

**Wherever you are in life's journey and your spiritual journey,  
you are welcome here, where together we share God's love.**

Hearing assist devices are available from the ushers.  
STJ = Sing the Journey (green); STS = Sing the Story (purple)  
HWB = Hymnal: A Worship Book (blue)

**SOUTHERN HILLS MENNONITE CHURCH**  
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Interim Pastor: Pete Emery Worship Leader: Mark Schmidt Accompanist: Glenna Lowry Special Music: Isaac Swartzendruber	Nursery Helper: Gretchen Moreington Greeters: Duane & Rachel Goossen Ushers: Doug & Michelle Shima
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September 1, 2019 63:35

Prelude How Majestic Is Your Name arr. Pethel  
Canon in D Pachelbel  
Be Thou My Vision Traditional  
In Christ Alone Getty & Townend

**9:30 am – WELCOME TO WORSHIP**

Introduction of Guests *(Please fill out the welcome pads.)*

- Announcements
- \*Passing the Peace
- \*Musical Response

\*Call to Worship  
\*Invocation  
\*Hymn Let the whole creation cry HWB 51 (blue)

Calling the Children Let the children come to me STS 47 (purple)  
*refrain, vs 1*

Time with the Children Larry & Janet Dixon

Offertory Prayer  
Presenting our Offerings  
Offertory Breath On Me, Breath of God arr. Keveren  
*Prayer cards may be placed in the offering plates.*  
*Children in Kindergarten and younger may go to the nursery.*

Sharing and Prayer

Hymn O breathe on me, O breath of God STJ 46 (green)

Scripture Reading Matthew 5:1-12 Mark Schmidt  
Luke 6:17-26

Sermon Blessed are you... Pete Emery

\*Hymn Immortal, invisible, God only wise HWB 70 (blue)

\*Benediction  
\*Postlude Immortal, Invisible arr. Keveren

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\*Please stand as you are able.

TODAY

9:30 am – Worship Service  
10:30 am – Sunday School

THIS WEEK

Sept 5, 9:00 am – Senior Coffee; FH

COMING UP

Sept 9, 2:30 pm – Trustee mtg; Library  
Sept 9, 5:30 pm – Ed Board mtg; Library  
Sept 10, 6:00 pm – Council mtg; Library  
Sept 11, 5:30 pm – Bible Studies for Women & Men  
Sept 11, 6:45 pm – Women's Circle mtg; FH  
Sept 17, 3:00 pm – Diaconate mtg; Library  
Sept 18, 5:30 pm – Bible Studies for Women & Men  
Sept 18, 6:45 pm – Adult Choir practice; Sanctuary  
Sept 19, 9:00 am – Senior Coffee; FH  
Sept 22, 1:00 pm – Southern Hills Menno Open Golf Tournament  
Sept 25, 5:30 pm – Bible Studies for Women & Men  
Sept 25, 6:45 pm – Adult Choir practice; Sanctuary  
Sept 26 – 28 – I Care Garage Sale; FH  
Sept 29, 4:00 pm – Faspa: A Time to Talk; FH

NURSERY SCHEDULE:

Sept 8 – Brooke Slipke  
Sept 15 – Kaity Shima  
Sept 22 – April Slipke

CLEANING SCHEDULE (Old/New):

Sept 7 – Yoder (O) Dave Gingerich (N)  
Sept 14 – Tom Goering (O) Hershberger (N)  
Sept 21 – Shima/Young (O/N)

LAST SUNDAY MORNING

**Attendance:** 73 **Offering:** \$7,896.00  
**Visitors:** Lenore Waltner

**Southern Hills Mennonite Church Mission Statement** (from the church constitution): *The purpose of this congregation shall be to live by and promote, through worship, study, giving and witness, the heritage of the Anabaptist-Mennonite expression of the Christian faith and life in contemporary form. We believe this to mean that a congregation is to be a body of Christians committed to the Lordship of Christ, who, by the power of the Holy Spirit, seek to live lives of discipleship, to practice the ethic of love and nonresistance in all human relationships, and to adhere to the historic peace position.*