

Sunday
May 24, 2020

Welcome & Announcements
Call to Worship
Prayer
Congregational Singing
Prayer Time
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Scripture Reading – Isaiah 40: 28 - 31
Message – “Holding on to the Hope
we Have”
Song of Response
Benediction

Worship Leader – Eric Peters
Song Leader – Kendra Fehr
Pianist – Tyson Fehr
Speaker – Gerry Giesbrecht

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

*Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for He who promised is Faithful.
Hebrews 10: 23*

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

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

CLUBS

YOUTH

Check with Gerry for Updates

CHURCH CALENDAR

May 24 – Gerry Giesbrecht
May 31 - Pentecost
Sunday – Rudy Franz
June 7 – No MCI
Saengerfest this year – Rudy Franz
June 14 – Our church picnic was to be held this day – Joshua Dyck

GIVING UPDATE

Budget to Date // \$ 147, 220
Income to Date // \$ 111, 579
Needed // **\$ 35, 641**

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
- Katrina & Justin Rempel
- Elma Kehler
- Lisa & Matthew Wiebe & sons as they prepare to move to the Dominican Republic to teach

PRAYER FOR THE WEEK

(Based on Psalm 27: 1, 3-5)
O Lord, You are my Light and Salvation, whom shall I fear? You are the Stronghold of my life, of whom shall I be afraid? Even if an army encamp against me, I shall not be afraid; and if war should rise against me, yet will I trust. One thing I ask, which I will seek; that I may dwell in the house of the Lord for ever. For You will hide me in Your shelter in the day of trouble and set me high upon a rock. Amen.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

ORGANIZATIONS WE SUPPORT

BMSLA –Ryan Thiessen

CAMPS WITH MEANING

CENTRAL STATION

EAGLES WINGS CHILDREN'S VILLAGE – UGANDA

EDEN FOUNDATION

FOODBANKS

GIDEONS

JOY SMITH FOUNDATION

MCC – check the bulletin board or go to <https://mcccanada.ca/> for updates

MDS – Mennonite Disaster Service has launched On the Level, a monthly online newsletter to inform and inspire you! In our current issue, you'll read how MDS volunteers helped a victim of multiple disasters return home even after closing down the project. You can also learn how special funds are helping Mennonite churches in the U.S. and Canada keep their doors open. Click on this link to read more: <https://conta.cc/2LGvidw>.

MENNONITE COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE

PV PREGNANCY CARE

SCCFV - Go to www.geneshouseshelter.ca

SALEM FOUNDATION

SILOAM MISSION

THE GARDENS ON TENTH

UNION GOSPEL MISSION

WINKLER BIBLE CAMP

WYCLIFFE BIBLE TRANSLATORS

YFC – THE STATION IN ALTONA

**Note: These are not all the organizations we partner with, In order to keep the bulletin less crowded, we've just included those that have sent us recent updates*

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Congratulations to Jon & Natalie Neudorf on the birth of a daughter, Isabel Peace, on Monday, May 18, 2020. She is a sister to Peyton and a granddaughter for Dave & Erica Rempel. We want to wish you God's blessings in your role as parents, trusting that God will enable you with wisdom, energy and much joy.

The library at church is open every Thursday evening from 7 – 8 pm

Sunday, May 31st, this will be Pentecost Sunday. Usually we have our baptism and Communion Service on this day. However, because we are not physically meeting together at this time, we will postpone this service until such time as we are able to publically affirm our candidates' decision and celebrate the occasion as a community. We have been continuing to meet together as a class on Sunday mornings. So between now and the actual baptism service we would ask for your prayer support for those who have indicated their desire to be baptized as the next step on their journey of faith. The names of those involved include: Gary Klippenstein, Kayla Miller, Jonah Ginter Cynthia Krahn & Kirby Sawatzky.

We are grateful for continued warm weather which has made seeding of the fields possible. We want to wish our farmers safety as they plant their crops, trusting that God will give the increase. The changing seasons are also a sign of the faithfulness of our God who provides the seedtime and harvest.

PRAYER AND PRAISE

We continue to remember Elma Kehler as she deals with the reality of cancer, which is inoperable. She does appreciate visitors, and if you would like to see her, please contact her daughter, Violet at 204-362-1847, to see if she is available. We pray for a continued sense of the peace and presence of God for her and her family.

