



August 25, 2019

Welcome & Announcements
Call to Worship
Prayer
Congregational Singing
Offertory
Children's Story
Congregational Singing
Scripture Reading – Luke 15: 11-32
Message – “Come on Home”
Closing song
Benediction

Worship Leader – Gerry Giesbrecht
Song Leader & Accompanists – Gerry & Cassie Giesbrecht
Children's Story – Karla Fehr
Offertory – Luke Klassen
Scripture Reading – Silas Wall

MISSION STATEMENT

We, the Blumenort Mennonite Church, commit to worship God with our lives, enabled by the Holy Spirit to follow the example of Jesus the Christ.

VERSE FOR THE WEEK

*And may you have power to know how deep, how wide, how high and how deep His love is. May you experience the love of Christ, though it is too great to understand fully. Then you will be made complete with all of the fullness of life and power that comes from God.
Ephesians 3: 18-19*

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

CHILDREN'S CHURCH
YOUTH CENTER

For ages 1-4 during the Sunday morning service. Drop off your child(ren) at 10:15am.

YOUTH

August 30 - Goldeyes Game. \$20/person. Meet at BMC – 4:45pm. Back at BMC – 11:30pm. Pick up and Drop off in Altona also available if needed. Contact Gerry Giesbrecht to reserve a ticket ASAP.

SAVE THE DATE

September 11, 2019 @ 7pm

CHURCH CALENDAR

September
1 – Rudy Franz
8 – Promotion Sunday – Allan Friesen
15 – Rudy Franz
22 – Service of Communion- Rudy Franz
29 – Gerry Giesbrecht

PRAYER FOR THE WEEK

Lord, teach me the silence of love, the silence of wisdom, the silence of humility, the silence of faith, the silence that speaks without words. O Saviour, teach me to silence my heart that I may listen to the gentle movement of the Holy Spirit within me and sense the depths which are God, today and always. Amen.

GIVING UPDATE

Budget to Date // \$ 245, 191
Income to Date // \$ 179, 711
Needed // \$ **65, 480**

MISSIONS

- Ryan Thiessen
- Tyler Loewen
- Murray and Carol Honsberger
- Laure and Her Family
- Eagles Wings Children's Village

PRAYER LIST

We pray for those facing illness, recovery or other difficulties

- Linda Penner and Family
- Jon and Melissa Wiebe
- Paul J Peters and Family
- Werner & Marlene Ens
- Helen Janzen
- Jake Rempel
- Elma Kehler, recuperating at home
- Al Rempel & Family
- Katrina & Justin Rempel
- Dave & Erica Rempel

ANNOUNCEMENTS

ORGANIZATIONS WE SUPPORT

MENNONITE COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE

MDS

Mennonite Disaster Service Manitoba is requesting your help to rebuild a home destroyed by fire in March in Marquette, MB, about 35 km northwest of Headingly. Daily volunteers are needed beginning September 23, 2019. To volunteer, contact Richard Redekop by phone or text at 204-292-6166 or email Denis Keating at [denis@keatingmechanical.com](mailto:atdenis@keatingmechanical.com).

MDS is also fundraising for this new home. To donate, please call the MDS office in Winnipeg at 204-261-1274 to pay by credit card; send a cheque to MDS, 200-600 Shaftesbury Blvd, Winnipeg, MB, R3P 2J1, or donate on-line at www.mds.mennonite.net. Designate MB Fire '19 - Marquette.

MCC

We are ALL treaty people. Join MCC Manitoba staff at the annual We Are All Treaty People Celebration on Sept. 15. Come out to build and celebrate relationships and raise awareness around Treaty One!

Event details: 1 - 4 pm at the Forks on the field near the Provencher Bridge. Featuring: Tracy Bone, Christine Fellows, Warrior Women's Drum Circle and Treaty Commissioner. Free food, music, games, dancing and art; craft vendors on site; family activities include puppet making and crafts. Picnic blankets provided; bring your own lawn chair

To find out more contact Kerry Saner-Harvey at 204-925-1911 or kerrysanerharvey@mccmb.ca or visit mccmb.ca/Events.

