



# Hesston Mennonite Church

**A community of God's people,  
seeking and following the way of Christ,  
experiencing and sharing the good news of healing and hope.**



**HMC Job Opening:** Hesston Mennonite Church, Hesston, KS seeks a part-time Custodian. This position is for approximately 10-15 hours per week depending on building usage, to include some evening and weekend hours. Please send cover letter and resume to [personnel@hesstonmc.org](mailto:personnel@hesstonmc.org)

**VBS May 30- June 2, 6:15 -8:30pm at HMC.** Community Wide Worship Service June 4 at 10am (no Sunday School) at HMC.

For your awareness and planning, **Pastor Joel will be on vacation May 15-26.**



**Children** - remember to pick up an activity bag from the treasure chest at the back of the sanctuary!



***Friendly reminder to check your church Friday emails,  
bulletin boards and literature boxes for more  
information on HMC Happenings!***

***Visitors: Welcome! Please feel free to ask the pastors and greeters  
any questions you may have.***

**You can sign up for the church emails on the website [hesstonmc.org](http://hesstonmc.org) under the tab "Join Mailing List. If you have previously signed up and have changed your email address the office can update your email on Realm and for inter-church communications, however the service we use for our mass and weekly church emails requires you to sign up with your new email address.**

**620-327-4885**

**[hesstonmc@hesstonmc.org](mailto:hesstonmc@hesstonmc.org)**

**[www.hesstonmc.org](http://www.hesstonmc.org)**

**Pastors:**

Jess Engle, ext. 109

Kay Schroeder (On Sabbatical)

Joel Schroeder, ext. 110

**Staff:**

Kristin Larson-Jantzi, Office Manager, ext. 100

Finance Office, [finance@hesstonmc.org](mailto:finance@hesstonmc.org)

Allan Mast, Max Heddin, custodians



**May 14,  
2023**



***What's Jesus Saying  
About His Mom?***



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## Welcome to Hesston Mennonite Church! And Happy Mother's Day!

You are welcome here today as we acknowledge and celebrate mothers and important mother-figures as we journey on together with our Summer of 2023 goal of being equipped so that we (HMC) are built up and ready to do God's will.

Gathering Music

Welcome and Call to Worship

Megan Smith

**Lighting of Christ Candle and Peace Lamp by Jason Person**

Worship in Song

*God is Here Among Us (VT\* #62)*

Music Team

*All Things Bright and Beautiful (VT #177)*

*Together (VT #389)*

Prayer of the Church

Joel Schroeder

Offertory

***Forgot your checkbook? Simply scan this code, text HMC GIVE to 73256, or use your REALM app***



**Children bring offerings up to the globe\*\* Please pass attendance books**

Children's time

Emily Miller

Scripture

*John 19:25-27 (NRSV)*

Message

***What's Jesus Saying About His Mom?***

Jess Engle

Song of Response

*Seeds (VT #777)*

Community Life Announcements

Benediction

**\*Voices Together Hymnal**

**\*\*Children's Fund this quarter: Sewing Machines for The Amani Church Sewing Training Project**

But we will give ourselves continually to  
**Prayer**  
and to the ministry of the word. Acts 6:4

- **Praise God for mom, mama, mother, Mutter, mère, madre, mor, matka!**
- **Pray for all graduates** (high school, undergraduate, Masters, and beyond) as they celebrate life changing accomplishments and transition into the next leg of their journeys.
- **Pray for all students and teachers** as the end of school approaches.
- **Pray for Hesston College** and their on-going conversations and discernment.
- **Pray for physical, emotional, and mental healing and hope** for Donna Martin, Karen Bender, Lowell Roth, and others.
- **Pray for all of us on our spiritual journeys** (separate and yet together).
- **Pray for Pastor Kay** as she experiences rest and renewal during her sabbatical.
- **Pray for the Hesston Mennonite Church** and the on-going discernment and conversations about connections to South Central Mennonite Conference and Mennonite Church USA.



**IN-PERSON ATTENDANCE: May 7: 163**

**VIRTUAL ATTENDANCE: May 7: 21 Guest Book signatures, +40 at the Villa**

**OFFERING: May 7 (and funds received during the previous week)**

Budget	\$16,870.76	Children's Globe	\$31.68
Facilities	\$23,992.95	Pathfinders	\$200.00
Hostess Fund	\$217.75	SafeHope	\$73.00
MMN	\$200.00		

~Options for Giving: at [www.hesstonmc.org/hmcgive](http://www.hesstonmc.org/hmcgive), this QR code:  
text HMC GIVE to 73256, on your REALM app, during the offertory time in  
the service, or you can mail your check to 309 S. Main, Hesston, KS 67062.

