



Loving God...Loving Our Neighbor"
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There will be no Sunday School during Summer

10:00 WORSHIP SERVICE

Prelude	Angela Ishaka
Welcome and Announcements	Nancy Mann
Call to Worship	
<i>L: We come before you, O God, to offer you our worship.</i>	
All: We remember that you led the captives out of Egypt, delivering them from oppression and slavery.	
<i>L: You gave us laws which enabled us to relate to you, to one another, and to the whole of creation.</i>	
All: You encouraged us to be grateful for all the bounty which we have received from your hand.	
<i>L: You provide for our needs.</i>	
All: We place our trust in you.	
Opening Prayer	
Congregational Singing	Angela Ishaka
"Softly and tenderly"	WB #491
"Amazing Love"	on screen
Scripture – Hosea 11:1-4	
Celebrating our Vacation Bible School	
Children's Story	Jim Brown
Children's Song	
"God loves all his many people"	WB #397
Giving of Tithes and Offerings	
Offertory	
Congregational Singing	
"And can it be (Amazing love)"	on screen
"Jesus, keep me near the cross"	WB #617
Scripture – Deuteronomy 26:4-9	Rita Bauman
Sermon "What does your God look like?"	Jim Brown
Time of Sharing, Testimony and Silence	
Pastoral Prayer	
Sending Hymn:	
"The Lord lift you up"	STJ #73
Benediction	
Postlude	

Our morning worship services are being videotaped and put on our website.

A warm welcome to our visitors this morning.
 We hope our time of worship together has been an encouragement to you.
 You are invited to drop by our Welcome Table and learn more about our church and our ministries. God bless you and we hope to see you again!

We welcome Jim Brown to share the message with us this Sunday. Jim is currently "free-lancing" as a Pastor in different congregations. His most recent full-time pastorate was at Riverdale Mennonite Church in Millbank. He and Sharon, along with their youngest son and 2 beagles live in Wellesley. Their other 2 sons live in Toronto and Kelowna, BC. This time of year you can often find Sharon in her garden and Jim in his woodworking shop.

Church Greeters Today: Sylvan & Vera Martin
 Next Week: Dave & Marj Metzger
 Host/Hostess Today: No one scheduled for summer
 Nursery Helpers Today: No one scheduled for summer

Congregational Prayer List

Pray for **Jeff Martin, Sheri Clemmer & Taylor Clemmer** who will be baptized next Sunday. **Taylor Horst** will be welcomed as a new member upon confession of faith. Praise God.
 Pray for **Fred & Shirley Redekop and Roy & Barb Draper** as they return from MC Canada sessions in Saskatoon.
 Be in prayer for the **Community Worship Service** put on by the local churches in Elmira on August 21 at Gibson Park.
 As part of of Elmira and District Ministerial, pray for **Trinity United Church**, as they search for an Interim Minister to walk with them through many big changes.

THIS WEEK AT FMC

Tuesday 8:30 – Ladies breakfast at Crossroads
Sunday, 17 – Nancy Mann preaching
Sunday, 17 – Receiving baptismal and membership candidates

YAF CIRCLE

Aug. 6, 8:00: Campfire at Katie's! At 2801 Berlett's Rd. Wellesley ON N0B 2T0. Bring a lawn chair and snacks to share :)

LOOKING AHEAD at FMC

Jul. 19, 7:00 – Elder's Meeting
Jul. 22, 8:00 – Men's breakfast at Crossroads
Jul. 31 – Ishaka's last Sunday
Aug. 19-21 – Church Camping at Cedar Rail (Scone). A few campsites are still available, so sign up now! There will be a community supper on Saturday evening. Please contact Gloria or Howard Bauman if interested.
Aug. 21, 10:30- Outdoor Ecumenical Service at Gibson Park NOTE TIME: 10:30 am
Aug. 27-28 - We will celebrate the past 25 years with the Redekops with a fun program of slides, skits and songs on Sat. Aug 27 at 7:30 p.m. and a lunch (faspas) at noon on Aug. 28. Talk to Veg, Jane, Barb, Rita B. or Steve Ort if you have ideas. We will publish a special issue of Focus on

Floradale on Aug. 28. Please submit your photos and memories of the past 25 years with the Redekop's to the Focus mailbox or send to rbdraper@golden.net

ADDITIONAL FMC ANNOUNCEMENTS

Bible Reading Goals - By July 10 you should have read up to Psalm 3 and Acts 16. By July 17 you need to read up to Psalm 24 and Acts 20 in order to keep on pace for reading the entire Bible in 2016.

