

New Creation Fellowship Church

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At New Creation we seek to celebrate our differences as gifts and blessings - our differences in color, gender, sexual orientation, and the many other ways we are categorized by the world. You are welcome in this place as we journey together, discerning how to follow Jesus more faithfully.

Lectionary text for June 20:

1 Samuel	Job 38:1-11	2 Corinthians	Mark
17:(1a, 4-11, 19-23), 32-49	Psalm 107:1-3, 23-32	6:1-13	4:35-41
Psalm 9:9-20	Psalm 133	1 Samuel 17:57-18:5, 18:10-16	

Offering for June 7-11:

General: \$7100 Sharing Fund: \$30 Scholarship Fund: \$170
Preschool Tuition Assistance from Everence: \$1417

Western District Conference: Pray for God's guidance and joy for the WDC Annual Assembly planning team, as they prepare for our hybrid (in-person and online) gathering July 30-Aug 1 with worship, delegate business, learning seminars and fellowship.

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June 13, 2021

Speaker: Mitch Stutzman, Everence Stewardship Consultant

Sermon title: *The Million Dollar Question*

Scripture: John 5:1-15

Year-end Giving: With a few weeks left in the fiscal year, we are behind on giving. Please consider an end-of-fiscal year donation.

Automatic Contributions: You can have your monthly contributions to the church automatically withdrawn from your banking account on the 10th of each month. If you would like to sign up, please contact Brenda.

Camp Mennoscah: There is still time to register for summer camps. If NCFC youth are interested in attending, the church will pay 1/2 the camp fee. If a family is not able to contribute the other 1/2 of the fee, then a sharing fund request can be submitted. Contact Becky Miller if you have questions.

Vacation Bible School is the week of June 28-July 2. We are once again joining with Bethel College Mennonite Church, Casa Betania, Faith Mennonite Church, First Mennonite Church, and Shalom Mennonite Church. This will be mostly virtual YouTube sessions.



Fire System Upgrade: The State Fire Marshall stated that the preschool smoke detectors and exit lighting signs did not meet regulations. Kaye Electric will be upgrading our system on Monday, June 21. The Administration Team approved this work and the estimated cost of \$1650 will be paid from the Building Maintenance line item.



Shelter Update: Reiger Construction plans to start our new shelter in July. We will keep you updated and watch for the construction to begin. Horray!!!!

In his blog, "An Afro-Latina Who Refused to be Made Invisible," **Mennonite Church USA's** Chief Communications Officer Wil LaVeist reflects on his mother's life and her Afro-Latina heritage. Despite the racism that she, and countless other Afro-Latino people have experienced, she persisted and proudly represented her culture. Read more here: <https://www.mennoniteusa.org/refused-to-be-made-invisible>

MCC: Join James Wheeler & Linda Herr, Area Directors for Europe & Middle East, June 22 at 7 p.m. to hear *The Gift of Love: Doing our part for healing and wholeness in the world*. Register at mcc.org/mcc-webinar-series.

