

Please pray...

If you have a prayer request or praise item that you would like shared in the bulletin, please let Cara Speros know, or email her at secretary@friendmc.org.



Friendship Mennonite Church

Changing Lives Through Jesus Christ

February 6, 2011

Turn, LORD, and deliver me;
save me because of your unfailing love.

-Psalms 6:4

Gathering

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

Singing God's Praise

Songs of Praise

Offering

Hearing God's Word

Scripture Reading: Romans 8:14-23

Sermon: *"Blood is Thicker Than Water"* Kevin Kanagy

Responding to God's Word

Responding Song

Communion

Gluten-Free Bread is Available

Congregational Sharing & Prayer

Sending

Sending Song

Welcome to Friendship Mennonite Church!

Visiting this week?

We are so glad you've joined us for worship! We hope you find a place to belong here. We together are searching for Jesus in our lives. You will receive a visitor packet in the service and we hope you can fill out the info card so we can get to know you better. Please place it in the offering plate. May you be blessed today!

Announcements

- **THIS MORNING**, we will be celebrating **communion** together. We welcome all to the table to remember the life and death of Jesus. Grapes and a blessing will be available for the children as a special time for them to share.
- **Join us for Art and Appetizers!** Following Kevin and Nan's ordination service **NEXT SUNDAY** there will be a time of celebrating God's creativity in our lives. At this art show we plan to showcase your photographs, watercolors, ceramics, sculptures, and all other forms of creative expression. If you have something you'd like to display, bring it to church by 11:30 a.m. on Friday, Feb. 11. If you have questions, or want to bring a large item or something that needs to be displayed in a certain way, let Amy Gingerich (call 330-601-2402; or email amygingerich@hotmail.com) know ahead of time.
- **Alice Patton has moved** - Her new contact information is available by contacting the church office.
- **One Psalm a day for 150 days!** Many people began reading the Psalms this week. It's not too late to join us! Let's join together as a church to read these poetic prayers in the Scriptures and put God at the center of our lives. A reading log is available from Cara Speros.
- **Ordination Celebration!** We are having a celebration after our Pastors' ordination which includes a catered meal. If you would like to donate towards the expenses related to the celebration, please put the money in the offering in the next couple of Sundays. Thank you!
- **Children's Church needs YOU!** We are in need of a substitute teacher for February for Children's church. If you can help out with this important ministry, see Cara Speros.
- **Additional Giving for last Sunday:** Sunday School: \$15.00; Meals on Wheels: \$10.00; Penny Power Offering: \$33.70.

Serving Our Church Today

Worship Leader: Anita Hooley Yoder *Song Leader:* Jonathan Witmer-Rich
Piano: Rhonda Savage *Usher:* Tim Savage
Sunday School Nursery: Kayley Nickless *Greeter:* Ryan Claassen
Sound: Ben Yoder *PowerPoint:* Ben Yoder
Worship Nursery: Sharon & Jim Thomas

Serving Next Sunday

Usher: Chris Savage *Greeter:* Chris Coblenz
Preaching: George Brunk III *Sunday School Nursery:* Parsilla Honsaker
Worship Nursery: Rachel Loomis

Looking Ahead

TODAY	Simply Eating Small Group 12:15 Young Adult Super Bowl Party at Kanagy's Home 6 pm Finding Hope Small Group 7:00 pm
Wednesday, February 9	Worship Committee Meeting 7:00 pm
Sunday, February 13	Ordination Celebration
Tuesday, February 15	Administrative Team Meeting 6:30 pm

Giving for Last Sunday

Church Offering:
\$956.10

Weekly Budget:
\$1371.00

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