

John 14:15-31

¹⁵ “If you love me, you will keep my commandments. ¹⁶ And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you forever. ¹⁷ This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, because he abides with you, and he will be in you.

¹⁸ “I will not leave you orphaned; I am coming to you. ¹⁹ In a little while the world will no longer see me, but you will see me; because I live, you also will live. ²⁰ On that day you will know that I am in my Father, and you in me, and I in you. ²¹ They who have my commandments and keep them are those who love me; and those who love me will be loved by my Father, and I will love them and reveal myself to them.” ²² Judas (not Iscariot) said to him, “Lord, how is it that you will reveal yourself to us, and not to the world?” ²³ Jesus answered him, “Those who love me will keep my word, and my Father will love them, and we will come to them and make our home with them. ²⁴ Whoever does not love me does not keep my words; and the word that you hear is not mine, but is from the Father who sent me.

²⁵ “I have said these things to you while I am still with you. ²⁶ But the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything, and remind you of all that I have said to you. ²⁷ Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid. ²⁸ You heard me say to you, ‘I am going away, and I am coming to you.’ If you loved me, you would rejoice that I am going to the Father, because the Father is greater than I. ²⁹ And now I have told you this before it occurs, so that when it does occur, you may believe. ³⁰ I will no longer talk much with you, for the ruler of this world is coming. He has no power over me; ³¹ but I do as the Father has commanded me, so that the world may know that I love the Father. Rise, let us be on our way.



FIRST MENNONITE CHURCH

In Christ -
Making Disciples through
Loving Relationships.

Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Worship 10:30 a.m.

Trinity Sunday – June 7, 2020

GATHERING

Gathering Music		Shirley Baltzer
Welcome, Announcements		Holly Swartzendruber
Prelude to Worship		Shirley Baltzer
*Call to Worship	Proverbs 8	Holly, Jan, Tom, Doug
*Prayer	Veni Sancte Spiritus	No. 298
*Hymn of Pentecost	Away with our fears	No. 292
Children's Story		Frog and Toad

SHARING

Sharing and Prayer		Pastor Tom
Hymn	Holy, holy, holy	No. 120

LISTENING

Scripture		John 14:15-31
Message	The Gospel of John, Part 16: Why the Trinity?	

RESPONDING

*Hymn	God the Spirit, Guide, and Guardian	Insert
Benediction	Trinity Song	S. McCracken
	Holly, Jan, Tom, and Doug	

A WARM WELCOME TO ALL who are gathered to worship, wherever you are, and whenever you are able to watch this service!

CAMP MENNOSCAH:

This summer, Camp Mennoscah is committed to sharing the camp community and God's love with you through videos, a Camp in a Box, and/or activities posted online. We hope you will connect with Camp Mennoscah in these ways! The videos and activities posted online will be free. A Camp in a Box will contain a camp tee shirt, crafts, activities, devotions, and nature fun. A box will cost \$40; a tee shirt alone will be the usual prices of \$11/\$16. Boxes and tee shirts are available to anyone of any age! To order a Camp in a Box or a tee shirt, contact Camp Mennoscah at 620-297-3290.

EVERENCE:

Everence will host a *Social Security and retirement income planning* webinar, on Tuesday, June 16 at 6:30 p.m. Attendees will learn about Social Security strategies, risks that can impact retirement savings and strategies to help income last throughout retirement. The workshop is free. Register soon by contacting Darlene Buller at 316-283-3800, 877-467-7294 or darlene.buller@everence.com.

MCC:

Please join **MCC on June 16 at 1 p.m. for a webinar: MCC's migration work in Mexico, Honduras and Guatemala/El Salvador** to discuss questions such as: How are MCC workers and partners in Latin America being affected by COVID-19? How are U.S. policies and protocols affecting the spread of the virus among the vulnerable population? How are organizations and faith communities responding? And how can each of us get involved and support their work during this time? Learn how to join this conversation at mcc.org/immigration-webinar-series.

You're invited to join **MCC on June 17th at 6 p.m. for a webinar featuring Paul Shetler Fast, MCC's global health coordinator**. Learn how COVID-19 is threatening the developing world and how MCC is responding. MCC's monthly webinar series, featuring a wide variety of stories from MCC projects from around the world, explores how MCC is responding to COVID-19. Experts in the field will give us a behind-the-scenes experience, sharing their own stories. Come with your questions! Register for upcoming webinars and browse through past recordings at mcccanada.ca/mcc-webinar-series.