

BETHESDA MENNONITE CHURCH

HENDERSON, NEBRASKA

Sunday, August 10, 2025, 9:30 a.m.

Prelude Marilyn Kroeker, Pianist

"Miracle Power"

"Hold Onto Me"

"Same God"

"Good, Good Father" Worship Band

Jay & Marilyn Kroeker, Bennett Friesen, Logan Bechtel,

Braden Janzen, Connie Bechtel, Lindy Siebert,

Ashton Brown, Kara Janzen, Amanda Goertzen, Mary Dente

Welcome & Call to Worship Norm Yoder

* "All people that on earth do dwell" HWB 42
(Children are invited to come forward on stanza 4.)

Children's Focus Connie Bechtel

* "For the healing of the nations" HWB 367

Congregational Prayer Laura Steingard

"I Will Follow" Worship Band

Scripture Reading Pastor J Epp

Genesis 6:11-22 (NRSV)

Leader: This is the Word of God, for the people of God.

People: Thanks be to God!

Message Pastor J Epp

"The radicalness of the ark, the flood, and the rainbow"

* "When we walk with the Lord" HWB 544

Announcements Norm Yoder

Offering to God Norm Yoder
Offertory Marilyn Kroeker

*Benediction

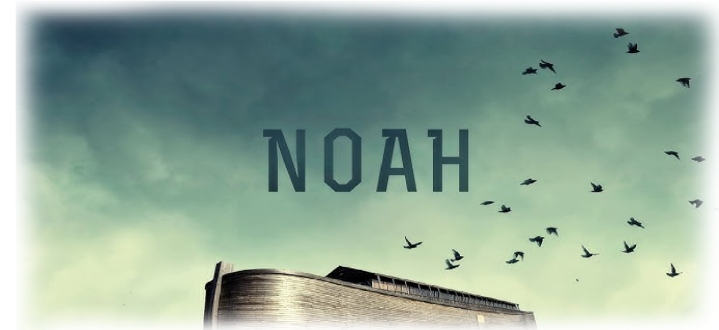
Pastor J Epp

*"The Blessing"

Worship Band

** If you are able, you are invited to stand*

All are invited to participate in the Christian education hour
and to stop by the Coffee Spot in the Fellowship Hall.



Now the earth was corrupt in God's sight and was full of violence. God saw how corrupt the earth had become, for all the people on earth had corrupted their ways. So God said to Noah, "I am going to put an end to all people, for the earth is filled with violence because of them. I am surely going to destroy both them and the earth. So make yourself an ark of cypress wood; make rooms in it and coat it with pitch inside and out. This is how you are to build it: The ark is to be three hundred cubits long, fifty cubits wide and thirty cubits high.

Make a roof for it, leaving below the roof an opening one cubit high all around. Put a door in the side of the ark and make lower, middle and upper decks. I am going to bring floodwaters on the earth to destroy all life under the heavens, every creature that has the breath of life in it. Everything on earth will perish. But I will establish my covenant with you, and you will enter the ark -- you and your sons and your wife and your sons' wives with you. You are to bring into the ark two of all living creatures, male and female, to keep them alive with you. Two of every kind of bird, of every kind of animal and of every kind of creature that moves along the ground will come to you to be kept alive. You are to take every kind of food that is to be eaten and store it away as food for you and for them."

Noah did everything just as God commanded him.

Genesis 6:11-22

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 - Cobalt Cable Channel #3207
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- **When you desire pastoral care outside of office hours, please call:**
 - Pastor Chelsea Vaught: 402-363-7004 (cell) or email chelsea.vaught@bethesdamc.org
 - Pastor J. Epp: 402-366-7475 (cell) or email j.epp@bethesdamc.org
 - Pastor Andrea Wall is currently on sabbatical.
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