## Offering Reports 1/2 through 2/20

#### January Offerings:

1/2 General Fund \$2,510, Dues \$600, TV Min. \$2300.50

1/9 General Fund \$1,575, Dues \$560, TV Min. \$1,025

1/16 General Fund \$782, Dues \$1,880, TV Min. \$100

1/23 General Fund \$2,652, Dues \$1,140, TV Min. \$750

1/30 General Fund \$\$210, Dues \$890

#### February Offerings:

2/6 General Fund \$2,899, Dues \$625, TV Min. \$533
2/13 General Fund \$380, Dues \$570, TV Min. \$580
2/20 General Fund \$2,277, Dues \$325, TV Min. \$200

#### Bethany Mennonite Church

509 S. Juniper Street, PO Box 396, Freeman, SD 57029 Making Disciples: Worship/Celebration; Caring/Sharing; Learning/Serving Worship—9:00AM

Food Pantry—OPEN 1st – 3rd FRIDAYS from 1:00PM to 5:00PM Broadcast on cable television channel 90 at 9:00AM & UTV (Freeman Cable channel 10) at 4:00PM

Special Event programming published in church bulletin, Freeman Courier E-mail address—bethanym@gwtc.net

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# BETHANY MENNONITE CHURCH March 20, 2022

Prelude Donna Preheim

• Call To Worship

One: As we are called into worship today, it is sobering to remember that when God appeared on earth in the person of Jesus, most of the world did not recognize Him, and therefore, did not worship Him. Today we ask for faith that will open our eyes to see Jesus for who He is, that we might worship Him in truth. People of God, behold and see Your God!

All: We open our eyes to see His glory.
We open our ears to hear His wisdom.
We open our hands to offer Him gifts.
We open our mouths to sing His praise.
We open our hearts to offer Him our love.
He is Lord!

•Hymn of Praise

"Praise the Lord Who Reigns Above

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Invocation

Morning Greeting

Announcements and Prayer Requests

Time of Prayer

Morning Offering for the General Fund

Hymn of Thanksgiving

"O, How I Love Jesus"

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Scripture Reading – Daniel 5: 1-31

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Weighed and Found Wanting

•Hymn of Response

"He's Got the Whole World In His Hands"

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Benediction

•Closing "Blest Be the Tie That Binds"

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Postlude

Donna Preheim

## LEARNING/SERVING—THIS WEEK

**Today** 9:00am Worship

10:00am Fellowship Time

10:30am Sunday School

Next Sunday 9:00am Worship

10:00am Fellowship Time10:30am Sunday School

#### **Prayer List**

Marlene Herman; Anna Mae Zimmerman; Hannah Smith & Khaos; Terry Prunty

## **Family Matters**

Lynell & Pauline Hofer; John Stark; Dale Stark

Next Week's offering will be for Stefan & Naomi Becker Support

# **Food Pantry Volunteers**

Friday, March 25: Closed

Friday, April 1: Dennis E, Laverne D, & Liza L

#### A Note From SD MCC

In spite of COVID, we did great in 2021 – let's do it again in 2022! The 2021 SD MCC Relief Sale netted \$38,862.10 the day of the event. It was interesting to note that My Coins Count contributed over \$11,600, which is more than 1/3 of the net, so keep saving those coins and find people to match what is raised by your children, grandchildren or your church. Additional donations and the Larry Waltner concert brought the total raised by the relief sale effort to \$52,763.32. Minnesota Mennonite Churches also contributed to Minn-Kota so together we were able to send \$68,464.92 to Mennonite Central Committee. THANK YOU for making this happen!

## Et Cetera Shoppe Accepting Donations

You have a lot of options when it comes to finding new life for clothing and furniture you no longer use. We're so grateful when you choose to donate to Et Cetera Shoppe, where your donations help support MCC's work here in our community, in Ukraine, and around the world. When you donate furniture pieces or clothing items to our shop, your donations are tax deductible – and it's a LOT less work than a rummage sale! Help us to continue to provide affordable items for people in our community. Our furniture area is currently almost empty, so bring us your donations on Monday-Friday, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., and let us turn them into help for those in need!

## Schmeckfest Country Kitchen Work Days

Work days are being arranged to make products to sell at the upcoming Country Kitchen bake sale scheduled for March 26 and April 2. Any help from volunteers would be greatly appreciated. Come to the FA dining hall for a full day or a few hours. Any bakers that would prefer to bake at home are encouraged to do so. Talk to Kathy Kleinsasser, 925-7952, for more information.

## Schmeck Stop Information

The FA Auxiliary is planning a Schmeck Stop, including a walk-in Country Kitchen market in conjunction with traditional Schmeckfest sausage sales. Homemade sausage, ethnic foods and other baked goods will be sold March 26 and April 2 from 2 to 7 p.m. on the Freeman Academy campus.

Donations of baked items of any kind would be appreciated. Popular foods include: cheese and fruit pockets, kuchen, poppyseed and pumpkin rolls, jam, summer savory, pies and sweet rolls. Contact Amy Waltner, 605-648-3772, or Kathy Kleinsasser, 605-925-7952 for more information and ways to help out with the Country Kitchen fundraiser.