



Mantua Center Christian Church

Open Minds, Open Hearts, Open Arms

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MCCC Outdoor Worship Order

Sunday, June 27, 2021

Fruits of the Spirit - Kindness

This worship service is being live streamed. If the weather is cooperating you are welcome to sit on the lawn. Please know that if you have any concern about you or your child being live on YouTube, please stay behind the camera tripod. You may also sit in your car and tune your radio to 105.5 FM.

Bathrooms are open. Please go to the far north side entrance of the building and use the bathroom in the nursery. One person in the building at a time and please sanitize on your way out.

GATHERING MUSIC

"Tell Me The Old, Old Story"

Jan Green

Arr. by Steven Scott [tune: Evangel by William H. Doane] ' Song

WELCOME

Pastor Sarah Smith

OPENING SCRIPTURE

Micah 6:6-8

Steve Hurd

***RESPONSE**

"Weave"

Pam Auble & Beth Schabel

*Weave, weave, weave us together;
Weave us together in unity and love.
Weave, weave, weave us together,
Weave us together, together in love*

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

ONE: What does the Lord require of you?

ALL: To do justice, and to love kindness, and to walk humbly with our God.

ONE: What does God command of us?

ALL: To love God with all our heart, and all our soul, and all our mind, and all our strength, and to love our neighbor as ourselves.

ONE: Let us worship the God who believes in us, and trusts in us, and abides with us.

ALL: Let us worship the One who asks of us and will be beside us every step of the way.



~ written by Eliza Buchakjian-Tweedy

***SONG OF PRAISE**

“He Leadeth Me”

1 He leadeth me: O blessed thought!
O words with heavenly comfort fraught!
Whate'er I do, where'er I be,
still 'tis God's hand that leadeth me.

Refrain:

**He leadeth me, he leadeth me,
by his own hand he leadeth me;
his faithful follower I would be,
for by his hand he leadeth me.**

2 Lord, I would place my hand in thine,
nor ever murmur nor repine;
content, whatever lot I see,
since 'tis thy hand that leadeth me. [Refrain]

3 And when my task on earth is done,
when by thy grace the victory's won,
e'en death's cold wave I will not flee,
since God thro' Jordan leadeth me. [Refrain]

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Ally Bozeka

PASTORAL PRAYER

Pastor Sarah Smith

SCRIPTURE READING

Titus 3:1-8

SERMON

Radical Kindness

Pastor Sarah Smith



COMMUNION

MaryEllen Hamlin

Communion Hymn **“Let us Break Bread Together”**

1 Let us break bread together on our knees; (on our knees)
let us break bread together on our knees. (on our knees)

Refrain:

**When I fall on my knees,
with my face to the rising sun,
O Lord, have mercy on me. (on me)**

2 Let us drink wine together on our knees; (on our knees)
let us drink wine together on our knees. (on our knees) **[Refrain]**

3 Let us praise God together on our knees; (on our knees)
let us praise God together on our knees. (on our knees) **[Refrain]**

Prayer & Lord’s Prayer
Words of Institution
Distribution

MaryEllen Hamlin
Pastor Sarah Smith

*CLOSING HYMN

“Love Divine, All Loves Excelling”

1 Love divine, all loves excelling,
joy of heaven, to earth come down,
fix in us thy humble dwelling,
all thy faithful mercies crown;
Jesus, thou art all compassion,
pure, unbounded love thou art;
visit us with thy salvation,
enter every trembling heart.

2 Breathe, O breathe thy loving Spirit
into every troubled breast;
let us all in thee inherit,
let us find the promised rest;
take away the love of sinning,
alpha and omega be;
end of faith, as its beginning,
set our hearts at liberty.

3 Finish then thy new creation,
pure and spotless let us be;
let us see thy great salvation
perfectly restored in thee;
changed from glory into glory,
till in heaven we take our place,
till we cast our crowns before thee,
lost in wonder, love, and praise.

*BENEDICTION

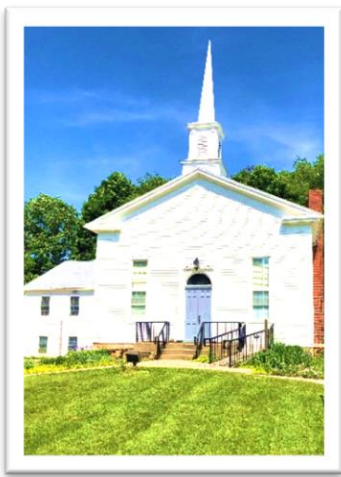
Katie Baird

DEPARTING MUSIC

“Lead On, O King Eternal”

Jan Green

arr. by Robert W. Thygerson [based on Lancanshire by Henry T. Smith]’ Song



Future events at MCCC and our community!

Pastor Chad will be back in the pulpit for worship inside the church on July 4th! Should you need pastoral assistance, please contact Pastor Sarah Smith [@sms.smith.2016@gmail.com](mailto:sms.smith.2016@gmail.com) or our Elder Co-Chairs, Liz Meeker (lmeeker86@gmail.com) or Katie Baird (kbaird2@kent.edu).

Sunday, June 27th is our food collection for the 4C's! Items needed for June are: **Tuna Helper, Canned Baked Beans and Canned Pasta.** You can place items in the bins by the lower level entrance of the church. **NO DONATION IS TOO SMALL!!**

- **Volunteers are needed at the 4C's!** The 4C's drive-thru distribution hours are Mondays from 4-6pm, and Wednesdays & Fridays from 1-3pm. **Call 330-274-3310 if you can help!** Monetary donations may be sent to: The 4C's, P.O. Box 227, Mantua, Oh 44255.
- Don't forget our **MCCC Zoom Board Meeting is Sunday, June 27th from 12-1pm.** As always, ANYONE/EVERYONE is welcome to attend!
- Don't forget to mark your calendars for **July 4th when we will offer the option to gather together inside the church for worship!** We will still provide YouTube Live for those who do not feel comfortable worshipping inside. Please stay tuned for other updates/possible options as we get closer to July 4th!

Also, if you haven't filled out the **recent survey that Pastor Chad sent out**, please take a moment to do so. There are just a few questions regarding your comfort level and safety desires if you are considering attending inside worship. Please remember that this survey is completely anonymous.

- **Friday, July 16th will mark the return of "Skips Music Jam" from 6-8pm**, in the Fellowship Hall. Feel free to bring your fiddles, guitars, banjos, mandolins, flutes, dulcimers, etc., and join in the fun! Any questions? Contact Skip Schweitzer at 330-562-9801.

Community Events

- **Mantua's Art on the Hill & Wine Tasting Too!** is back from its Covid Hiatus! Mark your calendar for **July 10th, from 10am-6pm.** This event is located on E. Prospect St. in Mantua Village and is sponsored by the Downtown Mantua Revitalization Corporation (DMRC). They are again hosting their annual photo contest. For more information check out www.revitalizemantua.org.
- **St. Joseph's Ox Roast Fair is July 16-18!** So many exciting events are back on schedule and the Ox Roast Fair is another big event that draws crowds from all around the area & beyond! Mark your calendars so you don't miss this annual event!
- **The Mantua Historical Society Flea Market** will be held **Saturday, July 17th on the Mantua Center Green from 9:30am – 1:30pm.** (Located at Rt. 82 and Mantua Center Rd.) **The Smile Team** will also hold a **Bake Sale** fund raiser to help fund their church and community efforts through the end of this year. Hope you can stop by and support both these missions! ***Check out the items for sale and purchase some baked goods for dessert at home!***

*If you have any announcements or events for the bulletin, please contact
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