

9:45 **SUNDAY SCHOOL** (More info below)

11:00 **WORSHIP SERVICE**

Prelude Casey Horn
Welcome and Announcements Steve O. Bauman

Call to Worship: (Unison – inspired by Psalm 139)

**We've come to worship God,
who loved us before we were yet born,
who knows us even better than we know ourselves,
whose presence never leaves us,
and whose love for us never ceases.**

This is our God.

Let's worship together!

Opening Prayer

Congregational Singing Nichelle Bauman/Johnny Friesen

"Blessed be Your Name" on screen

"Trading My Sorrows" on screen

Scripture Reading – Psalm 139:1-18

Children's Story Nancy Mann

Giving of Tithes and Offerings

Congregational Singing Nichelle Bauman

"Longing for light" STJ#54

"I want to walk as a child of the light" STJ#95

Scripture Reading – 2 Corinthians 4:5-12 Ashley Albrecht

Sermon: "Jars of Clay – and other fragile beings" Nancy Mann

Hymn of Response

"Healer of our every ill" WB#377

Time of Sharing, Testimony and Silence

Pastoral Prayer

Sending Song

"My life flows on" WB#580

Benediction

Postlude

An unstaffed nursery is available during the worship service.

Our morning worship services are being videotaped and put on our website. If for any reason you would not like a portion of the service to be included, please contact the AV person.

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: Glenn & Elaine Martin

Next Week: Howie & Gloria Bauman

Pastor Jim is attending the MCEC re-learning workshop at Conrad Grebel College this weekend.

Congregational Prayer List

This month we will pray for **Elmira Pentecostal Assembly, Elmira**, as part of our commitment to living in an ecumenical community.

Congratulations to the following young adults who have completed post-secondary programs this past year: **Tim Greenwood** graduated with his Masters of Library Science at the University of Western Ontario this past winter. Tim is now a librarian at the Harriston Public Library. **Jenna Martin** graduated from the Early Childhood Education program at Conestoga College in April. She is moving to Banff, Alberta, where she has accepted a position at an Early Childhood Centre. We give thanks that they have both been able to find good employment related to their education.

THIS WEEK AT FMC

Pastor Jim is attending a week long prayer training workshop in the Niagara area this week.

Monday - 6:30 p.m. - Gardening Bee. Come help clean up and mulch the flowerbeds. Bring gardening tools – edgers, shovels and rakes

Tuesday – 9:00 – Ladies Quilting & Knotting

Wednesday – Marj will be out of the office attending MCEC Admin Day

Thursday – 7:00 - Come to learn some of the music for Global Music

Sunday in advance.

Sunday – 11:00 – Global Music Sunday. We will celebrate a time of musical worship by learning and sharing some of the diverse global music which we find in our Mennonite songbooks

YAF CIRCLE

July 15 - Hold the Date! Jake and Ashley Albrecht will host a summer BBQ (evening) for young adults at their home in Elmira. Details to follow.

LOOKING AHEAD at FMC

Summer worship services at Floradale: From July 1 until September 2, 2018 our Sunday morning worship services will begin at 10:00 a.m.

Following our time of worship, we will share Coffee and Refreshments in the church hall. **Please consider volunteering** to share in this ministry of hospitality by **signing up to prepare and serve the refreshments** for one Sunday this summer. All supplies are provided. The sign-up list is located on the main bulletin board at the entrance to the sanctuary. Questions? Speak with Nancy Mann or Susan Martin.

June 12 – 8:30 – Ladies Breakfast at Bonnie Lou's

June 13 – 7:00 - Elders

June 13 – 6:00 - Ladies Progressive Supper starting at Char Weber's, 169 Oriole Parkway, Elmira. Please bring lawn chairs and carpool if you can so we have less vehicles to park. There will be a small donation collected to put towards the main course of the meal. We have a great response. Should be a fun evening of food and fellowship.

June 20 – 6:30 - Church Council

June 22 – 8:00 – Men's Breakfast at Crossroads-speaker

Jim Loepp Thiessen.

Sunday, July 22 from 4 - 7pm - Picnic in the Park for Young Families:

Young families are invited to a "Picnic in the Park" at Floradale Park. Please bring a picnic dinner for your own family. Veggies to share, ice

cream treats and ice cold water will be provided. We will play in the playground, eat dinner around 5 pm, and then play some semi-organized games together. RSVP to Nancy Mann if you plan to join us.

Sunday School Classes available at 9:45

Drawing Class	Room 12
Discussion Class	Room 9
Seniors Bible Study	Board Room
Adult Bible Study	Room 11

ADDITIONAL FMC ANNOUNCEMENTS

Friday, June 22, 8:30 a.m. - Meet at Elmira Mennonite Church for **Area Senior's Fellowship Bus Trip** to Martin's Family Fruit Farm to tour processing plant and Walters Theatre for dinner and to see ***Amish Love and Forgiveness***. Tickets have all been spoken for unless we would have a cancellation. See Darrell or Florence Jantzi for availability.

June 23 – You are invited to the 60th Surprise Birthday celebration of Shirley Redekop. It will be held at the Redekop home at 4 Ernst Street in Elmira, from 6:30 pm till whenever. There will be a short presentation/program at 7:30 pm. If you want to come a little early to yell surprise come around 6:00. The theme will be ice cream because Shirley loves ice cream. If you are unable to come please send her a card. If you come please bring women's toiletries/or food bank items to be donated to Woolwich Community Services. Please bring lawn chairs. Also, invite other people who know Shirley. If you have questions, please contact Fred at fredredkop@mcco.ca

July 29th - "Save the Date!" Help us to celebrate the ministry of Nancy and Robert and Nichelle and Greg here at Floradale. Light lunch will be provided followed by a short program.

Let's have Lego! Our Jr. Church program is in need of a "Lego replenishment" for the fall. You can contribute to our Lego supply by:

- 1) Bringing in a donation from your home supply. Gently used lego in good condition is most welcome.
- 2) Purchase a lego item and donate it to our children's ministry. (These items can be placed in the lego collection bin in the church foyer. Other small building toys, such as Play mobile are also welcome.)
- 3) Place a small financial donation in a church offering envelope and give it during the offering. Designate "Lego Drive."

Thank you for supporting our children's ministry in this way. Let's have Lego!

Photo Permission: At the outdoor service and throughout the year our church photographers take photos of people at FMC (all ages) for possible publication in places like "Focus on Floradale", the FMC website, Sunday morning slide show, etc. If you do not want your picture published during this calendar year, please inform the church office.

See announcement sheet for other announcements.



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