

Order of Service

Welcome / Announcements – Christine Bailey
Call to Worship – Christine Bailey
Praise & Worship – Anola Roach
Offering – Christine Bailey
Message – Les Gustafson-Zook
Closing – Christine Bailey

(Children are welcome to get clipboards/pencils/paper when the sermon begins. Materials are 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 |
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| February 17, 2019: | \$865.00 | 23 |
| February Average: | \$899.33 | 28 |
| 2019 Average: | \$692.14 | 25 |

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Fairhaven Announcements

- For the 40 days of Lent starting March 6 we are inviting members of the Fairhaven community to commit to a spiritual disciple. Review the insert in your bulletin and resources near the entrance for more information.
- Starting Sunday, March 3rd, we will have a 9am Bible study. The study series will often last 6-8 weeks. There will be a limit of 8 people in each series, so space will be limited. The first study is called Guardrails by Andy Stanley. If you have any questions or want to sign up, please see Matt Cummins.
- Everence will hold an informative webinar on Social Security and retirement income planning. The presentation will be on Tuesday, February 26 at 2pm and 8pm. Specifics will include the best time to start taking Social Security, how benefits are calculated, spousal benefits, converting your retirement *savings* into retirement *income*, and strategies to help your income last throughout retirement. To register, visit www.everence.com/retirement or contact Valerie Diaz at (800) 222-5054 ext. 3349 or valerie.diaz@everence.com.

Les Gustafson-Zook is a storyteller, musician, long time Mennonite Central Committee worker, and bike mechanic. His experiences have taken he and his wife, Gwen, around the country with MCC to start the DOOR program in Denver, CO, the PLOW program in Portland, work in Atlanta and Jamaica, and now to represent MCC to churches in Indiana, Michigan, and NW Ohio. Les frequently visits congregations in his role as Constituent Relations and the North American Mennonite Relief Sale Coordinator.

Sermon Notes

The Greatest Commandment

Matthew 22:34-40



February 24, 2019

Building a diverse community of Jesus followers
through caring relationships.

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