

August 30, 2020

Parables of Jesus

Talents

The Sharon Mennonite Worship Hour

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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

We are asking everyone over age 10 to please wear a mask at all times within the church building in accordance with the statewide mask order.

*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

Ken Sims

Bible Memory Verse

Matthew 25:21

“His master replied, ‘Well done, good and faithful servant! You have been faithful with a few things; I will put you in charge of many things. Come and share your master’s happiness!’”

Worship in Song

Dennis Graber

“Leaning On The Everlasting Arms”

“Standing On The Promises”

“10,000 Reasons (Bless The Lord)”

PRESENTING OUR GIFTS

Offertory

(General Fund)

“More Love To Thee/

You Are My All In All”

Dennis Graber

HEARING THE WORD

Scripture Reading

Message

Response

Talents

“Be Thou My Vision”

Matthew 25:14-30

Pastor Walter Campbell

Dennis Graber

SENDING FORTH

Benedictory Song

Announcements

Prayer Time

“The Lord Lift You Up”

Dennis Graber

TODAY

Today Love Offering for Ministry Intern, Kaylee Griest
Sunday, 8:30 a.m. Pathfinders Class (via GoToMeeting)
Sunday, 9:00 a.m. Jubilee Sunday School Hour via
<https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/919414669>
Sunday, 10:30 a.m. Sunday Morning Worship Hour (At Church and
via YouTube)

THIS WEEKS CALENDAR

Memory Verse for September 6 Luke 15:10

*'In the same way, I tell you, there is rejoicing in the presence of the angels of
God over one sinner who repents.'*

Monday, August 31- Pastor Jared - Vacation
Monday, September 7
Tuesday, 7:00 p.m. Scripture Based Bible Study (via
<https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/919446813>)
Wednesday, 7:00 p.m. Adult Connection (via GoToMeeting)

UPCOMING EVENTS

September 6, 8:30 a.m. Pathfinders Class (via GoToMeeting)
September 6, 9:00 a.m. Jubilee Sunday School Hour via
<https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/919414669>
September 6, 10:30 a.m. Sunday Morning Worship Hour
(Church and via YouTube)
September 8, 7:00 p.m. Scripture Based Bible Study (via
<https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/919446813>)
September 9, 7:00 p.m. Adult Connection (via GoToMeeting)
September 13, 8:30 a.m. Pathfinders Class (via GoToMeeting)
September 13, 9:00 a.m. Jubilee Sunday School Hour via
<https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/919414669>
September 13, 10:30 a.m. Sunday Morning Worship Hour
(Church and via YouTube)
September 15, 7:00 p.m. Scripture Based Bible Study (via
<https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/919446813>)
September 16, 7:00 p.m. Adult Connection (via GoToMeeting)
September 19, 9:00 a.m. Food Pantry Delivery

Next week: Pastor Walter will preach about the Parable of the Lost Coin. The offering will be for the General Fund.

Attendance	45
Last Sunday's YouTube Views	68
Last Sunday's Offering	\$4,905.00 (General Fund)



UPCOMING EVENTS

August 30, 6:00 p.m.

Ignite (At Church)

September 13, 6:00 p.m.

Ignite (At Church) **Corrected Date**

September 27, 6:00 p.m.

Ignite (At Church) **Corrected Date**

NOTICES

Ignite – Please note that the dates listed for Ignite in last week's bulletin were incorrect. Moving forward, Ignite will be held from 6:00-8:00 p.m. on the second and fourth week of the month.

DNA Local Mission Opportunity – DNA has subleased an apartment at North Avenue to use for transitional housing. They are hoping to have the apartment ready for a homeless couple expecting a baby, no later than the second week in September. DNA will be getting new flooring, hiring an exterminator, and seeking volunteers asap to clean, and to paint. They are also looking for someone with experience to remove a toilet and install a new one once flooring is laid.

All materials and directions will be given at the time of service. If you would like to volunteer in any of the above capacities or would like more information about this local mission opportunity, please contact Sue Hostetler at hostetsu@gmail.com or (614) 296-8319.

Bridal Shower for Connor and Olivia – An outdoor, open house style bridal shower will be held on Sunday, September 6 from 2:00-3:30 pm in the gazebo behind the church to celebrate Connor & Olivia. A socially distanced, drive-thru option will also be available. They are registered at Amazon and Home Depot.

Pastor Jared – Pastor Jared will be using the remainder of his vacation time and will be out of office from August 31-September 7. Please contact Pastor Walter with any pastoral concerns during his absence.

Tuesday Bible Study Change (Moving from Tuesday Morning to Tuesday Evening**)** – Don't miss out on studying the book of Daniel, on Tuesday evenings at 7 p.m. You will receive study notes via email or placed in your church mailboxes. This week will be a review of the history of Daniel and read Chapter one. Let Vickie Yoder know if you would like to join the group and she will make sure you get the study materials. Any questions, please call Vickie Yoder at 614-598-3306. See the next page for instructions on joining the study.

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Tuesday Bible Study – We are currently studying the book of Daniel. 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 evening 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 evening Bible Study. All other meetings are found at <https://www.gotomeet.me/JaredChase>.

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

Pathfinders Sunday school class – 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!

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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/UC0ZMhB3Q1vSjtah1JggfP5A>) 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.

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.

Women’s Silence and Solitude Retreat – In the face of COVID-19, Camp Luz has decided to offer a different type of Women’s Retreat this year in order to keep everyone safe and physically distanced. This 1-night retreat will utilize a silence and solitude based personal retreat format. Each woman will have her own room or cabin, be provided with a devotional (or use your own) to help focus your time, and have access to several prayer stations as well as the lake, trails, and grounds of the camp. They will have a suggested schedule and meals will be provided. Meals will be provided in a socially distanced setting. They hope you will consider joining them and that this might be a chance for deep spiritual growth. The retreat will take place September 11-12 and the cost is \$50.00. Register online at <https://www.campluz.com/womens-retreat.html> or by calling Emily at (330) 683-1246.

Ohio Mennonite Relief Sale - As was previously announced, the 2020 Ohio Mennonite Relief Sale will be an online auction rather than an in-person auction. The online auction will take place Sept. 26-Oct. 3 on the sale website: <https://www.ohiomccreliefsale.org>. Although the quilt and wood auctions will take place online, the Relief Sale Board is making plans for live auction-related events from Sept. 25 to Sept. 27. Events will include a socially distanced outdoor concert featuring Honeytown and Girl Named Tom, an auction preview, and a drive-through barbecue chicken dinner. Pie and ice cream also will be available. The 2020 Ohio Mennonite Relief Sale preview events will take place at the Sprunger Building, 4885 Kidron Road, Kidron, Ohio. For more details, please see the sale website: <https://www.ohiomccreliefsale.org>.

- **Pray for our leaders** – Pray for President Trump, Governor DeWine, and all local, national, and international leaders as they make difficult decisions during this time. Pray for clarity in decision making and that God leads them to make decisions that honor Him and protect those affected. Pray for a spirit of peace and cooperation as we all face this crisis.

Sharon Mennonite Church Council
and Ministry Team Leaders

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