

The Elders have been called to guide and lead the congregation in vision, mission and spiritual matters. Each elder is devoted to one dimension of the interdependent congregational life. If you have a congregational life concern, please get in touch with one of our elders.

Community: Matt Baer
Mission: Mark Schildt
Worship: Anna Groff
Administration: Fern Hieb

The Deacons have been called to serve those who participate in our congregational life together, caring for the pastoral care needs that we share. If you have a need of any sort, interest in becoming a member, interest in joining a small group, or any other issues or concerns, please contact one of the deacons or pastor:

Char Schildt
Barry Hieb

Mennonite Voluntary Service (MVS) Unit: Shalom maintains a strong MVS unit in Tucson, housing about 5 volunteers at a time. Our volunteers come from across the nation and the globe to work with the people of Tucson for service terms of 1-3 years. Our VSers are a central part of Shalom, and are active within wider Tucson communities. Please take the opportunity to get to know our VSers during their time in Tucson.

Interested in connecting more directly? Shalom uses several email lists to carry announcements and concerns during the course of the week. You can also receive the bulletin each week, as well as minutes for congregational business. See shalommennonite.org/contact/keepintouch to sign up.

The Sermon and worship for most Sundays are available online as an audio podcast. See shalommennonite.org/worship/sermon for the latest podcast. Podcasts are generally posted Sunday PM, but may not be immediately available. Full worship services are available with a login account.

One of Shalom's strengths is to continually call out new leadership. Currently, the elders are seeking a replacement for Sara's vacated deacon position, which will run through June 2018. In addition, the elders are searching for people willing to stand for election as elder (2-year term) or as deacon (3-year term), with terms beginning this July. Please prayerfully consider whether you might be willing to contribute in one of these roles.

Opportunities for young adults from Mennonite Central Committee:

The Global Anabaptist Peacebuilders, June 16-24, 2016, provides a week long experience for young adults to learn modern issues from theological, economic, and environmental perspectives. Field trips, activities, and hands-on experiences make engaging difficult issues exciting and meaningful. It will give participants the framework to take action in their own communities. Visit our website to learn more and apply: gap.mcc.org

Serving and Learning Together (SALT) is a year-long, cross-cultural service experience for young adults to serve in a wide variety of positions in fields like education, agriculture, health care, information technology, peace and more! . Visit our website and apply today!: mcc.org/salt

To submit updates to the church directory, send an email to Joan Martin at jdk110850@gmail.com. Please use the word "directory" in the subject line.

To contribute information to the bulletin, please send email to bulletin@shalommennonite.org by Thursday morning. A small team prepares the bulletin each week.

April 3rd General Offering	\$1,985.00
Amount needed per Sunday per budget	\$2,220.00
General Offering Year to Date	\$95,001.97
Amount needed YTD per budget	\$88,800.00
Youth Fund	\$200.00
Total Youth Fund	\$4,051.00

SHALOM MENNONITE FELLOWSHIP

April 10, 2016

Third Sunday of Easter
Unexpected breakfast on the grill



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We are glad you are here!

Whether you are plain or fancy, confident or questioning, whole or in pieces; whatever your age, race, abilities, sexual orientation, gender, immigration status...; here every Sunday, for a season, or on sweet rare occasions, you are welcome as member, worshipper, participant, observer, leader...

¡Qué gozo nos trae su presencia!

Siendo humilde o sofisticad@, convencid@ o con dudas, fuerte o frágil; siendo lo que sean su edad, raza, habilidades, orientación sexual, género, condición migratoria...; bendiciendonos con su presencia cada domingo, por temporada, o de vez en cuando, Usted es bienvenid@ como miembro, devot@, participante, observador o líder ...

As we gather we celebrate our connection with our sister church, Teusaquillo, in Bogotá, Colombia.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

GATHERING

Singing - HWB 46: *I sing the mighty power of God*
HWB 411: *I bind my heart this tide*
StS 89: *Christ is alive*

Call to worship:

Leader: Risen One, you are with us in our daily tasks.

ALL: Help us to recognize you.

Leader: You offer food for our bodies and souls.

ALL: Help us to eat with you.

Leader: You ask us the questions we need to hear.

ALL: Open our hearts to meet you in our worship.

Welcome and introduction of visitors
- passing the welcome sheets

Prayer

HEARING THE WORD

Connecting

Giving our offerings - HWB 226: *You are salt for the earth*

Hearing the story: John 21:1-19

Sermon: *What are you fishing for? What are you hungry for?*

RESPONDING IN COMMUNITY

Continuing to open the Word together - silence or spoken

Singing: StS 39 - *Will you come and follow me*

Confessing:

Leader: Early in the morning
in the multi-colored company
of your Church on earth and in heaven
we celebrate your creation,
your life,
your death and resurrection,
your interest in us;

so to you we pray:

**ALL: Lord, bring new life
Where we are worn and tired,
New love
Where we have turned hard-hearted,
Forgiveness
Where we feel hurt
And where we have wounded others,
And the joy and freedom
Of your Holy Spirit
Where we are prisoners of ourselves.**

(silent prayers)

Leader: To all and to each
where regret is real,
God pronounces pardon
and grants us, like Peter, a new beginning.
Thanks be to God!

ALL: AMEN!

With resurrection hope and action we bring our prayers...

Sung response -
Lord, listen to your children praying: HWB 353

BEING SENT

Announcements

Charge and blessing

Singing - HWB 420: *Heart with loving heart united*

Speaker: Carol; Worship Leader: Tina; Musicians: Stephen, Lisa, Abi

Abbreviations:

HWB: *Hymnal A Worship Book* (Blue Book)

StJ: *Sing the Journey* (Green Book)

StS: *Sing the Story* (Purple Book)

TODAY'S SCHEDULE

9:30 a.m. – Worship (nursery staffed by Belén Siquieros)
11:00 a.m. – Sunday school for children and youth;
Second hour for adults (Carol Rose leading discussion of Supportive Congregations Network)

CALENDAR

Apr. 14 – Wayfarers group meeting at Jan and Earl's home,
at 7 p.m.

Apr. 16 – Work morning at church (8 am-noon)

Apr. 17 – Launch of new church website, potluck meal

Apr. 21 – COGWA using the facility from 5-9 p.m.

Apr. 24 – Carrie speaking at worship

Apr. 28 – Elders' meeting

May 2 – Deacons' meeting

May 15 – **Congregational meeting** after second hour

May 31 – Shalom provides evening meal to migrant trail
walkers

Saturday afternoons, 12-5 p.m. – our facility is used by
Church of God, a Worldwide Association

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Stay for Second Hour discussions during April! Here's what's happening:

Today: Joining the Supportive Congregations Network?

Learn more! - Carol Rose will lead our discussion

April 17: Launching our new Shalom website! Bring your laptop, if you wish! - Anna Groff leading.

April 24: Fellowship second hour - hang out and talk!