LOOKING AHEAD in the COMMUNITY

Jul. 18-22 – VBS at St. Theresa of Avila Catholic Church. 9:00- noon, ages 4-11. "Birthday blast: A Celebration of Life"

Aug. 4, 7:00 - Woolwich Counseling presents, " Understanding Terrorists: Views from Palestine, Central Africa and Libya by Matthew Brubacher at Gale Presbyterian Church. Matthew grew up in Elmira . He has worked for the United Nations in Congo, Ethiopia and now resides in Tunisia. A free will offering will be taken in support of Woolwich Counseling Another note is that Matthew is the son of Margie and Ray Brubacher. Margie is a retired teacher and Ray was pastor at Elmira Mennonite and worked for Mennonite Central Committee as well.

Aug. 15-19 – VBS at Gale Presbyterian Church. 9-3:30, completed JK – grade 6. "Kintail on the Road – Fearless Faith: Courage in Community."

Aug. 22 – Woolwich Community Services Backpack program. There is a need for 175 backpacks with "supplies required". These can be dropped off by August 22 at WCS office. See the bulletin board by the kitchen for the list of supplies needed.

OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

CAMP INFORMATION

YOU CAN STILL REGISTER! Looking for something fun to do this summer? Go to camp!! Many also still have volunteer opportunities – so call or email the camp of your choice to find out how you can help.

More announcements on the insert.

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OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS - Continued

MCCO – Mennonite Central Committee Ontario

Work on Wednesdays at 50 Kent. 1-3 pm, July 13, 20, 27, Aug 3, 10, and 17, Ages 8-18. Come for an inspirational and educational afternoon of learning together about MCC's Peace and Relief work around the world and at home. Group size is limited so please register early at mcco.ca/events

Host Families Needed Do you have an interest in learning about a new culture and have a gift of extending hospitality? Chansocheata from Cambodia will be serving with IVEP (International Volunteer Exchange Program) at Conrad Grebel University College from Sept/2016 to June/2017. Chansocheata wants to impact lives in a positive way and is friendly, creative and independent. Chansocheata needs a host family to walk alongside her on this journey! For more info, please visit our mcccanada.ca/ivep or email Sheryl Bruggeling at sherylbruggeling@mcco.ca to discuss possibilities.

MC CANADA

Livestream Assembly 2016 coverage and issues of the Assembled News will be available via home.mennonitechurch.ca/saskatoon2016. There is still time to sign up to receive Assembled News by email, delivered straight to your inbox each day of Assembly 2016: www.commonword.ca/go/542.

MENNO YOUTH SINGERS

"High school students--are you already missing the music program at school? Young adults--do you need more music in your life? Consider joining the dynamic and growing Menno Youth Singers, a choir committed to choral excellence, to praising God, and to have a great time (and lots of snacks!) doing so. Check mennosingers.com/mys/ for information. Registration begins in mid-August."

ROCKWAY MENNONITE COLLEGIATE

Invest in the future of our Mennonite youth. You can help shape the Church of tomorrow by nurturing our students today! Your support of Rockway Mennonite Collegiate helps deliver a strong and vibrant program of studies for students from grade 7-12 from within a Christian/Anabaptist faith perspective. The generous support of individuals within our church constituency is vital to continuing this important work of the Church. Only with your help can we raise \$30,000 needed to reach our operating fund target by the end of our fiscal year on July 31st. Please respond today with your gift that will make a difference in the lives of our students. You can donate by cheque to Rockway Mennonite Collegiate or give online at www.rockway.ca. Thank you for partnering with us to equip the next generation of leaders for our Church and our world.
Ann L. Schultz: Principal, Rockway Mennonite Collegiate

JOBS

Mennonite Central Committee, **Assistant Manager, Business: Kitchener.** This salaried full-time position oversees all administrative aspects of the shop including bookkeeping and marketing. The Assistant Manager, Business is accountable to the Thrift on Kent General Manager.

Application due: July 12. Go to

<https://mcccurrentopenings.secure.force.com/>

P-T Assistant Chaplain at Parkwood Mennonite Home. 8 hours/week, lead worship 1/month. Please send resume to: Rev. Beverly Suderman-Gladwell, Chaplain, 726 New Hampshire Street, Waterloo, ON N2K 4M1; Phone: 519.7472151 x 354. Fax: 519.885.6720; bsuderman-gladwell@parkwoodmh.com Applications will be accepted on an on-going basis and will be reviewed beginning August 15, 2016.

Ministry Opportunity - Administrative Assistant to Theological Studies and the Anabaptist Learning Workshop. Take a look at this position to see if it is right for you. ALW is a combined initiative of Conrad Grebel and MCEC. This role is defined as .8 fte (28 hours per week) on a two-year contract with the possibility for renewal. Applications will be accepted at Conrad Grebel until the position is filled but will be reviewed starting July 15, 2016.

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