

FLORADALE MENNONITE CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENT SHEET

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LOOKING AHEAD in the COMMUNITY cont'd

Nov 2 - 7:30 p.m. - Kenyan Kids Foundation Canada invites you to an evening of singing classic folk songs together with our acoustic house band at Calvary United Church, St. Jacobs. Admission by donation in support of KKFC. For info visit www.kenyankidsfoundation.ca/folk

November 2 – 8:00 p.m. at St. John the Evangelist, 23 Water St., Kitchener and **Sunday November 3 – 3:00 p.m.** at Trillium Lutheran, 22 Willow St, Waterloo, **the DaCapo Chamber Choir** begins the final season of its “**Road to Refuge**” series with the first of three “renewal”-themed concerts. The choir, along with guest harpist Angela Schwarzkopf, **present *The Sun’s Birthday***. Tickets for the concert are available on the choir’s web site (www.dacapochoir.ca) or at the door. Adults \$25, Seniors (65+) \$20, Post Secondary Students \$15, Youth & Children (18 & under) \$5

November 8 - The Knights of Columbus invites everyone to a **ST. TERESA OF AVILA SPAGHETTI DINNER** 19 Flamingo Drive, Elmira. The meal will be served from 5:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Tickets can be purchased through the Parish Office, Monday to Friday, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. or by calling 519-669-3387. Ticket are: Adults \$12.00; Children 6-12 years \$6.00, Children 5 & under free and a Family of 4 is \$25.00. Those who have purchased take-out tickets can pick their meals up at 4:30 p.m. There will be a quilt auction as well. Last chance to purchase tickets is Wednesday, November 6th. All are welcome! Funds raised from the quilt auction will go towards the Building Maintenance Project.

November 9 - 7:30 p.m. - Trillium Lutheran Church (Waterloo) – Join Menno Singers and artistic director **Brandon Leis** for their first concert of the year entitled ‘**Mothering God**’. Choral works by spiritual minimalists celebrating Theophanic light, featuring works by Arvo Pärt, John Tavener, Knut Nystedt, Henryk Górecki and more. Tickets (\$25, \$5 student) available at www.mennosingers.com or at the door.

November 16 - The annual **MCC Peace Conference** is an incredible opportunity to learn together. This day-long event will inspire and inform through general sessions, workshops and conversations with messengers of peace. You will hear how a bowl of soup can change the world; how an entrepreneur can be a peacebuilder; how to walk alongside our brothers and sisters experiencing poverty and so much more. Children (aged 4-10) are also invited to become Junior Peacebuilders and create, learn and play together as they explore what a life of peace means for them! Go to mcco.ca/peace-conference for more information and to register.

November 30 – 7:00 p.m. (Doors open at 6pm) - The Skit Guys, very well known throughout the USA and Canada for their comedy will be at the International Gospel Center, 35 Charles St. E, Kitchener. Tommy Woodard and Eddie James are The Skit Guys and have been best friends since high school. Think of them as the wise guys in class who had everyone laughing and managed to make a career out of it. They've been teaching God's word using comedy and drama for over twenty years and we're excited to have them. \$20/person - Tickets required and may be purchased online at www.gospelcentre.net

December 1 - 2:30 p.m. at **Detweiler Meetinghouse, 3445 Roseville Road, Roseville. *Lifted Voices* from First Mennonite Church in Kitchener** will provide a variety of Christmas music. A freewill offering in support of Meetinghouse operations will be held. Everyone welcome. More information: Laurence Martin, 519-504-4591.

December 21 (2:30 p.m.) and December 22 (2:30 p.m.) - St. Jacobs Mennonite Church presents, “*The Worst Best Christmas Pageant Ever*”. A hilarious one-hour Christmas comedy for the whole family, including grandparents! Free refreshments follow. Tickets go on sale Oct 20th at SJMC Office: Phone: 519-664-2268 or Email: administrator@sjmc.on.ca. Child/Youth \$5.00; Adult \$10.00. General Admission Seating. Website: www.sjmc.on.ca. Proceeds to Woolwich Community Services.

OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

CMU

Students, take note of **Open House Opportunities** at CMU:

Music Open House for students in grade 11 & 12, including campus tour, music workshops, student showcases, conversations with faculty. Nov. 14, 5:30 – 9:00 PM.