September 15: [We Are All Treaty People Celebration](#)

September 20: MCC Canada's AGM

September 26: MCC Manitoba's AGM

September 28: [Brandon Relief Sale](#)

EDEN FOUNDATION

Come ride Eden Foundation's Head for the Hills cycling fund-raiser on Saturday, September 7th starting at Morden's Colert Beach. Two routes to choose from. Full details at edenhealthcare.ca.

Coming in mid- September! The women's class will be studying "Esther: It's tough being a woman" by Beth Moore. The writers say, "Esther calls us to think beyond our individual lives. The book provides a greater and more awe- inspired view that will strengthen our individual lives and deepen our personal relationships with God." Ladies consider joining this part-video part-discussion study with us this fall! Details coming soon. Leaders will be Char Klassen and Esther Zacharias.

On September 8, our Promotion Sunday service will be held outdoors, with our speaker Allan Friesen sharing about the significance of God's Word. Lunch will be served, and a bouncy castle has been booked for the children, so plan to stay and visit! Please bring lawn chairs, and a salad or ice cream topping to share. Main course, drinks, and ice cream will be provided.

After Promotion Sunday, Sara Froese will be retiring from teaching, after more than 40 years in the classroom. We want to celebrate Sara's faithful and significant role in the many lives she has touched by taking a photo of her with all of her students. If you or your child have been her student, please plan to attend!! If you have children/siblings/extended family members who attend church elsewhere, but have been Sara's students, please invite them to spend the morning with us, as we would love to have as many of her students in attendance as possible. The photo will be taken directly following the church service, before the meal is served.

Clubs season is right around the corner and were looking for volunteers once again. We hope to start in November, but there is no set date yet. Clubs is for grades 3-6. If you would like to volunteer your time one Wednesday a week that would be greatly appreciated. If any questions, please contact Rachelle Loewen at 362-8323.

MEMORY PASSAGE SUMMER 2019

MARK 4:35-41 (NIV)

Jesus Calms the Storm

35 That day when evening came, he said to his disciples, "Let us go over to the other side." 36 Leaving the crowd behind, they took him along, just as he was, in the boat. There were also other boats with him. 37 A furious squall came up, and the waves broke over the boat, so that it was nearly swamped. 38 Jesus was in the stern, sleeping on a cushion. The disciples woke him and said to him, "Teacher, don't you care if we drown?" 39 He got up, rebuked the wind and said to the waves, "Quiet! Be still!" Then the wind died down and it was completely calm. 40 He said to his disciples, "Why are you so afraid? Do you still have no faith?" 41 They were terrified and asked each other, "Who is this? Even the wind and the waves obey him!"

WEEKLY SERVICES & HOURS

SUNDAY SCHOOL // 9:15am
CHILDREN'S CHURCH in the Youth
Centre // 10:15am
SUNDAY SERVICE // 10:30am

WEDNESDAYS

Youth (Grade 7-12) // 7:00-9:15pm

SERMON NOTES

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES

CHILDREN AND YOUTH CLASSES

WEEKLY
For anyone ages 3-Grade 12. The children's classes usually meet in the sanctuary for singing together before heading to their classes. Grades 7-12 meet in the Youth Centre at 9:15 am

YOUNG ADULT'S CLASS

WEEKLY
The young adult's class meets in a basement classroom across from the library.

WOMEN'S CLASS

WEEKLY
The women's class meets in the old, youth room, in the Sunday school wing...large room next to the office.

MEN'S CLASS

WEEKLY
Garry Fehr usually leads the men's Sunday school class. They are meeting downstairs in the classroom across from the library.

SENIOR'S CLASS

WEEKLY
The senior's class meets upstairs in the room across from Gerry's office

DOWNSTAIRS CLASS

WEEKLY
Al Friesen and Geoff Loewen lead a class that meets in the fellowship hall in the basement.

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