



FRIENDSHIP MENNONITE CHURCH

Changing Lives Through Jesus Christ

March 30, 2008

Second Sunday of Easter



Focus statement: The God of hope, who comes through closed doors, dispels our doubts.

Connecting with Others

- Welcome
- Opening Prayer
- Worship in Song

Living by Faith

- Announcements
- Sharing and Prayer
- Offering

Hearing the Word

- Children's Story
- Scripture Reading: Luke 24:13-32
- Sermon: *Then their eyes were opened and they recognized Him*
- HWB #570 *We walk by faith*

Sending to Serve

- Benediction
- Song: *God of the Bible*

Guest Speaker: Gizella

Worship Leader: Shirley

Song Leader: Jonathan

Greeters: Sue & Chris

Pianist: Rhonda

Usher: Matthew

Worship Nursery: Julie

Upcoming Events & Meetings

- Sun. Mar. 30 Hungarian Meal 12:00pm
 Wed. Apr. 2 Worship Committee at Rachel's 7:00pm
 Sat. Apr. 5 Elders' Meeting 7:30am
 Sun. Apr. 6 Agape Group at Chris & Sue's 4:30pm
 Thr. Apr. 10 Southgate Group at Church 11:00am
 Sun. Apr. 13 Food for Thought Group at Church 4:00pm

Giving for March 23, 2008

Church Offering:
\$3045.50

Sunday School:
\$20.00

MCC Meat Canner:
\$20.00

The Mennonite:
\$35.00

In Our Prayers:

- Please remember **Melvin & Parsilla** in your prayers as Melvin continues to recover. Cards and calls are appreciated.
- Please keep **Kevin, Nan and Hannah** in your prayers in these months before Kevin and Nan become our new pastors. Their family is experiencing a great deal of transition at this time as they prepare for a new baby, buy and sell a home, and move to Ohio from Virginia to become our new pastors.

Announcements:

- We thank **Gizella** for speaking this morning. Next week Vern will be sharing with us.
- To celebrate the arrival of the **Kevin & Nan's new baby**, we will be collecting money to present a gift to them. Please see Maria if you wish to contribute to the gift.
- If you have an **announcement for the bulletin**, please leave a message on the church voicemail or contact Julie via phone or e-mail (bulletin@friendmc.org) by Thursday morning.

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