



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

10:00	<u>WORSHIP SERVICE</u>	
Prelude		Nichelle Bauman
Welcome and Announcements		Richard Bauman
Call to Worship		STJ #138
Opening Prayer		
Congregational Singing		Nichelle Bauman
<i>"Abide with Me" (Medley)</i>		WB #653
Scripture – Psalm 80:7-19		
Children's Story		
Giving of Tithes and Offerings		
Offertory		
Congregational Singing		
<i>"God, Whose Purpose is to Kindle"</i>		WB #135
<i>"Revelation Song"</i>		
Scripture – Luke 12:49-56		Mary Martin
Responsive Reading		WB #714
Sermon <i>"What are the signs saying to us?"</i>		Fred Redekop
Time of Sharing, Testimony and Silence		
Pastoral Prayer		
Sending Hymn:		
<i>"God of Grace and God of Glory"</i>		WB #366
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!

Church Greeters Today: Leon & Chris Kehl
 Next Week: Kathleen Cober & Florence Frey
 Host/Hostess Today: No one scheduled for summer
 Nursery Helpers Today: No one scheduled for summer

Congregational Prayer List

Pray for **Robb Martin** and his children, **Erik & Brittany** as they grieve the loss of **Angie**. Her funeral was on Tuesday.
 Pray for the **community worship service** next week in Gibson Park. The service begins at 10:30.
 Pray for **Cheryl Buehler** as she recovers from mononucleosis.
 Pray for **Ermina Martin** as she adapts to her move to Elora, Wellington Terrace.

THIS WEEK AT FMC

Wednesday, 7:00 – Church Council meeting

Friday – Calendar announcements due

Friday-Sunday – 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.

Sunday, 10:30 – Outdoor Ecumenical Service at Gibson Park The churches of Elmira and district will be joining together for Sunday morning worship. Come and join your hearts and minds in worship as we celebrate the blessings of Christian fellowship as we worship on the theme, "Bless the Lord, my soul." Please bring lawn chairs or blankets and a light snack to share for refreshments after the service. Casual dress. Enveloped offerings will be received by the local churches and loose offering will be donated to Woolwich Community Services.

Sunday School Ministries: Fall 2016

September 11 - **Welcome Back Pot-luck breakfast at 9:30 am.** Everyone is invited to join us for a pot-luck breakfast to celebrate the beginning of another church year. Come with food to share and enjoy visiting with old friends and new. Learn more about our Sunday School Classes which will begin formally the following Sunday.

Sunday School for Children and Youth:

We will offer graded classes for children and Youth at 9:45 am starting on Sept. 18. Details to be announced.

Adult Classes offered at 9:45 am

Children's ministry during church:

On Sunday, Sept 11 we will be starting a Jr. Church ministry for our children. This inter-age program will take place in the Multi-purpose Room following the Children's Story in worship. Children of all ages are welcome. We ask that parents or guardians accompany very young children as needed.

LOOKING AHEAD at FMC

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 pm and a lunch (fasp) at noon on Aug. 28. We will publish a special issue of Focus on Floradale on Aug. 28. Contributions to the Focus are due Aug. 21 to rbdraper@golden.net. Please invite your family member to join us for these special services.

Sept. 29, 9-5:00 – **Senior's Fellowship Fall Bus Tour** Leave Elmira Mennonite Church. Tour Reapers of Hope Food Drying Program, Moorefield. Buffet lunch at Pebbles Family Restaurant, Varney. Visit Riverstone Retreat Centre, Durham. \$50.00 per person Contact Darrell or Florence Jantzi for tickets.

Aug. 25, 6:00 – **MEDA Summer BBQ** in Waterloo Park. Details on the poster on the bulletin board. RSVP for the BBQ to Katie at 519-725-1633 Ext 100 or by emailing her at kbrox@meda.org. Please bring lawn chairs, plates, cutlery, and good weather!

Sept. 7, 7:30 – **Jubilation Male Chorus** invites new members to join them at their first practice held at W-K United Mennonite.

ADDITIONAL FMC ANNOUNCEMENTS

Bible Reading Goals – By August 14 you should have read up to Psalm 102 and Romans 13. By August 21 you need to read up to Psalm 119 and 1 Corinthians 3 in order to keep on pace for reading the entire Bible in 2016.

LOOKING AHEAD in the COMMUNITY

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.

More announcements on the insert.

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OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

MCCO – Mennonite Central Committee Ontario

Work on Wednesdays at 50 Kent. 1-3 pm, Aug 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.

Join the MCC Team – Graphic Designer at MCCO and Relief Manager at Elmira Thrift & Gift Shop. Go to mcco.ca/serve to apply today.

Urgent Need: 2000 Relief Kits and 8000 Hygiene Kits – Multiple crises around the world include Syria, Iraq and Ukraine have depleted our warehouse inventory. Please help replenish our supply. For information and how to make a kit go to mcco.ca/kits.

Listowel Mennonite Church Youth Worker Position Available - If you would like a copy of the job description or more information about the position please e-mail us at lmc@cyg.net

Mennonite Church Canada is looking for a talented, experienced change management/organization development specialist to work alongside the dedicated team of lead personnel from area and national levels of the church body in transforming the directions recommended in the FDTF Final Report and Addendum into an implementation plan. See the Mennonite Church Canada Website to learn more about this position or to apply: <http://home.mennonitechurch.ca/node/1461>.

Mennonite Foundation Canada is about to make a big change. In October, MFC will become Abundance Canada.