# **Shalom Mennonite Church**

February 7, 2016

# The Ministry of Jesus

Hearing devices are available from an usher or the sound booth.

## **Gathering in God's Presence**

Welcome Sue Graber

## **Gathering Music and Processional**

We carry in a flame, the Bible and a prayer cloth. May we trust the Light to guide us, the Word to teach us, and prayer to knit our lives together with God as we begin our time of worship.

Call to Worship

**Prayer** 

Hymn HWB 25

Jesus, stand among us

### **Proclaiming the Word**

#### Children's Time

Nursery care for young children is available through the end of the service.

Hymn HWB 43

Christ is our cornerstone

**Scripture Reading** 

Mark 6:1-16

### **Quiet Reflection**

The periods of silence will begin and end with the ringing of a chime.

Sermon

"Who is Jesus"

Rachel Ringenberg Miller

**Quiet Reflection** 

#### **Responding to the Word**

Hymn HWB 411

I bind my heart this tide

**Gathering our Gifts** 

### **Sharing Time and Introductions**

During this time in the service we welcome visitors, invite responses to the worship service, hear about the work of our Ministry Teams, and share prayer concerns and joys. Please sign the Welcome Pages (black books) in the pews so we can learn each other's names.

## **Prayers of the People**

### **Going Forth to Serve**

**Sharing Our Joyful Work** 

Hymn STJ 14

Lord Jesus, you shall be my song

Benediction

## **Welcoming Statement for Shalom Mennonite Church**

We embrace all people in the name of Christ. Everyone is a unique creation in the image of God. We are an open and affirming congregation that seeks to follow Jesus. We welcome into full participation in the life and ministry of the church, people of every race, immigration status, culture, age, gender identity, sexual orientation, ability, education, economic status, and life situation. We welcome diverse perspectives as we gather around God's table together.

#### **Shalom Mennonite Church**

(316) 283-7395 www.shalomnewton.org 9:30 am – Sunday School 10:45 am – Worship

#### **Upcoming Services**

**February 10 – Ash Wednesday Service** – in the Sanctuary at 7 pm. **February 14 – Lent 1 Living Ink: Communion Sunday – Rachel Ringenberg Miller** will begin our Lenten series with the text of Luke 4:1-13.

**February 21 – Lent 2 Living Ink: Sara Dick** will preach on the text of Luke 13:31-35.

**February 28 – Lent 3 Living Ink: Rachel Ringenberg Miller** will continue our Lenten series looking at the text of Luke 13:1-9.

Greeters: David & Mary Duerksen, Chuck & Cindy Regier

Nursery Workers: Yvonne Bontrager, Claire Preheim

Musicians: Mark Schmidt Andres, Rachel Epp Buller, Euny Kerbs, Deb

Voth, Sylvia Bartel

Spanish Scripture Reader: Julian Gonzalez-Salamanca

Visual Arts: Twila Schrock

Sound & Closing: Tom Szambecki Church Board Chair: Barth Hague

## **Church Staff**

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