

## Giving Update

Budget to date: \$100, 962  
Income to date: \$82, 216  
Needed: \$18, 746



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## Sermon Notes

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## Church Calendar

Apr. 10 - Walter Dyck/Palm Sunday  
Apr. 15 - Gerry Giesbrecht/Good Friday  
Apr. 17 - Keith Friesen/Easter Sunday

## Prayer List

-Werner & Marlene Ens

## Missions

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

## Community Announcements

See foyer bulletin board for details on:

-The Gardens on Tenth Fundraiser - April 7th  
-Winkler Bible Camp  
-MDS Spring & Summer opportunities  
-Pembina Counselling Centre fundraiser -April 6<sup>th</sup>

Neubergthal Heritage Foundation is hosting a movie night, featuring...

An award winning docu-drama "... and When They Shall Ask", tells the story of the Mennonites' sojourn in Russia from 1788 to the mid 1900's - enactments of historic events, interviews with eyewitnesses, archival film footage and scenes of Mennonite life in the former Soviet Union. Produced in mid 1980s. Can faith triumph in the face of great adversity? The movie (88 minutes) will be shown in Neubergthal Commons Barn, 5013 Road 1 West, at 7:30, Friday, April 8. Admission \$10, with family rates. For more information, call/text 204 324 4115 or send email to [neubergthalheritagefoundation@gmail.com](mailto:neubergthalheritagefoundation@gmail.com)



## 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: Gerry Giesbrecht  
Speaker: Jake Friesen  
Song Leader & Pianist: Lauren Fehr & Josh Dyck  
Date: April 3, 2022

## April 3, 2022 5th Sunday of Lent

Welcome & Announcements  
Call to Worship  
Worship in Song  
Congregational Prayer  
Offering  
Worship in Song  
Scripture Reading –Galatians 1:1-18  
Message – “Follower In Training”  
Closing Song  
Benediction

### Verse for the Week

“Am I trying to win the favour of people, or God?  
If I were trying to please people, I would not be  
a slave of Christ.” - Galatians 1:10

### Prayer for the Week

“Holy Spirit, give us a desire to serve you and  
please you in all we do. Help us to not look to  
the world around us for approval or  
encouragement, but to rely solely on you.  
Amen.”

## Church Announcements

-Our Congregational Meeting will take place on  
Thursday, April 7<sup>th</sup>, at 7:00 pm. Printed copies of  
the yearbook are available and digital copies will  
be emailed out early in the week.

-We are planning to have a “traditional”  
communion service on Good Friday, with the  
deacons serving the bread and the cup, in place  
of the pre-packaged elements we have been  
using with the distancing restrictions. If anyone  
has a concern or would like to receive a pre-  
packaged cup prior to the service, please contact  
Seth Klassen or any of the other deacons.

-Spring is in the air! Over the last few months  
there have been some beautiful additions to  
church as Gods beautiful gift...babies! If you  
would like to be on the list for bringing meals or  
even a cradle roll mom, please contact someone  
on the cradle roll committee and they would love  
to help you. Committee members are Jodi, Nelli,  
Heidi H. and Rachelle.

-The BMC education committee would like to  
encourage all youth and young adults to consider  
serving at a summer Bible camp. We believe that  
this experience will strengthen your faith and  
have a lasting impact on your journey with the  
Lord, and we are very happy to offer some  
financial assistance for your weeks of camp  
service. If you have questions, please contact any  
member of the education committee. Thank you  
for considering giving your time to this important  
ministry.

## Prayer & Praise

-SOAR Announcement:  
Thank you to everyone who prayed for and  
financially supported our SOAR team. We had a  
great few days’ worshipping, learning, and then  
serving together. Pray that our team would be able  
to process their experience in Winnipeg and be able  
to more closely follow Jesus in their everyday lives.

-If you are interested in getting baptized, and/or  
becoming a member of BMC - or if you have  
questions about baptism or church membership,  
please speak with Pastor Keith. For those interested,  
we will be meeting together for a few Sundays  
during the SS hour, starting in a few weeks.

## Upcoming

-We will be having a Child Dedication on  
April 24. If you are a parent and would like to  
participate in the Child Dedication service, please  
contact Pastors Keith or Gerry

-SAVE THE DATE: DVBS will take place the week of  
July 18-22, 2022

## Youth Calendar

April 6 – Bible Study  
April 13 – Bible Study