

TODAY: Church Family Potluck & Annual Meeting - The HMC annual meeting will be held in the Community Center following a potluck meal. Annual reports have been emailed to the church list. There are also printed copies available at the meeting. To join by zoom - click on the link that was included in the Friday email.

Welcome to The Prairie Bronze Handbell Ensemble as they join us in worship today. They will also be giving a concert titled “Cosmos and Creation” today at 3:00 PM in the sanctuary.

Next Sunday, February 18th 2:00pm in the Community Center – Conference Affiliation Church Forum. Join us as we continue discussing our future affiliation with one of three MC USA conferences: Central Plains, Mountain States or Western District Conference.



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



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 under the tab “Join Mailing List”.



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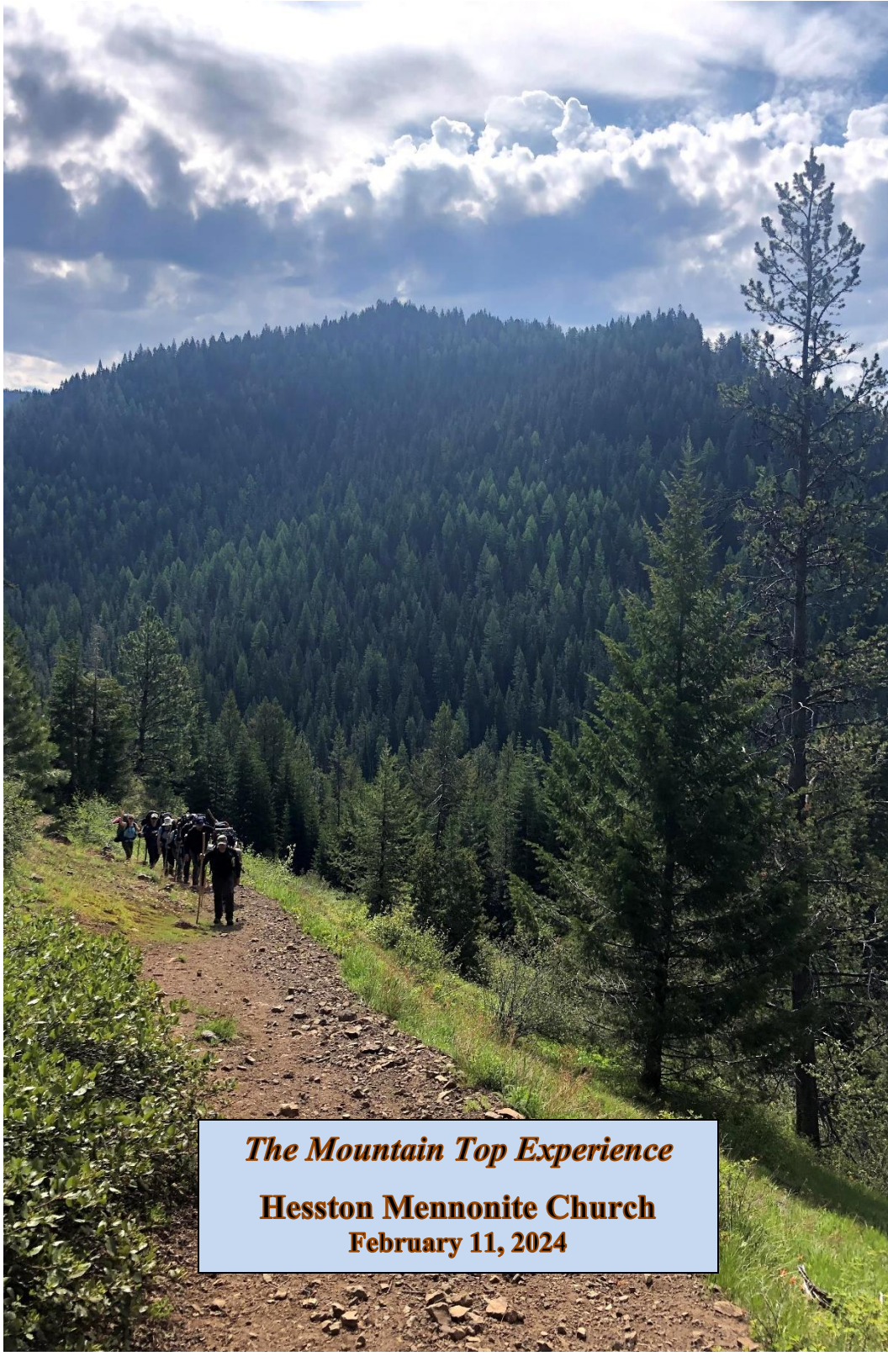
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The Mountain Top Experience

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Welcome to worship! It is lovely to have deep and meaningful experiences with God- mountain top experiences even, right? But how do we transition from those wonderful times? How do we “come down” the mountain?

Gathering Music Music Team*

Call to Worship and Prayer Barbara Jantz

Prelude Kris Friesen

Lighting of Christ Candle and Peace Lamp by Jack Kaufman

Worship in Song Music Team*
Everlasting God
God So Loved

Prayer of The Church Kay Schroeder

Community Life Announcements

Prairie Bronze Handbell Ensemble Worship Music
For the Beauty of the Earth
Now the Green Blade Riseth
In the Garden

Offertory Prairie Bronze Handbell Ensemble
What a Wonderful World
Children bring offerings up to the globe**

Children’s Time Danae Kaufman

Scripture *Mark 9:2-9 (NRSV)*

Sermon Jess Engle
“The Mountain-Top Experience”

Songs of Response Prairie Bronze Handbell Ensemble
Creator of Light
Let All Things Now Living

Benediction

Postlude

***Music Team: Julie Lehman, Kris Friesen, Aaron Diller, Monica Miller, Christine Schweitzer, Melissa Waltner Krehbiel**

****Children’s Fund this quarter: Common Humanity**

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

When we don't know what to say or how to pray, may the Holy Spirit meet us, intercede for us in our unknowing.

- We pray to God for the youth and adults who are attending Sr high snow camp at Rocky Mountain Mennonite Camp Feb. 16-18. May they grow in their faith and in their relationships.
- We ask the Holy Spirit for peace and comfort for Donna Martin's family and friends as they mourn her passing and give thanks for her life.
- We ask Jesus for healing in every way for J Brown as she continues radiation treatments, For Dean Alison as he continues treatment, and for others who have had surgeries, broken bones or procedures. We lift up those who are struggling mentally and emotionally, and we ask God for peace, and for wisdom for their doctors and therapists.
- We give thanks to God for our young people who led in worship last Sunday, and for all the children who are learning about God's love. Help us show unconditional love to them and each other.
- We ask for God's wisdom and guidance during our annual meeting and for the Conference Affiliation Task Force.
- We pray for our community – for the Villa, businesses, schools, churches, restaurants, and other entities.
- We pray for our world - that God's kingdom will continue to come, and God's will be done.

IN-PERSON ATTENDANCE: February 4: 164

VIRTUAL ATTENDANCE: February 4: 14 Guest Book signatures, +40 at the Villa

OFFERING: February 4 (and funds received during the previous week)

Budget \$11801.74	Pathfinders SS: \$85.00
Safe Hope: \$165.00	Genesis SS: \$50.00
Globe Bank: \$38.04	Vessels SS: \$10.00
Solar & Building Campaign: \$100.00	Church Hostess: \$300.33

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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.

