

FLORADALE MENNONITE CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENT SHEET

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LOOKING AHEAD in the COMMUNITY

March 22 – The Knights of Columbus Council 8192 is hosting a **FISH FRY** at St. Teresa of Avila Parish Hall, 19 Flamingo Drive, Elmira. There will be continuous seating – 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Take out will be at 5:00 – 5:30 p.m. See poster on foyer bulletin board for more details. Proceeds go to the Knights of Columbus Charities.

March 24 - 7:00 p.m. – Front Porch Gospel Presents **The Master's Four Gospel** singing group in concert at Mount Forest Pentecostal Church all for a free will offering.

March 31 - 7:00 p.m. – Waterloo North Mennonite Church. Join song lead Mark Diller Harder, instrumentalists and the Menno Singers Family of Choirs (Menno Singers, Menno Youth Singers and Inter-Mennonite Children's Choir) for an evening of vigorous hymn singing on the theme "**Heart Songs**" Admission by donation. (Re-scheduled from February 24.)

March 31 - 4:00 p.m. – **Bach St Mark Passion:** Spiritus Ensemble performs this rarely heard Bach setting of the Passion story with Stratford actor Scott Wentworth providing narration in English. With soloists Sheila Dietrich, Jennifer Enns Modolo, and Bud Roach; Kenneth Hull conducting at The Church of St John the Evangelist, 23 Water Street North, Kitchener. Tickets available at the door and through Eventbrite. Regular \$30 | Senior (65+) \$25 | Students \$10 | High school and under 13 \$5.

April 6 - 7:30 p.m. at Rockway Mennonite Church (47 Onward Ave, Kitchener) and Sunday April 7, 3:00pm at Knox Presbyterian in Elora (51 Church St.) - Join Menno Singers and artistic director Brandon Leis for 'Lamentation - Prayers, Songs and Hymns of Lament.' Admission by donation with proceeds to Mennonite Coalition for Refugee Support (MCRS).

April 12 & 13, 7:30 p.m., 14, 3:00 p.m. – Elmira Area Churches will present **Handel's Messiah** at Woodside Church. April 14 performance at FMC. Tickets \$5 each available at the church office.

May 10, 7:00 p.m. – Menno Youth Singers Annual Coffee House and Spring Concert at Waterloo North Mennonite. See poster for more details.

OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

AMBS

!Explore 2019 still has openings! Through !Explore, students in grades 10–12 can explore ministry and theology, grow in spiritual practices and listen for God's call through a summer congregational internship and a Group Experience (July 9-25). The AMBS program is open to youth from all backgrounds. Apply now! ambs.edu/explore

Scholarships available! Ready to pursue seminary studies? Anabaptist Mennonite Biblical Seminary in Elkhart, Indiana, offers both need-based financial aid and scholarships for students learning both on campus and at a distance. Apply for ministry scholarships by April 1. ambs.edu/scholarships

CONRAD GREBEL COLLEGE

Let's Talk Tech! Youth ages 12–18 are invited to Conrad Grebel University College on **March 22 from 6 to 10 pm** for a pizza dinner and a chance to explore how technology impacts the church and society. Let's talk about using technology purposefully, peacebuilding and tech, what it means to find a digital balance, and other important topics. To register, email Rebekah at rjdejong@uwaterloo.ca. Cost is \$5. Check out our speaker line-up at www.uwaterloo.ca/grebel/events/lets-talk-tech

Join Conrad Grebel University College for Grebel's Student Council production of Disney's **Beauty and the Beast** on March 29 & 30 at 7 PM and March 30 & 31 at 1 PM at the Conrad Centre for Performing Arts in Kitchener. Purchase tickets at uwaterloo.ca/grebel/musical. \$25/\$20.

CHRISTIAN PEACEMAKER TEAMS

Job opportunity as full-time Development Coordinator expanding their financial capacity and fiscal sustainability. Apply to hiring@cpt.org by April 12 with position beginning August 1st.

HIDDEN ACRES MENNONITE CAMP

Spring Seniors' Retreat at Hidden Acres Mennonite Camp, April 15th or 16th. Dave and Mary Lou Klassen will lead us as we explore "The Many Faces of Africa" and find out what we can learn from cross-cultural relationships about life and faith. Brochures are available (insert location of brochures if you choose to print some). For more information contact the camp at [519-625-8602](tel:519-625-8602), info@hiddenacres.ca, or visit our website at www.hiddenacres.ca. Space is limited, please register by April 8th.

MC CANADA

MC Canada Gathering 2019: Igniting the Imagination of the Church
June 28 - July 1, Quality Hotel & Conference Centre, Abbotsford, BC

MCEC

MCEC Annual Church Gathering 2019 - Deepening Our Relationship With God - April 26 & 27, 2019 at Steinmann Mennonite Church, Baden, ON with April Yamasaki. **Psalm 27** is our text for the weekend. Mediate on it over the next few weeks. "Psalm 27 expresses a deep, personal relationship with God in times of joy and trouble. It points the way to how we might deepen our relationship with God." Registration now open.

PASTORS IN EXILE (PIE)

Pastors in Exile (PiE) is hosting an online silent fundraising auction that will open on 3.14 and run for 15 days and 9 hours (translation: March 14-29). Support PiE's ministry by going to www.32auctions.com/pieauction2019, registering for the auction, and get ready to bid!

SILVER LAKE MENNONITE CAMP

Family Camp at Silver Lake Mennonite Camp: Registration is now open for Family Camp from May 17-19. Bring a tent/trailer or plan to stay in one of our new cabins and let us handle the programming and food so you can enjoy camp together as a family. To register or for more information, please visit www.slmc.ca or contact the camp office fun@slmc.ca or 519-422-1401.

Volunteering at Silver Lake Mennonite Camp, Sauble Beach. Each week of the summer, at Silver Lake, volunteers help staff with preparing meals, leading sessions, driving vehicles and keeping the property and facilities in top notch condition. Lots of great things are happening at Silver Lake so please consider experiencing the magic of camp first-hand this summer as a volunteer. Call 519-422-1401 for more information or visit <http://slmc.ca/camp/volunteers/> to register.