ANNOUNCEMENTS and BIRTHDAYS

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK: Bev Birkey Potts, Emily King, Barb Shenk, Andrea Welty Peachey (TODAY), Eliza Crosby (MON), Laura Brenneman & Sheryl Dyck (TUE), Chris Lubienski & Thom Moore (THURS) Kaye Massanari (SAT)

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TODAY during fellowship hour – Please look through the lost and found items on the table near lift. Unclaimed items will be donated to area charities later this month.

TODAY – Start of summer Sunday school quarter, which runs June & July. Read the insert for information on the new Adult Sunday school classes.

TODAY from 1-4 pm – You are invited to attend an open house for high school graduate Anthony Schreiber at his home (803 W. University, Champaign).

TODAY at 4 pm, FMC – Come for a discussion of one of two books on racism and the church: *Trouble I've Seen* by Drew Hart and *The Cross and the Lynching Tree* by James Cone.

Saturday, June 10 at Bethel AME (410 E Park, C) - Garage sale to benefit First Followers. Items for the sale are appreciated and can be dropped off at Bethel AME church between 1-5pm on Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday. Contact Angela Williams at 217-778-6258 if you have any questions about garage sale donations.

Next Sunday, June 11 from 3 – 4 pm - Habitat dedications at both Urbana homes: LaKendra O'Bannon (1203 Beslin) and Nicole Blackwell-Parker (1212 Hill). All Interfaith groups participating in the project are encouraged to attend a short ceremony & house blessing at each home beginning at 3:00pm at 1203 W Beslin. Refreshments available from Kona Ice following both dedications

Sunday, June 11, 8 pm at Central Illinois Mosque and Islamic Center (CIMIC) - Interfaith fast-breaking (iftar) dinner. You are invited to sign-up to attend the dinner at the link provided in Tuesday's prayer/announcement email. Space is limited to 25. Additional guests can choose one of the other dinner dates (8 pm on June 12th, 20th, or 21). Please RSVP no later than Monday, June 5th. CIMIC will contact guests via email on or before Wednesday, June 7th to confirm the date of the dinner they are attending. Guests from Sinai Temple and other local faith communities will also be attending. (Note: This Iftar is hosted by CIMIC; it is different than the Iftar hosted by the Muslim American Society on June 8th).

Monday, June 19, 1-5 pm, home of Kathy and Tom Anderson (2206 Brownfield Rd, Urbana) – Retiree Game Day, with the possibility of some outdoor games if weather permits. Due to popular demand, we will hold Retiree Game Days every month this summer!

Sunday, June 25 at Noon, Hessel Park - Fathers Not Forgot Picnic. Join us a week after the official holiday to celebrate fathers. Bring a dish to share, your table service, lawn chairs, and games. As is our policy, please bring only nut-free foods.

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Celebration & Worship

June 4, 2017



GATHERING

Centering chimes

Lighting of solidarity lamp - The lamp symbolizes our Sister Church relationship with El Divino Redentor. **Prelude**

*Hymnal #29

"Like the murmur of the dove's song"

Welcome & prayer Call to worship

Leader: The Day of Pentecost is here:

People: when the flames of faith dance in our hearts.

Leader: The Day of Pentecost is here:

People: when our babbling speech becomes the Good News for the world.

Leader: The Day of Pentecost is here:

People: when compassion is seared into our souls.

Leader: The Day of Pentecost is here:

ALL: let the people of God rejoice. Alleluia!

