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From the PNMC Office

This week we pray for the [Emmaus Christian Fellowship](#) in Meridian, ID. They are part of Mennonite Church USA, and also affiliated in ministry with partners from Friends, Presbyterian, and other Christian traditions. Emmaus pastors include Karla Morton, Craig Morton and Rick Bollman. As a church they strive to walk with God, and to create safe and sacred places in the midst of our busy lives. To learn more, follow [this link](#) to the Emmaus Christian Fellowship's page on Facebook.

Our Executive Conference Minister, Katherine Jameson Pitts is on sabbatical through **September 10th**. If you or your congregation have needs during that time, contact your District Pastor or PNMC's Administrative Assistant, Barb Buxman, office@pnmc.org.

MENNONITE CHURCH USA & OTHER CHURCHWIDE AGENCIES

listed alphabetically by organization

Anabaptist Mennonite Biblical Seminary

Individuals, congregations or area churches are invited to take advantage of a new program through the [Church Leadership Center](#) that allows members to save substantially on individually priced events and programs and gives the option to share benefits with others who want to strengthen their skills, deepen their ministries or renew their vision for being part of God's reconciling mission in the world.

Goshen College

High school students are invited to apply for a new **Study-Service Theology Term** through Goshen College. The program is seeking 20 applicants for a two-week study tour in Guatemala in June 2017. Students will be provided with the opportunity to explore their understandings of Jesus' life and mission in light of contemporary challenges and their own sense of calling. Learn more [here](#).

Mennonite Central Committee



The MCC Bike the San Juans ride was completed last week. There were approximately 100 people involved with 88 riders who spent four days pedaling and enjoying spectacular island views. The event, planned by Clark Yoder, Eric Martin, Bob Buxman, Trish Handrich, Don Yoder and Von Hershberger, raised \$25,000 for MCC! This was the second fundraiser for Mennonite Central Committee this summer. The next bike ride will be in August of 2018.

*Look for opportunities to support MCC this fall in the Pacific Northwest at the [Mennonite Country Auction and Relief sale](#) in Ritzville, WA on **Saturday, October 1** and the [Oregon Festival for World Relief](#) in Albany, OR on **October 8**.*

Mennonite Disaster Service

Volunteers are urgently needed in Kamiah, ID through the end of September, 2016. Workers will construct three new homes damaged by wildfires. Travel cost will be covered for volunteers staying two weeks or longer. Contact [John Eshleman](#) at (909) 630-3660.

Upcoming e-Bulletins:

Sept 5 (submissions due by 8/29)
Oct 3 (submissions due by 9/26)
Oct 17 (submissions due by 10/10)
Nov 7 (submissions due by 10/31)

If you would like to contribute, please send a brief announcement in Spanish & English with website links to brenda@pnmc.org. Our goal is to provide a valuable resource, not an In-Box jammer. If space is tight, we may omit announcements that are not as pertinent to PNMC. Announcements will run ONE time only, unless specified otherwise. *We welcome your feedback!*

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