Giving Update

Budget to date: \$346, 135 Income to date: \$280, 896 Needed: \$65, 239



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Sermon Notes

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Church Calendar

Nov. 29 -Church Annual Meeting Dec. 5 -Walter Dyck/2nd Advent Dec. 12 -Harley Dyck/3rd Advent Dec. 19 -S.S. Program - tba

Prayer List

-Werner & Marlene Ens

Missions Ryan Thiessen Tyler Loewen Murray & Carol

-Helen Janzen -Valentine Zacharias (Recovering at home) -Ken Fehr E

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

Community Announcements

Winkler Bible Camp Event

Winter Drive Thru Fundraising Meal on December 1, 2, and 3 from 5:00pm-6:30pm. We have decorated even more of our site this year

for Christmas! Meals must be preordered either at winklerbiblecamp.com or by calling the office at 204-325-9519. We hope you'll load up the family and come join us!

Upcoming Mobile Blood Donor Clinic

Thursday, December 2 at the Altona Rhineland Pioneer Centre Main Floor Hall -227-10 Ave NW The donor hours are 1:00-7:00pm Please call 1-888-236-6238/or go online to book your appointment - NO WALK-INS please Thank you, Wayne Loeppky

Rhineland Empty Stocking Fund - deadline for referrals - December 10th. Call 204-324-7167





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: Harley & Riley Dyck Advent Reading: Marilyn Dyck Date: November 28, 2021

November 28, 2021 1st Sunday of Advent

Welcome & Announcements Call to Worship & Prayer Worship in Song Advent Feature Prayer Worship in Song Scripture Reading Psalm 86:10-13 & Romans 6:17-22 Message - "The Truth Will Set You Free" Closing Song Benediction

Verse for the Week

"If the Son sets you free, you will be free indeed" - John 8:36

Prayer for the Week

"Heavenly Father you deserve all glory and honour and praise. Fill our hearts with thanksgiving as we come before you in worship having been set free by your amazing grace. Amen."

Church Announcements

-Welcome to this 1st Sunday of Advent, the time when we anticipate and celebrate the birth of our Lord and Savior, Jesus the Christ.

-<u>Annual Fall Meeting tomorrow</u> at 7 pm in the sanctuary. The 3 zones/cohorts will be used as per regular Sunday morning services.

-Boys and Girls <u>Clubs</u> - December 1st at 7pm

-<u>The Mitten Tree is up!</u> Let's load it with mittens, toques, scarves, and socks. Your contributions will be distributed to local families in need.

Ice Rink

Have you ever thought it would be great if there was an Ice Rink in Rosetown? Do you have experience making ice rinks and love skating? We are looking for someone to spearhead the making of an ice rink on our playing field this winter. We have quite a few people that have indicated that they would be interested in helping with making the rink and snow clearing during the winter, we just need someone to take the lead on it. If this interests you, please contact Pastor Gerry or Pastor Keith.

Birth Announcement

Congratulations and God's blessings to Jonathan & Melissa Wiebe on the birth of a daughter, Eleanor Faye, born on November 17th, 2021. She is a new sister for Wynter, Makayla, and Larry. And a granddaughter for Linda Penner.

Prayer

Pray for healing for Ken Fehr, who was rushed to St. Boniface this week, and for guidance for the doctors and nurses caring for him.

In Memoriam

Robert Krahn, 67, of Winkler, passed away on November 22, 2021. He is a nephew to Elizabeth and Paul Peters, and a cousin to Ray & Corinne, Eric & Elvina, and Norman Peters. May He surround the family circle with His healing touch, comfort and peace.

BMC Secret Sisters Coffee Night

All women are invited!

December 7th at 7PM in the church basement. Please bring a dessert or snack to share, as well as a final card or gift if you participated in the 2021 ministry. For any questions, please reach out to Megan Hildebrandt: 204-216-0996

Hope to see you there!

Youth Calendar

December 1 - Bible Study December 8 - Bible Study December 15 - Christmas Banquet