*Passing the peace

PRAISING & PROCLAIMING

*Hymnal #55 "Cantemos al Señor"

*Purple songbook #104 "Come, O Spirit, come"

Children's story and offering (please pass the welcome pads)

Scripture:

Genesis 11:1-11 (page 8) **Acts 2:1-21** (page 994)

Sermon

Pentecostal potatoes

RESPONDING

*Green songbook #18

"Praise with joy the world's Creator"

Offering (prayer cards collected)

Offertory

Word of witness

Potawatomi Trail of Death pilgrims

Sharing and prayers of the people Litany of remembrance (insert)

SENDING

Introduction of guests

Work of the church (please come to the front if you have an announcement)

*Purple songbook #40

"Som'landela (We will follow)"

*Benediction

Thanks to our worship and welcome teams

Worship leader – Sheryl Dyck
Song leader – Rafael Luquis
Pianist – Pam Peña Martin
Children's story – Tammie Bouseman
Scripture reader – David Horst Lehman
Sermon, sharing & prayer – Pastor Michael
Word of witness – Potawatomi Trail of Death pilgrims
Visuals – Lynne Sancken
Greeters – Sam Cox, Mary Krick, Phil Martens
Sound system – Emerson Nafziger
Worship nursery – Rebecca Bare & Beth Rempe
Stewards – Bob King & Bruce Miller
Refreshments – Dianna Black & Trish Combs

Next Sunday at First Mennonite: June 11

Worship leader – Keith Springer
Music – Worship Band
Children's story – Marcia Nelson
Scripture reader – Rebecca Bare
Sermon, sharing & prayer – Pastor Debra
Visuals – Worship Committee/Kajsa Herrstrom
Greeters – Mary Krick, Phil Martens, Cynthia Nafziger
Sound system – Randy Nelson
Worship nursery – Sheryl Nisly-Nagele & Tom Sutter
Stewards – Bob King & Bruce Miller
Refreshments – Barb Shenk & Rhonda Gibson

Welcome, Guests

It is a joy to welcome you into our midst! We pray that God meets you as we worship together this morning and that our church family helps you feel at home. Join us down-stairs for refreshments after the service so that we can get to know you.

Hearing assisted devices are available from the greeters. T-coil enabled and standard over-ear devices are available.

Childcare for children birth through preschool is available downstairs during worship and the education hour.

Our current children's offering benefits Sola Gratia Farm, a local community-based farm in Urbana.

Join us after the service for...

FELLOWSHIP HOUR - 10:45

You are welcome to stay for refreshments and conversation downstairs after the service. A snack is available for children.

CLASSES FOR ALL AGES – 11:15 AM

All are welcome to attend any Sunday.

Quarterly Adult Classes (June & July)
Journeys in volunteering – sanctuary
Mennonites 101 – library

New Classes

Ongoing Adult Discussion Groups (year-round)
Coffee and Conversation – Room 5 (downstairs)
Knit and Nurture – Nursery (downstairs)
Young Adults – Room 13 (downstairs)

Children & Youth Classes (downstairs)

Pre-K (ages 2-6 yrs) – Room 6 **Junior High** – Room 3 **Grade K-5** – Room 10/11 **High School** - Room 7

(Nursery care provided for children birth through preschool)

Did you know? FMC maintains resources for worship leaders and children's storytellers. Check out the worship shelf in the FMC library or see Pastor Michael for children's story resources kept in his office.

THIS WEEK at FMC

SUN 9:15 AM Worship (Pentecost)
10:45 AM Refreshments & fellowship
11:15 AM Sunday school for all ages
(new classes begin)
4:00 PM FMC reads book discussions

MON 8:00 PM FMC softball vs. Vineyard Red
at Dodds (field #5)

THU 6:45 AM Early morning Bible study
Pastor Michael on vacation
(June 8-11)

UPCOMING

SUN 11	9:15 A 10:45 A 11:15 A 3:00 P	AM AM	Worship Refreshments & fellowship Sunday school for all ages Dedication of Habitat homes
			July Vine articles due to: fmcvine@gmail.com
MON 12	6:15 P	PM	FMC softball vs. Vineyard Navy at Dodds (field #5)
TUE 13	6:30 P	PM	Taizé service of prayer & song
THU 15	6:45 A 7:00 P		Early morning Bible study Ten Thousand Villages Board mtg.

^{*}Stand if you are able