



For some, this ministry takes the form of church leadership, a call and commitment to the creative work of building up the body of Christ and witnessing to God's love in the world. Church leaders are empowered by the Spirit and the church who support and bless their ministry.

**New Testament Reading:** Ephesians 1:7-10 NT page 234

**Sermon: "Leadership and the Mission of God"** David Boshart

**Responsive Hymn: "Here I Am Lord"** VT 545

**Sharing and Prayer** - Vern Jantzen

**Blessing**

**Offering for Anabaptist Mennonite Biblical Seminary**

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**Welcome!** We're happy to have you here with us! Masks are encouraged. The service is also available on FM 107.5 in our parking lot and **on YouTube!** Beginning today, January 30, our church **service is being live streamed on YouTube.** You may do a YouTube search for FMC Beatrice. Be sure to subscribe to the YouTube test video there, or the live stream, and "like" it. After we have at least 100 subscribers, we will have a consistent link to our church services. Until then, the link will change each Sunday. Also select to be notified and you should get an email when we go live each Sunday. If you look for us on face book, a link to the You Tube live stream will be posted a few minutes before the service begins. A recording of the video will be posted on facebook some time after the service has ended.

**Thank you** for your patience as we've struggled through the difficulties of streaming the past few weeks. And a huge **thank you** to Pam Kunzman for her many hours of work to make this happen.

**WELCOME to David Boshart,** AMBS President. Thank you for sharing with us during Sunday School and worship, and for your help in our pastoral search. David became President of AMBS in January 2020. Prior to coming to AMBS, he served as Executive Conference Minister for Central Plains Mennonite Conference of Mennonite Church USA (2010–19). As part of this role, he was responsible for supporting emerging congregations and staffing a partnership with Mennonite Mission Network and Iglesia Cristiana Menonita de Colombia (Colombia Mennonite Church)

in support of Anabaptist networks in Ecuador and Venezuela. David pastored for more than 25 years in congregations in Iowa and Virginia. His teaching experience includes serving as Appointed Associate Professor at the Andrews University School of Education (2009–present) and as an Adjunct Faculty member at AMBS (2014–15) and Eastern Mennonite University (2010–15). He has served on the Mennonite Church USA Executive Board and also was a member of the AMBS Board serving as chair from 2003 to 2005.

**Alice E. Wiebe,** 100, passed away on Monday, January 24, 2022, at Good Samaritan Society of Beatrice. A Celebration of Life will be held at a later date. Her obituary may be found at [foxfuneralhome.net](http://foxfuneralhome.net). We keep Alice's family in our prayers.

**The library committee** will be buying new books for the library. There is a sign-up sheet on the south wall of the library to write down books you would like us to buy or you can text or call Sue Gerber at 402.239.8857 with requests.

**Join the Adult Sunday School** class in the basement each Sunday at 9:30 a.m. This Sunday, we're happy to have David Boshart with us. Other Sundays, we're using the Salt and Light material on the theme "Participating with God". Pick up a booklet in Room 10 and join us.

**Delegates are sought for FMC representation** at the MC USA Special Session of the Delegate Assembly in Kansas City May 27-30. FMC may send three delegates. Information on the important resolutions to be addressed may be found at [Mennoniteusa.org](http://Mennoniteusa.org), resources tab, then select Delegate Assembly. There's also a sheet on the bulletin with information. Please talk with Dorothy Zimmerman or Pastor Roger if you are interested in attending or have any questions.

**Children's Sunday School learned today** (from Luke 6:20-36) of the sermon on the plain with Jesus teaching us a new way of living. Join us next Sunday for Jesus heals two daughters (Luke 8:40-56).

**Greeters are needed** for February, June, July and December. If you can help, please let the church office know. (Better claim those "nice weather months" quickly before they're gone!)

**Calling all pastors and faith formation leaders!** Register for Pastors & Leaders | Deep Faith 2022, a joint conference of Anabaptist Mennonite Biblical Seminary and Mennonite Church USA Faith Formation. Feb. 21–24, virtually or in person at AMBS to explore the theme, "Formed in the Wilderness, Leading in Hope." Sign up at [ambs.edu/pastorsandleaders](http://ambs.edu/pastorsandleaders)