

CMC Family News

Relief Sale is THIS Saturday, March 18th.

FFC Youth will have a ToGo Meal for you on March 30 from 5-7 pm. See flyer on bulletin board. Mark your calendar!

For the calendar... Vacation Bible School will be held on the mornings of June 19-23.

Menno Haven Summer Camps registration is now open! Youth Camps are for grades 3-12, and will explore **HOPE Secured** in Hebrews 6:19 - *"We have this hope as an anchor for the soul, firm and secure."* Menno Haven offers discounts for early registration (March 16), also first-time camper and sibling discounts. Go to program@mennohaven.com.



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Wifi available: connect to 217Washington password is carlockmc

Sunday School: 9:00 am Worship: 10:15 am
Pastor Doane Brubaker
(309) 251-6734

March 12, 2023

Worship Leader	Mike Pyne & Doane
Musician	Sharon Brubaker
Song Leader	Mike Hartter
Scripture Reader	Annie Schworer
Children's Message	Jeanise Frank
Preacher	Doane Brubaker

Prelude for Meditation Cast your care on Jesus today
Leave your worry and fear
Burdens are lifted at Calvary
Jesus is very near

Biblical Wisdom Through the Spirit we eagerly await by faith
the righteousness for which we hope. Galatians 5:5

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship

Worship Song *You're Worthy of My Praise*

Scripture Reading Deut. 15:4-7, 10-11 & 2 Cor. 9:7-9, 13-15

Children's Message

Joys & Concerns

Prayer Song (video) Burdens

Prayer & the Lord's Prayer

Rejoice #46 *Jesus, the Light of the World*

Message Lifting Weights

Hymnal #425 *Come, Come Ye Saints*

Benediction

Postlude

Sermon Notes Lifting Weights

Am I one who tends to
✓ beef up the burdens others carry? Or...
✓ help lift the weight and ease their load?

Example – Nehemiah
5:1-13 confronted and corrected abusers

5:14-19 demonstrated weight lifting and practiced what he preached

Example – Jesus
“The teachers of law and the Pharisees... don't follow their example.
They don't practice what they teach. They crush people with
unbearable demands and never lift a finger to ease the burden.”
Matthew 23:2-4

“Are you tired? Worn out? Burned out on religion? Come to me. Get
away with me and you'll recover your life. I'll show you how to take a
real rest. Walk with me and work with me—watch how I do it. Learn
the unforced rhythms of grace. I won't lay anything heavy or ill-fitting
on you. Keep company with me and you'll learn to live freely and
lightly.” Matthew 11:28-30, the Message

What is my too-heavy burden, and how may Jesus ease it?

What opportunity do I have, and what resources do I have, to help
another lighten their load?