

Summit Mennonite Church

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Marilyn Rossiter, Pastor

Sunday School: 9:30 am

Stan King and Mary Schwartz, Caring Team

Worship: 10:30 am

Welcome to all visitors! May you feel at ease with us and sense the presence of God.

***Childcare** during worship is available for infants and toddlers (ages three and under) in the nursery through the back doors of the sanctuary*

We follow Christ, offering healing and hope as we serve our neighbors in need

Focus: Remembrance of all the saints in our lives, deceased and living

November 1, 2015

All Saints' Day Service

GATHERING TO WORSHIP

Gathering Music : Deep River

Tim Larson and Julia Beyeler

Lighting the Peace Lamp

LaVerne Yousey

Call to Worship

I looked over Jordan, that river we all will eventually cross...

O Lord, what a vision.

I could see the saints singing and dancing.

I saw grandpa fishing in the Crystal Sea,

I heard grandma humming in the kitchen...

O Lord, what a vision.

There were countless others, all faithful disciples, gathered
worshiping...

That old man who sang solos in church,

That young woman whose life was cut short in that accident..

O Lord what a vision.

But the most amazing thing I saw as I looked over Jordan...

Yes? Yes?

Was the man standing in Zion, smiling, and saying

"Welcome home."

SINGING :

HWB#14 Come, We that love the Lord

615 Shall We Gather at the River

CONFESSION OF SIN AND WORDS OF ASSURANCE

PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

WELCOME -GUESTS

HEARING THE WORD

Children's time

Paula Gill

SS# 121 Nothing is lost on the breathe of God

Scripture: I Kings 19: 11-13; John 11: 32-44

Meditation I Will Come to you in the silence

RESPONDING

SS 49 – I will come to you in the silence

Lighting of Candles

Mixed Ensemble: These Things Shall Never Die by Lee Dengler

Sharing joys and concerns

Offering

Doxology

Pastoral Prayer

SENDING

Sending Song: WB# 636 For All the Saints

Sending Blessing

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### THIS MORNING

Worship Leader: LaVerne Yousey

Gathering Music: Tim Larson and Julia Beyeler,

Piano: Dora Short, Marilyn Rossiter

Song Leader: Julia Beyeler

Greeters: Tammy Barnhart and Mary Schwartz

Worship Planners: LaVerne Yousey

Nursery: Hazel Boyle & Leah Kamp

### LAST WEEK

Attendance: 28

General Offering: \$2,221

### NEXT WEEK

Mon, Nov 2, 7pm: Church Council meets

November 8: Congregational Potluck and 2016 Discernment

### COMING EVENTS

November 15: Missions Sunday

November 22: Thanksgiving Meal and Worship in Song

Membership Sunday: November 29

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pastor Marilyn's hours will be Monday afternoon/evening and Thursday morning.

Sign up for meals and/or visits to Roberta, recovering from knee surgery or for Mona and Jack in caring for Thea Rue in their home.

Margaret Palisin, BACM director, has donated a box of craft supplies. If you are in need of them as a SS teacher, check them out in our copy room. Thank Margaret, when she will be here in person on Sunday, November 15<sup>th</sup>.

Please pray about how you could serve at Summit in the next year. Next Sunday will be our Gifts' Discernment Meeting after a potluck meal. This is not a long, drawn-out meeting, especially if people come prepared to volunteer for open positions in the next year. Gifts Discernment sheets were in church boxes last week. If you need one, ask LaVerne. What would give you joy in serving at Summit? There are four main categories of serving, Hospitality (food, visiting, hosting), Worship and Nurture (ushering, worship planning, offering to read scriptures or participating in music, art , poetry or drama), Stewardship and Finance (Green Team, inside and outside maintenance, conference delegates, outreach, broader church connections) or Caring Team.

Free informational seminars about Medicare and Social Security will be offered at the Everence office, 1221 W. Maple St., Hartville on Monday, November 9. The Medicare seminar, begins at 5:30 p.m., and will include what Medicare covers, available plans, and enrollment deadlines. The Social Security seminar, begins at 7 p.m., and will cover how benefits are calculated and the best time to start collecting them. RSVP 330-877-6066 or sheila.troyer@everence.com

A fund raiser event at Dayspring Mennonite Church is being planned by Hannah and a friend from Dayspring. This will be a vendor event on Dec 6, from 2 – 5pm; the cost for a table is \$10 and goes directly to the support of Sean and Hannah Miller, who are serving at an orphanage in Bolivia. If you would like to have a table at the event to sell your craft items, please see Hannah. Or go to the event and do some Christmas shopping. Hannah will have her Trades of Hope items displayed there.

**BACM:** Bring **canned fruit** for the month of **November** and drop into the box by our white giving tree. You may bring other food or grocery supplies also. It would be helpful to get into the habit of buying a few extra items when you do your grocery shopping.