Giving Update

Budget to date: \$302, 869 Income to date: \$235, 111 Needed: \$67, 758



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Sermon Notes

Office - Lori Miller - blumenortmc@gmail.com Rentals - Dorothy Hildebrandt -204-324-4426 Lead Pastor- Keith Friesen - keith.bmcpastor@gmail.com Youth Pastor- Gerry Giesbrecht -<u>gerry.bmcpastor@gmail.com</u>



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Church Calendar

Oct. 24 - Keith Friesen Oct. 31 - Jake Friesen Nov. 7 - Keith Friesen/Baptism/membership Nov. 14 -Communion Missions

Prayer List

-Werner & Marlene Ens -Helen Janzen -Valentine Zacharias -Afghanistan people

Ryan Thiessen Tyler Loewen Murray & Carol Honsberger Laure & Family (Congo) Eagles Wings Children's Village

Church Announcement

- Just a reminder that we have the elevator / lift available for anyone to use that may have difficulty with stairs. If anyone is wanting to use it, please let an usher know and they will be able to help get you where you need to go.

Community Announcements

You are invited to a Drive Thru Fundraising Meal at WINKLER BIBLE CAMP! This meal of pulled pork poutine is being served on October 26 from 4:30-6:30. No reservations are required. For more information check out winklerbiblecamp.com.

-Mennonite Heritage Village presents: "Mennonites at War" speaker Bruxy Cavey-Oct 19th (a 45 min talk on the Anabaptist theology of peace) See foyer bulletin board for details.

MCI job opportunity

We are hiring for a part-time Prep Cook to start immediately. For more information on the job duties and requirements, please visit or contact Ryan Potter, Director of Finance, at ryanpotter@mciblues.net





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.

Worship Leader: Walter Dyck Speaker: Keith Friesen Song Leader & Pianist: Jaime Falk, Josh Dyck Date: October 17, 2021

October 17th, 2021

Welcome & Announcements Call to Worship & Prayer Worship in Song Child Dedication Prayer Worship in Song Scripture Reading - John 3:1-21 Message - "The Wind Blows Where It Wishes, And You Hear Its Sound" Closing Song Benediction

Verse for the Week

"Whoever does what is true comes to the light, so that it may be clearly seen that his works have been carried out in God." - John 3:21

Prayer for the Week

Holy Spirit, work in our lives, causing us to bear fruit so that the world may clearly see Christ, and praise The Father. Amen.

Church Announcements

Child Dedication Those involved in this morning's parent/child dedication service are:

-Levi Allan - Jason & Alyssa Fehr -Clementine Noelle - Joey & Morgan Friesen -Connor Reid - Fred & Rachelle Loewen -Noah John Henry - Brent & Amy Wiebe

May God's guidance and blessing rest upon these children and their parents. Let us also uphold them in our prayers.

-<u>If you are newer to BMC, or if you are checking</u> <u>us out, we would love to connect with you.</u> Please take a Connect Card from the back of the pews, jot down your name and contact info and drop it in the offering bag that the ushers have on your way out of the sanctuary. They will make sure it gets back to me so we can touch base.

-<u>The Missions Committee will be hosting a 24hr</u> <u>prayer marathon for our missionaries</u>, beginning at 6:00am on Saturday, October 23rd and ending at 6:00am on Sunday, October 24th. You are welcome to participate from home or wherever you may find yourself. **The sign-up sheet is in the foyer.** Please select a time slot(s) and also pick up a notecard to write a note of encouragement to one of our missionaries. If you are unable to sign-up in person, but would like to participate, please contact Kendra Fehr (204-362-4072)

From the Office

-Those of you preparing reports for the annual fall meeting - You have two weeks left - Due Nov 1st.

-We are updating our list for those of you, who would like the "Rejoice" & "Our Daily Bread" devotionals placed in your mailbox. Please sign-up! **The sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board in the foyer. (Even if you have signed up before)**

Lost and Found

Please check the lost & found in the foyer for any items that you may be missing. Please claim your items by Oct.31st. Anything left behind after this date will be given to MCC. Thank you!

Prayer

-Pray for Valentine Zacharias who continues her stay at the Boundary Trails hospital. We pray for strength & healing, patience & God's peace.

-Please be in prayer for our brothers and sisters in Afghanistan during this tumultuous time. Pray that they might stay strong in their faith in the face of death, and that the gospel would spread through the intense persecution.

Youth Calendar

October 20 - Bible Study October 23-24 - Retreat October 27 - Bible Study