

Order of Service

Welcome / Announcements – Faith Bell
Call to Worship – Faith Bell
Praise & Worship – Michael Hayes
Offering – Faith Bell
Message – Bill Case
Closing – Faith Bell

(Children are welcome to get clipboards/pencils/paper when the sermon begins. Materials are located in the lobby next to the church office in the mailboxes.)

After Service:

Children are invited to Sunday School downstairs. Youth are invited to Youth Group. Adults are invited to Sermon Discussion.

Financial Focus

	Offering	Attendance
December 10, 2017:	\$965.00	22
December Average:	\$752.50	22
2017 Average:	\$811.51	23

Lutheran Social Service Financial Counseling (in partnership with Everance) offers confidential, non-judgmental financial counseling to anyone in the community who faces serious financial struggle, or would like to know how to handle financial issues. With a Debt Management Program, you make one payment monthly to LSS, which is dispersed to creditors. With a DMP, most creditors stop charging late fees and reduce interest rates to allow debts to be paid faster. Gain the satisfaction that your debts are paid in full and reduce your stress with this plan and a goal. Call (877) 809-0039 for more information. For Spanish language counselors, call (800) 388-2227.

Fairhaven Announcements

- Fairhaven is holding a Mitten Drive to benefit the children at Fairfield Elementary School. There will be a place to donate mitten and gloves in the church basement.
- December 24 will be a Christmas Eve Sunday Service. There will be a brunch meal after service. There is a signup sheet for items to bring.

Conference/Community Announcements

- From **Mennonite Disaster Service**: Remember in prayer those who have been affected by disasters as they enter the Christmas season. Pray for safe travels as volunteers return home from projects during this holiday break.
- From **Mennonite Church USA**: Take some time to engage with Menno Snapshots, reflections and stories written by people across the church that are regularly posted on MC USA's website. Recent blog posts have featured topics including contemplative prayer, reviving civility, new motherhood and digitizing the MC USA Archives. If you are interested in contributing to the Menno Snapshot blog, email: jenniferc@mennoniteusa.org. Find Menno Snapshots at: <http://mennoniteusa.org/category/menno-snapshots/>



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Building a diverse community of Jesus followers
through caring relationships.

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