



SOUTHERN HILLS
MENNONITE CHURCH
Topeka, Kansas



Whoever you are, wherever you come from, the Southern Hills congregation welcomes you into our Jesus-centered community regardless of race, ethnicity, national origin, gender, sexual orientation, socio-economic status, education, physical ability, or other difference.

Sunday, May 5, 2024

SOUTHERN HILLS MENNONITE CHURCH
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May 5, 2024

68:18

PRELUDE

Make Me a Channel of Blessings

Warriner

WELCOME TO WORSHIP

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

Announcements

*Call to Worship

*Invocation

Special Music

Morning Has Broken

Scripture Reading

I Peter 5:1-7

*Hymn

There Is a Balm in Gilead

VT #647

Children's Time

(Children in Kindergarten and younger may go to the nursery.)

Sermon

I Peter: Babylon

Moment in Mission

Topeka JUMP

Phil Esau

Sharing and Prayer

moments of gratitude and concern

*Hymn

By the Waters of Babylon

VT #695

Offering Prayer

Offering

Offertory

On Eagle's Wings

arr. Wagner

*Hymn

More Than You Know

VT #598

*Benediction

*Musical Benediction

To God Be the Glory

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*\*Please stand as you are able.*

*VT = Voices Together (purple)*

*Hearing assist devices are available from the ushers.*

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| <b>Pastor:</b> Gabriel Pennington<br><b>Worship Leader:</b> Bruce Wedel<br><b>Organ/Piano:</b> Kathy Rich<br><b>Chimes:</b> Pat Esau, Steve Funk, Sue Ann Funk, Caroline Seals, Tim Voth, Jené Yoder | <b>Music Coordinator:</b> Carolyn Voth<br><b>Greeters/Ushers:</b> Randy Schmidt & Jené Yoder |
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LAST WEEK

**Offering:** \$830.00

**Attendance:** 68 in person, 28 online

**Visitors:** James Day & Annie Flachsbarth; Lois Deter; Lauri & Tim Hertzler; Christina Litwiller; Elwyn & Kris Luber; Scot & Janet Naedele; Sue & Tim Schrag

TODAY

9:30 am - Worship Service

10:45 - 11:30 am - Sunday School

THIS WEEK

May 6, 3:00 pm - Trustee mtg, Library

May 6, 7:00 pm - JUMP Nehemiah Action Assembly, Lee Arena

May 7, 12:00 pm - Leadership mtg, Zoom

COMING UP

May 12 - Mother's Day

May 13, 8:00 pm - Trustee/Technology mtg, Zoom

May 14, 6:00 pm - Council mtg, church

May 19 - Teacher Appreciation Sunday

CLEANING

May 11 - BJ & Lisa Young

May 18 - Doug & Michelle Shima

May 25 - Steve & Sue Ann Funk

**Contributions** can be mailed to: SHMC, Box 5067, Topeka, KS 66605

**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.*