

New Creation Fellowship Church

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Lectionary Text for June 7:

[Genesis 1:1-2:4a](#)

[Psalm 8](#)

[2 Corinthians
13:11-13](#)

[Matthew 28:16-20](#)

Offering: May 23-29

General: \$2960 My Coins Count MCC Missions: \$150.55
College Scholarship Fund: \$1000

SCHOLARSHIPS: Our church offers support to our high school graduates through a scholarship fund for those pursuing their first post-high school degree. The scholarship amount depends on the number of applicants and the amount donated. We need to have these donations by May 31 for the 2020-21 school year. If you wish to donate to the above budget fund, please make your check to NCFC with "college scholarship" written in the memo or designate any cash gift in the same way. We have heard many positive comments from past recipients - even when the amount is small - as it symbolizes a concrete way for them to experience our support. The scholarship application was sent out in a church wide email on May 15. Please return applications to Aaron Ratzlaff by June 1.

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May 31, 2020

Pastor Derrick will email a digital link on Sunday morning for the weekly worship service.

The next **Congregational Meeting** will be June 7th at 9:00 am to test consensus on the acquisition of the Pine Street Land. New Hope Shelter currently owns the land and they have not been able to use or sell the land and may want to give it to NCFC. A Zoom link will be emailed before the meeting.

Camp Mennoscah is open to a limited number of individuals and families. Reservations must be made in advance. Contact Camp Mennoscah at 620-297-3290 for further information. We are excited to make this sacred space available to you!

Spiritual practices Zoom webinar offered by **Mennonite Mission Network**

When: June 4, 2020, at 7:00 p.m. EDT/ 6:00 p.m. CDT

What: Spiritual practices for peacemakers: finding your center when you feel pulled apart

How: Visit the [registration page](#) for more information and instructions to join! Encounter anew, or rediscover ancient spiritual practices which create a daily rhythm of life. Turn your despair and isolation into hope and community. Join us for this webinar, exploring the practice of prayer, ritual, and community in this time of loss and loneliness. After the webinar, you will be invited to join a 30 day virtual learning community of 12-15 people, that will seek and find this daily rhythm of life together!

Reflecting on Faith and Fear: "A Time Enduring" is a second FREE edition of the *Rejoice* devotional in the midst of a pandemic. These are wonderful, thoughtful reflections by some gifted Anabaptist writers. Find a copy of this at: <https://mennowdc.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/05/2020-Rejoice-Time-Enduring.pdf>

Mennonite Mission Network requests prayer for *Meserete Kristos* College which trains leaders for the Anabaptist churches in Ethiopia. Pray that the faculty, staff and students will shine with God's light in their communities as the college has had to send students home due to the coronavirus pandemic.