Discover Outatown | An Off-Campus Campus Visit Day. Go on an adventure and learning experience in Winnipeg and get a taste of the Outatown program. Nov. 15, 8:45 AM – 3:00 PM.

Campus Visit Day. Come discover all that CMU has to offer. Explore the campus, meet with faculty, sit in on a class, and more. Nov. 22, 8:45 AM – 3:00 PM. See cmu.ca/campusvisit for details.

Registration is now open for the **Canadian School of Peacebuilding, Jun. 8-12 and 15-19, 2020.** Go to csop.cmu.ca for more information and to apply for your choice of five-day courses on topics such as Indigenous politics and land, leadership in polarized environments, active bystander training, religion and violence, Indigenous graphic novels and reconciliation, and trauma and healing.

CONRAD GREBEL COLLEGE

Grebel and Uwaterloo Open House Day – Come and see what Grebel and University of Waterloo have to offer! This open house is for students looking to attend UWaterloo in Fall 2020 or beyond. Come tour campus and get to know Grebel from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on Saturday, November 2.”

“Grebel Gallery Exhibit Launch: The Cultural Life of Drones: KW Drone Dialogues – Join us for an opening reception and artist talk on November 14, 7 p.m. Drawing on local community partners involved in drone technologies and their applications, the "Cultural Life of Drones" explores how conversations about visual culture, technology, privacy, commercialization, safety, peace building and the question of our shared humanity, can be brought into public dialogue via art.”

MDS

MDS Needs Volunteers in Scenic Renfrew County to help with the recovery from the 2019 Ottawa River flooding. The work will include rebuilding and repairing to get people back into their homes. Work is expected to go through the fall and possibly winter. Accommodations will be available in La Passe. Please consider this opportunity. To volunteer or for more info contact: Nick Hamm – 905-401-3990 or hammnicholas.mds@outlook.com; Martin Durksen – 904-736-1060 or alana@cogeco.ca; Earl Martin – 519-741-6320 or emartinsandpiper@gmail.com; Evelyn Peters-Rojas – 1-866-261-1274 or epetersrojas@mds.mennonite.net.

PiE Fall 2019 Activities:

PiE (Pastors in Exile) is a community based ministry accompanying young adults in Waterloo Region. We also host larger intergenerational community events. Consider joining us for one of our fall groups/events:

Songs for the Holy Other - Sunday, Nov.10th, 3-4:30 pm, Rockway Mennonite Church. PiE (Pastors in Exile) invites you to join us for a community hymn sing celebrating the LGBTQIA2S+ Community. Come sing Queer Hymns with us!

Grounding Retreat: Discovering our Sacred Gifts in Climate Emergency November 15-17, 2019 at Loyola House, Guelph Facing deep grief and dying ecosystems, we come together to ask God: ‘what is emerging’ through this ecumenical contemplative prayer retreat hosted by [Student Christian Movement](#) and [Pastors in Exile](#). For more information and to register by October 29: www.pastorsinexile.org/grounding

ROCKWAY MENNONITE COLLEGIATE

DISCOVER ROCKWAY NIGHT - Join us on Thursday, November 7th from 7-9pm. This is an opportunity for future parents and students to meet Rockway Mennonite Collegiate's faculty and explore the school's academic program and extra curricular opportunities. We look forward to welcoming you! Register at www.rockway.ca.

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

We at First Mennonite Church (FMC) are seeking an Administrative Assistant who will support and enhance the vision and mission of the church by providing administrative, clerical and bookkeeping assistance to the pastors and committees of the church. We expect the Administrative Assistant to respect and be supportive of the Mennonite faith and practice. The full job description can be found at firstmennonitekitchener.ca/2019/10/03/job-opportunity/. If interested, please submit your resume to Cath Woolner by email at [cathwoolner \(at\) gmail.com](mailto:cathwoolner@gmail.com) or delivery to Administrative Assistant Recruitment, 800 King St. E., Kitchener, ON N2G 2M6 before October 31st.

House of Friendship is looking for a part-time Church Partnerships Manager. This is a part time, permanent position of 25 hours per week, with the flexibility to work weekends to participate in church gatherings or community events. This is a new role with the potential of increasing hours in the future depending on the need. More details and full job description is posted on the Missions Bulletin Board.