

## Sunday September 29, 2019

Welcome & Announcements
Call to Worship
Prayer
Congregational Singing
Offertory
Prayer Time
Special Music
Congregational Singing
Scripture Reading —John 1: 1-18;
Hebrews 12: 1-2
Message — "Look To Jesus"
Closing song
Benediction

Worship Leader — Rudy Franz Speaker — Gerry Giesbrecht Song Leader — Charlotte Klassen Accompanist — Riley Dyck Scripture Reader — Cassie Giesbrecht Special Music — Seth & Erica Klassen

## 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 as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, so must the Son of Man be lifted up, that whoever believes in Him may have eternal Life.

John 3: 14 - 15

## CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

## CHILDREN'S CHURCH

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

#### YOUTH

October 2, 2019 @ 7pm - Bible Study deliver flyers for Food Drive

### SAVE THE DATE

# THANKSGIVING

Songs of Praise October 13

## CHURCH CALENDAR

## OCTOBER

6 – Thanksgiving 13 – Songs of Praise

20 - Rudy Franz

27 - Walter Dyck

## **GIVING UPDATE**

Budget to Date // \$ 281, 250 Income to Date // \$ 198, 086 Needed // \$ 83, 165

### 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

- Werner & Marlene Ens
- Helen Janzen
- Jake Rempel
- Elma Kehler, recuperating at home
- Katrina & Justin Rempel
- Dave & Erica Rempel

## PRAYER FOR THE WEEK

God of our forbearers, give us the courage and wisdom of the Saints who have gone on before us; form in us the image of Your Son; renew Your Holy Spirits work in our generation. May we live and serve under the Lordship of Jesus the Christ for now and always.

Amen.

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

## **ORGANIZATIONS WE SUPPORT**

EDEN FOUNDATION — presents a dessert evening entitled "Rising above Addictions, Stories of Transformation", on Tuesday, October 8 at 7 p in the Grace Mennonite Church in Winkler. Come hear from people who are prepared to share their stories.

#### The Gardens on Tenth

Annual meeting is on Thursday, October 22, 2019 at 7 pm. Our church needs delegates. If you are interested please let John H Falk or Pastor Rudy Franz know.

Fall Soup & Pie Supper is on Thursday, October 29, 2019, from 5 - 7 pm at the Gardens on Tenth

## Union Gospel Mission

Banquet on October 11, 2019 at the Rhineland Pioneer Centre in Altona. Tickets are available at BSI – 204-324-8666; Prairie Insurance Brokers – 204-324-5579. Check the poster on the bulletin board for more information.

#### MENNONITE COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE

## MDS - see updated list on the bulletin board

**MCC** - MCC annual fall meeting is taking place on September 30th at 2pm, at the Altona Senior Centre. Kellen Friesen will be giving a report on the Mexico Missions trip. Coffee and dainties to follow.

### WINKLER BIBLE CAMP

## **COMMUNITY EVENTS**

#### LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

Living well with our new Reality: How our faith and beliefs inform our understanding of life and suffering as a response to Medical Assistance in Dying (MAID). With her extensive knowledge and experience in providing end of life Spiritual Care, Kathleen Rempel Boschman, Manager of Spiritual Care at Concordia Hospital, is well equipped to help us navigate this challenging discussion. You are invited to join this event on Sunday, September 29, 2019 at 2 pm at the Neubergthal Commons.

A Southern Manitoba 55+ Enrichment program is being offered by CMU at Emmanuel Mennonite Church in Winkler from October 3 – November 7, 2019' from 9 am to 11:30am There are no assignments or exams. Cost is \$ 110 for two courses or \$70 for one course. Register online at www.cmu.ca/xplore or call 204-325-4710. See the poster on the bulletin board for more information.

### CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

The mailboxes, in the front foyer have been rearranged. Please check and take home what is in them. Even if you are not a church member you likely got a box. If your name is missing please let the office know.

#### **BIRTHS**

Congratulations to **Jason & Alyssa Fehr**, on the birth of a son, **Isaac Glenn**, on Wednesday, September 25, 2019. He is a grandson for Allan Friesen.

Congratulations to **Jake & Melissa Loewen** on the birth of a son, Liam Rhett, on Friday, September 26, 2019. He is a brother for Hailey, Emily & Aaliyah. He is a grandson for Johann & Nellie Nickel. God's blessings to you all as you raise these children to love Jesus.

#### PRAYER/PRAISE

Thank you to all the volunteers who have come forward to help out with the Clubs Program this winter. More information will be shared, once it is available.

Dave Rempel will be having hip replacement surgery on Wednesday, October 2 at the Grace Hospital in Winnipeg. Pray for Doctors and nurses and for Dave & the Family as they prepare for this time.

Doctors are aiming to operate on Katrina Rempel in the last 2 weeks of October. Dr Berrington is the head neurologist operating on the spinal cord and Dr. Johnson is the head surgeon in charge of straightening her spine. Both of these are delicate & risky surgeries. Katrina asks that we pray for wisdom & guidance for the doctors, pray for Justin and their families as they navigate each day, trusting that God knows how to create what is best.

Saturday, October 5 is our day to pray for Eagles Wings Children's Village in Uganda. We do this deliberately on the fifth day of each month.

Ron Pearce, from **Empower Ministries** will be in our church on Sunday evening, November 10, 2019 for an informal presentation about the events in the Middle East, there will be time for questions and answers.

## Wedding

God's blessings to Lindsay Ginter & Riley Bell, as they make final preparations for their upcoming wedding on October 5. We trust you will experience much joy as you make this commitment to one another in the presence of family, friends and the God who makes all of this possible.

#### Anniversary

Sunday, October 6th will be a special day of thanksgiving here at BMC, as Pastor Rudy and Kathy celebrate their 40th wedding anniversary on that very day! Our Thanksgiving as His goodness to us service will include gratitude to our loving God for His faithfulness toward this very special couple, as well as His good ness to us all.

## WEEKLY SERVICES & HOURS

## SUNDAY SCHOOL // 9:15am CHILDREN'S CHURCH (YC) // 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 the Youth Pastor's office.

## **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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