otherwise indicated

Sunday School: There is no Sunday School in June, July, and August.

Sabbatical: Pastor Dawn will be on sabbatical until August 11. Please contact Pastor Stan with pastoral care concerns. sshantz55@gmail.com, 717-471-6172

Garden: Come join the fun in the garden on Tuesday from 6:00 pm till 8:00.

Fellowship Meal: Sunday, June 30. Bring a hot and/or cold dish to share and your own place settings. Hot dishes should be in a slow cooker. The meal will be served in the lobby and begin approximately 15 minutes after service is over. Let Pat Thomas or Michele Good know if you are available to help.

Snacks: Help restock the snack pantry for CrossNet's youth programming! They are in need of individually packaged snacks whose expiration date is at least several months out. Place items on the front table in the sanctuary from now until **July 21**.

Global Bible School: Akron Mennonite is hosting an adult Bible school **June 23-26**. This four-session discussion will be with Christians from around the world on how culture shapes faith and what US Christians can learn from our global neighbors. Register at AMCBibleSchool.Eventbrite.com.

Rally: Mennonite Action will participate in the Christians United for Israel conference July 28-30 to promote an alternative theology to one of genocide and hate. This will be a multiracial, multifaith coalition to demand a permanent ceasefire. See the weekly email for more information and links to documents.

Pastoral Care: Stan Shantz: sshantz55@gmail.com, 717-471-6172
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Land Acknowledgment: We acknowledge, with humility, that the land where we sit and stand today is land that was home to the Susquehannock, Shawnee, and Lenape people. Let us be aware that we occupy their homeland, and that their presence is imbued in this land.

What We Value

With Jesus as our center, we commit to including all people, strengthening our relationships (and) practicing peace and justice.