

Welcome to Hively Avenue Mennonite Church

For guests and attenders

- There is an opportunity for introductions of guests early in the worship service.
- Please sign the attendance registry during the offering time.
- Large print hymnals and bulletins and hearing devices are available.
- Ask an usher for assistance.

Fellowship time and Christian education

- Coffee and goodies are available from the kitchen window following the worship service.
- Christian education classes for all ages begin at 11:00 am
- Children meet in the educational wing of the church.

Caring for the children

- During the worship service, experienced staff provide care for children ages four years and younger in the lower level of the educational wing.
- During the children's time in the service, children are encouraged to come to the front of the sanctuary.
- Snacks are provided for children in the educational wing between the worship service and Christian education.

Our Vision: Because we worship and serve as disciples of Jesus Christ, we walk with our neighbors to build a diverse community that embodies God's hospitality, reconciliation, healing and hope.

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Hively Avenue Mennonite Church

Our Mission: To know and make known God's love as we follow Jesus into the world.

June 16, 2019



www.hivelymennonite.org
800 E Hively Avenue
Elkhart, IN 46517

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Worship: 9:30 am
Christian Education: 11 am

GATHERING

Prelude Karen Cender
Welcome, announcements and introductions
Call to worship HWB 669
*Hymns *Come, let us all unite to sing* HWB 12
Jesu tawa pano SJ 6
Lighting the Peace Candle Lane Miller
God of Peace, Christ of Peace, Spirit of Peace, you are calling us to be peacemakers. Today we light this candle as a reminder of our calling. Dios de paz. Cristo de paz. Espíritu de paz. Tú nos llamas para ser pacificadores. Hoy encendemos esta candela para recordarnos de este llamado.

CONFESSION

Confession HWB 696
Affirmation SJ 133
Hymn *Spirit, working in creation* SJ 10

LISTENING

Children's time Beth Suderman
Scripture Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31; John 16:12-15
Terry and Cheryl Zehr, Hillary Harder
Sermon **The beauty in Trinity** Jake Hess

RESPONDING

*Hymn *Holy, holy, holy* HWB 120
Responding in testimony and sharing Jake Hess
What spoke to you this morning? What joys and concerns would you share? (Please be brief and focused.)
Prayer
Offering
(Please sign the attendance register at the end of the row)

SENDING

*Hymn *New earth, heavens new* HWB 299
*Benediction
*Postlude
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*Please stand if you are able for items marked with an asterisk.

Children in grades K through 5 are invited to the playground at the back of the sanctuary for quiet activities after the children's time.

Please return your hymnal(s) to a cart in the hallway.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

My Coins Count: Thank you. We are off to a good start on My Coins Count. Last Sunday's collection was \$120.11. Can we fill the pitcher on the June 30 when we have our next collection? Do we have someone who is willing to match the \$120.00?

Pentecost-Jubilee fund: In last Sunday's sermon, Tim encouraged us to contribute toward a Pentecost-Jubilee fund so that we have ways to help people in the community who have needs. Last Sunday's offering brought in a little more than \$100 and pledges of more than \$1,000. More information about this fund, how you can contribute and how the money will be managed will come in the July newsletter.

Invitation: Please come and help Carol Troyer celebrate her 70th birthday on Sunday, June 30, from 2-4 pm. Come to Greene Road Church, 518 Greene Road in Goshen.

Blog for the SSTT program in Guatemala:
www.goshen.edu/sstt/current-blog/.

Central District Conference's Annual Meeting is at Milwaukee (Wisc.) Mennonite Church this week, Thursday through Saturday, June 20-22. Hively's delegates are Walter Sawatsky, Margaret Sawatsky, Leroy Saner and Tyler Klassen. Walter, Margaret and Leroy and Winifred Saner are combining this travel with trips to Winnipeg, Man. Please pray for safe travel and for a fruitful and meaningful gathering of people from the churches in CDC.

Christian Education

Adults will reflect on the sermon and worship. Tyler Klassen will lead the discussion.

Youth and children will meet in their classes as usual.

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Assisting in our worship today

Worship leader	Hillary Harder
Pianist	Karen Cender
Song leader	SaeJin Lee
Worship visuals	Annie Mohr
Ushers	Virgil Claassen, Margaret Sawatsky Mark Claassen, Rachelle Claassen
Childcare	Annie Mohr, William Odhiambo
Sound system	Marlyn Fast

Snacks Elaine Frey

Hosts Elya and Jake Hess

Birthdays this week

Clara Grubert (16)
Terry Zehr (18)
William Odhiambo (19)
Verna Kaufman (20)

Next Sunday Peace Muhagachi, preacher
Gay Kauffman, worship leader

Attendance, June 9 74, including 1 guest

Calendar for the week

Thurs, June 20, 6 pm	Rios de Agua Viva
Sat, June 22, 7-9 am	Rios de Agua Viva

Upcoming calendar items

Spaghetti and Scripture, June 23
Prayer Choir: Cancelled for June 26

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We recognize that the land where we worship belongs to God, as does all of creation. We also acknowledge that Miami and Potawatomi peoples lived here before settlers of European descent claimed ownership of it and displaced those for whom this land was home. As we pursue our goals to dismantle racism and attend to growing diversity, we lament this injustice in our history and commit ourselves to just and respectful relationships within our congregation and our neighborhood.