

# Benton Mennonite Church

May 20 2018

Worship leader: Jerrol, Shaum                      Speaker: Elaina Youngberg  
Song leader: Barb Meyer-Reed  
Moment in mission: Zac Bowman Cooke, Rod Hollinger Janzen  
Childcare: Janet Byler and John Mischler

## Great meals of the Bible

9:25                      Silence and reflection

Gathering: BF 22                      *I will enter your gates*

Peace prayer

Welcome and invocation

Call to worship

HWB 26                      *Holy Spirit, come with power*  
HWB 300                      *O Holy Spirit, making whole*  
SJ 78                      *Sizohamba naye*

Confession

SS                      *Holy Spirit, truth divine*  
HWB 322                      *For we are strangers no more*  
Scripture                      Acts 2:1-18, 21

Moment in mission

Scripture                      Proverbs 3:3

*Children dismissed to childcare and activity table*

Faith statement

Song of response

Congregational sharing and prayer

Introductions and announcements

Sending: HWB 459                      *I come with joy to meet my Lord*

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HWB = Hymnal Worship Book (Blue)      SJ = Sing the Journey (Green)  
BF = Blue Folder      PP = PowerPoint      SS = Song Sheet

## Today

### The Grand Second Hour All Ages Experiment

- ✝ 15-minute break after worship.
- ✝ Break into all-ages groups; you choose your location
  - Listening to the Scriptures: Brenda Meyer, Questers/105
  - Spiritual review of the week; self-led, Agape/114
  - “Who cares about climate change?”: Doug Kaufman, Pilgrims/113
  - Physical movement: Martha Wenger, Old Foyer
  - Lunch preparation: Lois Troyer, Commons
  - Preschoolers: Rich Meyer, 017
- ✝ **12 noon, Congregational meal and love feast.** Everyone welcome.
- ✝ **1pm, Congregational meeting.**

*Worship activity backpacks are available for preschool age children in the back of the sanctuary. Anyone is invited to come back to the activity table as the sermon begins for the rest of the service.*

*Large print hymnals and hearing devices are available. See the sound person in the back for assistance.*

## This Week

- ✝ *Wednesday, 7pm*, Pastoral Team meeting at Brenda’s house.

## Next Sunday

- ✝ Memorial Sunday.
- ✝ Noon fellowship meal, hosted by N-Z.

## Worship team for next Sunday

Worship leader: Bruce Nofziger                      Song leader: Lyn Buschert  
Children’s focus: Rich Meyer                      Sound: Troy Risser  
Childcare: Donna Risser and Elaina Youngberg  
Greeters: Marian Miller and Dee Swartz

### ***Attendance for Sunday, May 13 2018***

Total: 60  
Visitors: 4

***Offering for Sunday, May 13 2018***

Received: \$1,291

Weekly needed: \$3,000

*Difference: (\$1,709)*

YTD received: \$56,344

YTD needed: \$57,000

*Difference: (\$656)*

***Staff hours for this week***

*Brenda:* Wednesday, Friday

*Doug:* Tuesday, Friday

*Steve:* Friday

***We will love as Jesus loves,  
pursuing God's peace  
at the river and at the table.***

Announcements and other bulletin information can be put in Steven Johns's mailbox, sent to [office@bentonchurch.org](mailto:office@bentonchurch.org), or left in the bottom left drawer of the desk in the secretary's office. All information is due by 7 pm, Thursday.

Please send all audio visual materials to [soundguys@bentonchurch.org](mailto:soundguys@bentonchurch.org) by 8 am, Sunday.

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