



e-Bulletin

Providing bi-weekly communication for PNMC

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From the PNMC Office

This week we pray for the River of Life Fellowship in Sweet Home, Oregon. The congregation is actively involved in the Sweet Home community and hosts a community prayer gathering the second Tuesday of every month. To learn more, follow [this link](#) to the River of Life Fellowship page on Facebook.

If you were unable to attend the PNMC Annual Meeting, [Here is the link](#) to the worship services. And [here is the link](#) to the video recording of Chuck Neufeld's Sunday Morning sermon "Animated and Motivated by God's Spirit".

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.

PNMC CONGREGATIONS, ORGANIZATIONS & MINISTRIES

Listed chronologically, then alphabetically by organization

West Coast MCC

The July 24th South Valley picnic raised \$7065 for MCC! The event was hosted at the home of Harley and Marolyn Brenneman in Albany and featured entertainment from the Bethel Mountain Band.



Yesterday, **July 31**, marked the start of the annual MCC Fund raising event in the NW where 86 bikers ride the San Juan Islands for a week. Please be in prayer for this group as there is much opportunity for accident or injury. Pray for safety and much fellowship as bicyclists enjoy each other's company, the beautiful islands and at the same time raise money for MCC.

Western Mennonite School

Western Mennonite has three full-time openings for high school level teaching assignments for the 2016-2017 school year including positions teaching **music, English & science**. These full-time positions require a Bachelor's Degree and an Oregon teaching license.

Applicant would be expected to model Christian commitment and faith in and out of school. To be a school leader in evangelism, discipleship, community, peace, service, social justice, and reconciliation. Actively participating in the lives of students and leading them toward the fulfillment of their potential for intellectual, emotional, and psychological growth and maturation. Prior Middle or High School teaching experience preferred for both positions. Any interested candidates should contact Western Mennonite Principal Chad Rush at 503-363-2000 or crush@westernmennoniteschool.org.

MENNONITE CHURCH USA & OTHER CHURCHWIDE AGENCIES

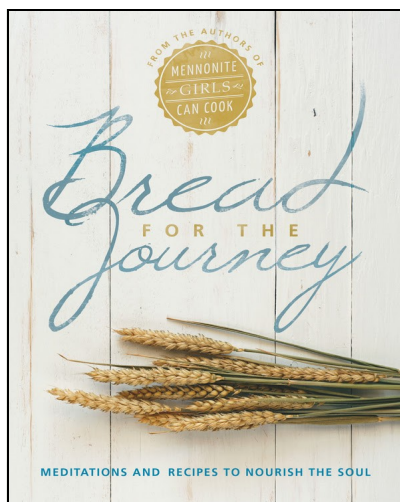
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Anabaptist Mennonite Biblical Seminary

[Explore Anabaptist History and Theology](#): Online, 6 weeks, non-credit, \$200; Dr. Jamie Pitts, Assistant Professor of Anabaptist Studies
September 14 to October 25, Early registration deadline: **August 24**

Learn about the birth and development of the Anabaptist movements in the sixteenth century, giving special attention to their theological, social and political contexts. In addition to surveying the history and theology of the first Anabaptists, the course looks at various interpretations of "Anabaptism" and its meaning today. Students will be challenged to draw connections between the sixteenth century and their own life and ministry. Studying this material will give us insight into the diversity of the early Anabaptist movements. Students will be challenged to offer an account of Anabaptism and its meaning for today that accounts for its historical diversity. We will end our time by examining some of the theological topics Anabaptists held most dearly: Jesus, the Holy Spirit, and discipleship.

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You feed your loved ones. But how do you nourish your soul?

Join the Mennonite Girls as they journey deep into God's Word, reminding us again and again that God gives us bread for our journeys, one day at a time. Your soul needs nourishment, and the words of the Mennonite Girls remind us to celebrate God's constant provision. In this heartfelt book of meditations for women, the bestselling authors of the Mennonite Girls Can Cook series serve as companions on your spiritual journey. The 90 daily devotionals provide morsels for inspiration and reflection, all drawn from God's unending promises in Scripture. Interspersed throughout the devotional are favorite recipes, inviting us to extend our tables and share God's blessing. In the pages of *Bread for the Journey*, you will find:

- daily inspiration for your journey with Jesus
- short prayers and invitations to reflection
- dramatic family stories of suffering, migration, and hope
- tantalizing recipes from the bestselling authors of *Mennonite Girls Can Cook*

*The book is scheduled to be released **August 2** and will be sold for \$16.99.*

Mennonite Church USA

Read the latest news from MC USA at [this link](#).

Mennonite Disaster Service

Volunteers urgently needed from through **September 30** for the Kamiah, ID, Region IV project, constructing three new homes (homes were damaged by wildfire). Volunteers staying two weeks or longer will have their travel costs covered. For scheduling contact John Eshleman, (909) 630-3660 or region4@mds.mennonite.net.

MDS in the News:

Two recent Public Radio stories highlighted MDS' bridge building in West Virginia.

West Virginia Public Radio: [Mennonites build wooden bridges over troubled water in West Virginia](#)

National Public Radio: [To Rebuild bridges, West Virginia turns to Mennonite Technology](#)

Mennonite World Conference

Click [here](#) to find out what's happening in the Mennonite Church around the world.

Upcoming e-Bulletins:

Aug 15 (submissions due by 8/8)

Sept 5 (submissions due by 8/29)

Oct 3 (submissions due by 9/26)

Oct 17 (submissions due by 10/10)

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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