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**1 PETER
3:15**

The Sharon Mennonite Worship Hour

July 19, 2020

Sharon Mennonite Church

***“Our mission is to know, to worship, to serve,
and to share Jesus Christ”***

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9:30 AM Sunday School

10:30AM Worship Hour

Jared Chase, Pastor
Walter Campbell, Associate Pastor
Amy Hinton, Office Administrator
Kaylee Griest, Ministry Intern

Mark Bailey, Elder
Dennis Graber, Elder
Marilyn Troyer, Elder
Phil Hostetler, Elder

*For those who would like a mask,
you may find them in a basket at the Welcome Center.
Masks are available in Adult Large, Adult Regular, and Child sizes.
Thank you for worshipping with us today.*

PREPARING FOR WORSHIP

Welcome/Call to Worship

Bobbi Watkins

Bible Memory Verse

1 Peter 3:15

'But in your hearts revere Christ as Lord. Always be prepared to give an answer to everyone who asks you to give the reason for the hope that you have. But do this with gentleness and respect,'

Worship in Song

Raina & KC Theiss

"All The Poor and Powerless"

"Mighty To Save"

"In Christ Alone"

PRESENTING OUR GIFTS

**Offertory
(Missions Fund)**

"Raise A Hallelujah"

Raina & KC Theiss

HEARING THE WORD

Scripture Reading

1 Peter 3:15

Message

What's Your Defense?

Kaylee Griest

Response

"Here's My Heart"

Raina & KC Theiss

SENDING FORTH

Announcements

Prayer Time

Benedictory Song

*"All The Poor and Powerless"
(Reprise)*

Raina & KC Theiss

TODAY

Sunday, 8:30 a.m.

Sunday, 9:00 a.m.

Sunday, 10:30 a.m.

Sunday, 7:00 p.m.

Pathfinders Class (via GoToMeeting)

Jubilee Sunday School Hour via

<https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/919414669>

Sunday Morning Worship Hour (At Church and via YouTube)

Ignite (Home of Johnathan Beachy)

THIS WEEKS CALENDAR

Memory Verse for July 26

Ephesians 4:32

'Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other, just as in Christ God forgave you.'

Monday-Friday

Tuesday, 10:00 a.m.

Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.

Office Administrator – Vacation

Scripture Based Bible Study (via

<https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/919446813>)

Adult Connection (via GoToMeeting)

UPCOMING EVENTS

July 26, 8:30 a.m.

July 26, 9:00 a.m.

July 26, 10:30 a.m.

July 28, 10:00 a.m.

July 29, 7:00 p.m.

August 2, 8:30 a.m.

August 2, 9:00 a.m.

August 2, 10:30 a.m.

August 4, 10:00 a.m.

August 5, 7:00 p.m.

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Next week: Pastor Walter will be kicking off our new Parable Series speaking on the Unmerciful Servant. The offering will be for the General Fund.

Attendance

49

Last Sunday's YouTube Views

55

Last Sunday's Offering

\$3,969.00 (Missions Fund)

\$1,300.00 (General Fund)



UPCOMING EVENTS

July 19, 7:00 p.m.	Ignite (Johnathan Beachy's Home)
July 26, 7:00 p.m.	Ignite (Watkins' Home)
August 2, 7:00 p.m.	Ignite (Shoemaker Home)
August 9, 7:00 p.m.	Ignite (Griest Barn)
August 16, 7:00 p.m.	Ignite (Outside at Church)
August 23, 7:00 p.m.	Ignite (Watkins' Home)

NOTICES

Mary Troyer – Please note that Mary Troyer has been moved to Edgewater and her room number is A132. Mary's new phone number is (614) 504-2081.

Edgewater Place – Edgewater has updated their visitation policy and is now allowing outside visiting with residents on the screened in porches. Residents will be allowed two visitors per scheduled time. Visitation will be restricted to the northwest and southwest screened porches. The length of time allocated for the visit is approximately 30-minutes. Reservations are required and may be made by calling (614) 873-9700. Reservations will be made based on availability and visitors must adhere to a set of guidelines. A complete explanation of their new policy can be found at: <https://edgewaterplace.us/new-visitation-policy-effective-7-6-2020/>

Office Administrator – The church Office Administrator will be out of the office on vacation July 20-July 24. During that time, Amy Waldron will fill in, working remotely from home during that time.

Everence® Financial celebrates with Chandler Ingle – Everence® Financial invites you to join us as we celebrate Chandler Ingle's wedding which was held this past May. Following the wedding, Chandler and his wife Leah moved from Goshen, IN to Hilliard, OH so he can better serve the Western/Central Ohio region as a Financial Consultant. He and Leah plan to attend Movement Church in Hilliard. Chandler and the Everence team look forward to continuing to serve you as you work to integrate your faith values with your financial decisions. To learn more about Chandler and Everence in Plain City, please email him at chandler.ingle@everence.com or call 614-873-7773.

