

9:30 SUNDAY SCHOOL**10:30 WORSHIP SERVICE****Prelude****Gathering & Praising:**

Welcome and Announcements

Invitation to Worship

Gathering Prayer

Song: *Here I Am to Worship*

on screen

Song: *Lord, I Need You*

on screen

Proclaiming & Hearing:

Children's Time

Offering: *God loves all him many people*

HWB#397

Dismissal for Junior Church

Song: *Wonderful grace of Jesus*

HWB#150

Scripture: Luke 4:1-13

Sermon: Feasting with our faith, part one: Feasting through fasting

Song: *Cornerstone*

on screen

Sharing & Sending:

Sharing and Prayer

Song: *Oh, have you not heard*

HWB#606

Farewell Blessing

Postlude

Preacher: Jim Loepp Thiessen**Worship Leader:** Steve O. Bauman**Musicians:** Barb Draper, Donna Freeman, Johnny Friesen, Jocelyn Martin,
Brett Shantz, Jeanette Towns, Veg Weber**Church Greeters Today:** Mark & Marilyn Weber**Church Greeters Next Week:** Roy & Barb Draper**Coffee Hosts:** Karen & Dan Bender

Children of all ages are invited to Jr. Church. We ask that parents/guardians accompany very young children as needed.

An unstaffed nursery is available during the worship service.

The sermon portion of this worship service is being videotaped and put on our website. The complete service is shared only with subscribers to the Floradalian mailing group. 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.

God bless you and we hope to see you again!

For the six Sundays in Lent the children in our congregation will be collecting money for MCC School Kits to be assembled at a later date. You're invited to support this project by contributing loose change and/or bills for the children to bring to the front during the Offering. Thanks for your support!

Congregational Prayer List

This month we will pray for **Gale Presbyterian Church** as part of our commitment to living in an ecumenical community.

Please pray for **Martha Eby** as she recovers at home from severe after effects in her head, and weakness in her body, from a hearing test.

Christian Education Options – 9:30 Sunday mornings

- Adult Bible Study – boardroom
- Drawing class – Room 12
- Christian Education Variety - Room 9
- Lenten Guided Prayer Group – Mar. 1 – Apr. 12

Christian Education Variety Schedule

Today - Five ways to pray, part 1 with Jim Loepp Thiessen

March 8 – Five ways to pray, part 2 with Jim Loepp Thiessen

March 15 - Origins of the Bible

March 22 - The Bible of the Early Church to the 1500s

March 29 - The Bible of the 1500s to the present

April 5 - The Stations of the Cross

THIS WEEK AT FMC

Tuesday – 9:00 – Ladies Quilting & Knotting

Thursday – 9:30 – Let's Connect. An opportunity for seniors to play games and connect.

Thursday – 7:00–Hopping Thursday-children's program for SK-Gr 8.

YAF CIRCLE

March 22 - 12:00 p.m. - Young adult potluck and discussion.

LOOKING AHEAD AT FMC

March 10 -12:00 noon - 90th Birthday lunch for Betty Snip at the Crossroads restaurant. All ladies are welcome.

March 11 – 6:30 – Church Council

March 27 – 8:00 – Men's Breakfast, location to be determined

March 29 – Annual General Meeting

March 31 – 6:00 - Elders

ADDITIONAL FMC ANNOUNCEMENTS

Anyone able to bring a small meal to Sylvan and Vera Martin, please sign up on the signup sheet (**new for month of March**) outside Jim's office or contact Mary Frey Martin or Susan Martin. Meals should be in disposable containers or containers that don't have to be returned.

Wednesday Evening Lenten Services: 7:00 p.m.

Mar. 4 – Gale Presbyterian – Fred Lichti speaking
Mar. 11 – Elmira Mennonite – Jim Loepp Thiessen speaking
Mar. 18 – Trinity United – Peter Meyer speaking
Mar 25 – Zion Mennonite – Paul Dyck speaking
Apr. 1 – Floradale – Sue Campbell speaking

LOOKING AHEAD in the COMMUNITY

John. B. Miller and Friends Lent 2020 - Join us for Stations of the Cross followed by a meditative candlelight concert. All evenings begin at 7:00 p.m. and last approximately 1 hour. Admission: \$10.00 cash at the door. Concert locations are at the following Catholic churches: St. Mary Church, Kitchener - Friday, Feb. 28, Blessed Sacrament Church, Kitchener - Thursday, Mar. 5, Basilica of Our Lady, Guelph - Friday, Mar. 6, St. Louis Church, Waterloo - Friday, Mar. 13, St. Joseph Church, Fergus – Wednesday.

March 7 - 10 am – 12 pm - Anxiety and Depression Seminar, with Mike Glugosh at the Youth Centre of Woolwich Memorial Centre. Refreshments provided. Co-sponsored by Elmira Mennonite Church and Woolwich Community Services.

DaCapo Chamber Choir will perform their upcoming concert "Life and Love and Wings" on March 7th (8pm, St. John the Evangelist, Kitchener) and March 8th (3pm, Trillium Lutheran, Waterloo)
Featuring mezzo-soprano Jennifer Enns-Molodo in the new piece by Jeff Enns, "From a Distant Star", commissioned in memory of Marg Janzen. Tickets available online (until 4hrs before the performance) or at the door (cash/cheque only) Adults \$25, Seniors (65+) \$20, Post Secondary Students \$15, Youth & Children (18 & under) \$5 (no additional fees for ordering online)

March 7 – 6:00 – Annual MEDA Banquet - You are invited to the MEDA Waterloo Network Hub's Annual Banquet. Come for a delicious meal and hear about MEDA's impact and updates on the Myanmar project, "Improving Market Opportunities for Women." **Time:** Doors open at 6:00pm, dinner served at 6:30pm; **Location:** Waterloo North Mennonite Church, 100 Benjamin Road, Waterloo, **Cost:** \$40 for adults, \$20 for students; **RSVP** by February 21: www.meda.org/waterloo-events; **For more info**, contact medawat@gmail.com

See announcement sheet for more announcements.



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