



FRIENDSHIP MENNONITE CHURCH

Changing Lives Through Jesus Christ

August 17, 2008



They were amazed, saying, "What sort of man is this, that even the winds and the sea obey him?" Matthew 8:27

Connecting with Others

- Welcome and Announcements
- Call to Worship
- Songs of Praise

Living by Faith

- Congregational Prayer
- Hymn
- Offering
- Children are dismissed for Sunday School

Hearing the Word

- Reader's Theater: Matthew 8:1-27
- Sermon: "Jesus: The Power of Christ"
- Healing Service

Sending to Serve

- Benediction
- Sending Song

Sermon: Nan

Worship Leader: Shirley

Song Leader: Jonathan

Greeters: Isaac & Jean

Worship Nursery: Maria

Sunday School: Sue

Pianist: Rhonda

Usher: Chris

Upcoming Events & Meetings

- Sun. Aug. 17 Healing Service 10:45am
Young Adult/College Fun Night 7:00pm.
- Tues. Aug. 19 Church Council Meeting 6:30pm
- Sun. Aug. 24 **Church Life Meeting** 9:15am
- Thr. Aug. 28 Women's Time Out Picnic 6:00pm
- Sun. Aug. 31 **Church Picnic** and Campout at Retreat 4:00pm

Giving for August 10, 2008

Church Offering:

\$2,063.15

Meals on Wheels:

\$5.00

MAMA Project:

\$90.00

MCC Meat Canner:

\$20.00

Hymnals:

\$13.00

Announcements:

- Has Friendship Mennonite become a new home to you? A **church membership class** will begin sometime in October. If you are interested or have questions, please contact an elder or one of the pastors. More information will be coming soon.
- **Women's Time Out Annual Picnic** will be Thursday, August 28 at Heidi's. Contact Marjorie at church with questions.
- **Promise Keepers** will be at the CSU Wolstein Center on September 5-6. Please contact Tim if you are interested in attending.
- Please keep **Gizella** in your prayers as she recovers from surgery before returning to the United States.
- 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.
- If you have an **item for the monthly calendar**, please leave a message on the church phone or contact Julie via phone or e-mail (calendar@friendmc.org) by Wednesday, August 27.

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Kevin:
Nan:

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Gizella

In the life of our church...



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Why: For fun and fellowship with your church community! Some families will even be camping overnight. You are welcome to join them.

For more information contact Chris or Sue:

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