

John 4:1-10, 15-17, 28-30, 39-41

4 Now Jesus learned that the Pharisees had heard that he was gaining and baptizing more disciples than John— 2 although in fact it was not Jesus who baptized, but his disciples. 3 So he left Judea and went back once more to Galilee.

4 Now he had to go through Samaria. 5 So he came to a town in Samaria called Sychar, near the plot of ground Jacob had given to his son Joseph. 6 Jacob's well was there, and Jesus, tired as he was from the journey, sat down by the well. It was about noon.

7 When a Samaritan woman came to draw water, Jesus said to her, "Will you give me a drink?" 8 (His disciples had gone into the town to buy food.)

9 The Samaritan woman said to him, "You are a Jew and I am a Samaritan woman. How can you ask me for a drink?" (For Jews do not associate with Samaritans.)

10 Jesus answered her, "If you knew the gift of God and who it is that asks you for a drink, you would have asked him and he would have given you living water."

15 The woman said to him, "Sir, give me this water so that I won't get thirsty and have to keep coming here to draw water."

16 He told her, "Go, call your husband and come back."

17 "I have no husband," she replied. Jesus said to her, "You are right when you say you have no husband.

28 Then, leaving her water jar, the woman went back to the town and said to the people, 29 "Come, see a man who told me everything I ever did. Could this be the Messiah?" 30 They came out of the town and made their way toward him.

39 Many of the Samaritans from that town believed in him because of the woman's testimony, "He told me everything I ever did." 40 So when the Samaritans came to him, they urged him to stay with them, and he stayed two days. 41 And because of his words many more became believers.



FIRST MENNONITE CHURCH

In Christ -
Making Disciples through
Loving Relationships.

Worship 10:00 a.m.

July 22, 2018

Gathering Music
Welcome & Announcements
*Call to Worship

We gather as many individuals,
yet we are one body.

We come from many places,
yet we come to one place.

We gather as God's many children,
yet we are one church.

***ALL: We are one body, in this place,
as God's church. Alleluia!***

*Songs of Praise
Bless the Lord (10,000 Reasons)
Wonderful Merciful Savior

*Invocation

Children's Story

Sharing and Prayer

Prayer Song

Just as I am, without one plea

Offering

Scripture

John 4:1-10, 15-17, 28-30, 39-41

Message

"Umbrellas, Broken Timing Belts and Today's Local Church"

*Closing Song

I saw a tree by the riverside

*Benediction

Laurel & Ethan Koerner
Deanne & Pastor Lee

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Grey Sgbk 69
Grey Sgbk 50
Deanne Duerksen
Julie Linnens
Pastor Lee
Laurel & Ethan
No. 516
Laurel & Ethan
Deanne Duerksen

Pastor Lee

Laurel & Ethan
Grey Sgbk 34
Pastor Lee

WELCOME TO ALL who are worshiping with us this morning!

GET READY FOR PEACE LAB VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL, where children will discover God's way of peace! Fun activities will help Bible stories come to life and lead children on an awesome adventure, equipping them to follow Jesus as compassionate peacemakers. Children ages 3 through grade 5 are welcome to this time of games, crafts, friends, and fun! Peace Lab will take place at First Mennonite Church from 5:30-8:15 p.m. on **July 29-August 1**.

If you are interested in helping make this the best VBS for the kiddos please email Amanda Abrahams (amanda.abrahams23@gmail.com) or signup on the white board. Thank you!

VBS MEALS: One ministry we are able to provide at VBS is feeding hungry kiddos. Please see the white board to sign up for ways to help. You can help prepare, serve, clean up food, or provide food. Of course, monetary donations are always helpful. Email Asia at asiafrye@hotmail.com with any questions. Please have all food donations delivered to the FMC kitchen by Sunday, July 29, at 3 p.m.

AUG. 12--"THANK YOU" CONCERT will be provided as a "volunteer appreciation" for all Summer Food 4 Kids volunteers, servers, table sitters, cookie bakers, cooks, financial donors, prayer supporters, etc. At **7:00 p.m.** *Hearts for Him* will provide a concert at Trinity Mennonite Church (211 Elm) which will be followed by an ice cream social. Come help us celebrate our fourth year of feeding kids. We couldn't do it without you!

AMONG OUR FRIENDS

We lift these friends in prayer:

Steve Dalton
Judy Harder
Dawn Abrahams

BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

Tuesday: Cooper Hefley

Friday: Bonnie Funk

Saturday: Alvena Bartel

CALENDAR

July 22	Picnic Church following Worship - FH
July 27-28	Western District Conference at Tabor, Eden, and Alexanderwohl locations
July 29-Aug. 1	VBS here at FMC
Aug. 2	7 p.m. Stewardship Committee Meeting
Aug. 3&4	Peppernut Baking
Aug. 7	7 p.m. Worship Committee Meeting
Aug. 8	7 p.m. Care Committee Meeting
Aug. 9	7 p.m. Ministries Council Meeting
Aug. 10&11	Peppernut Baking
Aug. 12	Picnic Church following Worship – FH

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