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The James Mobile Mammography Unit - The James Mobile Mammography unit is coming to Plain City again this fall. Ladies over 40 are welcome to take advantage of this service being offered at Haven Fellowship Church on ***Tuesday, September 8, from 9 AM to 1 PM.*** CDC guidelines will be followed, and staff will take the temperature of each patient, provide a mask and complete the symptoms screening with each patient seen on the mobile. Only one person is permitted aboard the coach at a time to be mindful of social distancing and allow sufficient time to sanitize between each patient. Visitors are not able to board the mobile to wait on patients having their screening. These precautions are being taken to ensure a safe environment for all patients and staff. ***Self-pay cost is \$135; or bring your insurance information.*** It is important that you ***schedule an appointment at least 2 weeks in advance by calling 1-800-240-4477 or 614-293-4455.***

Pathfinders Sunday school class – **UPDATE :** The Pathfinders Sunday school class will now be meeting online from 8:30-9:30 a.m. via GoToMeeting (<https://www.gotomeet.me/JaredChase>) in order to accommodate travel time to the church for services. All are welcome to join the class!

Jubilee Sunday School Class – The Jubilee Sunday School Class/Hour will be resuming via Phone Meeting, this Sunday from 9-10 a.m. We will only be a phone call away. You may contact by Go To Meeting via computer or smartphone. Our class will be audio only; similar to old time radio; except you will be able to respond and join in the conversation! We will be using the quarterly and they may be picked up from the church on Friday AM., or call Vickie Yoder (614-598-3306) and she will deliver a copy to your home.

JUBILIEE SUNDAY SCHOOL HOUR

Please join my meeting from your computer, tablet or smartphone.

<https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/919414669>

You can also dial in using your phone.

(For supported devices, tap a one-touch number below to join instantly.)

United States: 1 (571) 317-3122

- One-touch: tel: 15713173122,,919414669#

Access Code: 919-414-669

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Camp Luz Announcement - Even though we were not able to host summer camp this year, we are still busy working on alternative plans. We are continuing to rent the pool by the hour to families and groups of 10 or less, as well as provide space for overnight family getaways. Camp Luz is hosting family camp July 26-29, and an opportunity to go fishing with Larry, our nature guy for Boys Camp. More information about any of these programs is available on our website: www.campluz.com.

Sunday Morning Worship – As we return to meeting in person at the church, we will continue recording services to upload to YouTube (<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC0ZMhB3Q1vSjtah1JgqfP5A>) so that those who may not feel comfortable attending in person will have the ability to worship with us on Sunday. We will continue to send a Worship Guide to the congregation via email on Friday afternoons prior to the service.

Church Office – Pastoral staff and the church administrative assistant will be available via phone for any needs that may arise. For those with a pastoral care concern outside of normal church hours, contact Pastor Jared or Pastor Walter. The office administrator will be available via phone and will be in the office on Fridays to handle administrative tasks that cannot be performed remotely.

MCC Centennial livestream coming up on July 26 - Join us (virtually) for an MCC Centennial Celebration on July 26. This year marks the 100th anniversary of MCC! It is not the centennial year we anticipated. Still, we invite you to join us (virtually) on Sunday, July 26, at 6:30 p.m. (EDT), as we offer thanks to God and pray for the future of MCC's ministry of relief, development and peace in the name of Christ. We'll be broadcasting live from Prairie Street Mennonite Church in Elkhart, site of an important first meeting in the formation of MCC when representatives of various Mennonite and Mennonite Brethren groups met in July 1920. We had hoped to worship together in person, but we're grateful for the livestream option that will enable more MCC supporters and partners to join us. The livestream will feature a combination of live and pre-recorded speakers and music. Please invite your friends and family by sharing the link: mcc.org/gl-centennial-livestream.

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Tuesday Bible Study – The Tuesday Bible study will now be studying the book of Ruth. All are welcome to join! Any questions, contact Vickie Yoder at 614-598-3306. Please note that there are special instructions for joining the Tuesday morning Bible Study. You may join the meeting from your computer, tablet or smartphone. The URL address to join is found at:

<https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/919446813>

You can also dial in using your phone.

(For supported devices, tap a one-touch number below to join instantly.):

United States: 1 (408) 650-3123

- One-touch: tel: 14086503123,,919446813#

Access Code: 919-446-813

If you are new to GoToMeeting, you may get the app now and be ready when your first meeting starts: <https://global.gotomeeting.com/install/919446813>

This only applies to the Tuesday morning Bible Study. All other meetings are found at <https://www.gotomeet.me/JaredChase>.

There is another way to give at this time! – Per treasurer Carolyn Kopec, you may take your offering check directly to the Richwood Bank drive through and ask that it be deposited in the Sharon Mennonite Operating Account. If you have PayPal, you may send funds to “sharonmenno@gmail.com” through your PayPal account. If you use online bill pay from your bank, you may request that a payment be sent to Sharon Mennonite Church in Plain City (please note that there are three Sharon Mennonite Churches in Ohio, so make sure you select the correct one). You can also send a check through the mail to the church.

Sharon Mennonite Church Council **and Ministry Team Leaders**

Finance and Facilities Council

Mark Bailey (Elder)
Gwen Troyer (At-large)
Cami Beachy (At-large)
Dave Montgomery (At-large)
Darryl Miller (Trustee)
Gary Hostetler (Trustee)
Dan Yoder (Trustee)
Carolyn Kopec (Treasurer)
Maria Lichtle (Treasurer)
Jared Chase (Pastor)
Walter Campbell (Associate Pastor)

Worship Team Leaders

Nikki Shoemaker (Lead)
Babs Graber (Assistant)

Missions Team Leaders

Rick Griest (Lead)
Sue Hostetler (Assistant)

Congregational Care Team Leaders

Bobbi Watkins (Lead)
Beth Whitmer (Assistant)

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Megan Colwell (Lead)
Johnathan Beachy (Assistant)

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Grace Sims (Assistant)