

## Giving Update

Budget to date: \$151, 437  
Income to date: \$101, 831  
Needed: \$49, 606



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## Sermon Notes

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## Church Calendar

May 30 - Walter Dyck  
June 6 - Keith Friesen  
June 13 - Keith Friesen - Communion

### Prayer List

-Werner & Marlene Ens  
-Helen Janzen

### Missionaries

Ryan Thiessen  
Tyler Loewen  
Murray & Carol  
Honsberger  
Laure & Family (Congo)

### MCI Announcement

- **MCI Saengerfest** - For decades, MCI's Saengerfest has been a celebration of the end of another year, the culmination of all the work put into the year. We've hosted it in tents, the gymnasium, chapel, and Buhler Hall. This year, we're bringing it to your living room. Head over to our YouTube channel, and be sure to set your reminder for June 6th @ 11 am CST. MCI will also be holding a bun drive-thru on campus on June 5th from 12-3 pm to add to your Saengerfest faspa at home. E-mail [info@mciblues.net](mailto:info@mciblues.net) to pre-order your buns.

### From The Winkler MCC Thrift Shop

-Thank you to the many dedicated volunteers who help support the Winkler MCC Thrift Shop!

Great News - The MCC Warehouse in Plum Coulee Will Remain Open!

Remember the "Choose Thrift" challenge!  
To find out more and take the pledge at <https://thrift.mcc.org/ca/choosethrift>



## 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.

Speaker: Keith Friesen

Worship Leader: Eric Peters

Song Leader & Pianist: Luke Klassen & Melita Enns

Date: May 23, 2021

## Sunday, May 23, 2021

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship & Prayer

Worship in Song

Prayer

Worship in Song

Scripture Reading – Isaiah 26:19 & John 5:25-29

Message “-The Immortality of the Soul”

(1 Cor. 15:50-57)

Closing Song

Benediction

## Verse for the Week

“We would rather be away from the body and at home with the Lord. So whether we are at home or away, we make it our aim to please him.” 2  
Corinthians 5:8-9 ESV

## Prayer for the Week

Father, we ask that as we live this life here and now, that you pour the Spirit out on us, and that by the Spirit’s working in us, we live lives that please you.  
Amen.

## Church Announcements

### Communion

-We will be having communion as part of our service on June 13 - whether we are in person or viewing the service online from home. We encourage you to prepare for communion, and should we still be online only, have something ready to partake in communion with those in your household.

### Tech Volunteers Needed

-The Tech committee is looking for people to do visuals, sound, and manning the video camera for worship service recordings and Sunday mornings when we are able to resume in person gatherings. If you are interested in serving the Church with your tech skills in these ways, please contact Pastor Gerry Giesbrecht (204-362-7262 or [Gerry.bmcpastor@gmail.com](mailto:Gerry.bmcpastor@gmail.com)) or John H. Falk (204-362-0167 or [jhfalk74@gmail.com](mailto:jhfalk74@gmail.com))

### Youth Ministry

-With this latest set of restrictions, youth is "officially" over for this school year. In lieu of an in- person windup, the youth leaders will be putting together some "windup" care packages for the youth and delivering these personally in early June. Even though youth in person is done for the year, if you just need someone to talk to, or have any questions about God, faith, or the Bible please contact Pastor Gerry or one of the youth leaders.

## Praise

DVBS IS (hopefully) HAPPENING!!

July 5-9, 7-9pm

Please read the bulletin email attachment for more details as well as the pre-registration, and volunteer forms.

## Birth Announcement

-Congratulations and God’s blessings to Alyssa & Jason Fehr on the birth of a son, Levi Allan, born on May 5<sup>th</sup>, 2021. He is a grandson for Allan Friesen!

### From the Church Office

-If you know of any graduates this year, from either High school, University/College, or Vocational schools, and you have NOT been contacted, then please email the office at [blumenortmc@gmail.com](mailto:blumenortmc@gmail.com) to let us know. Thank you!

### Devotionals & CD’s

- “Rejoice” and “Our Daily Bread” devotionals are now available for June/July/August. You can pick them up at the church during office hours.

-If you are interested in a CD copy of the service, please contact Gerry Giesbrecht.