# **Giving Update**

To be updated next Sunday



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### Sermon Notes

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# Church Calendar

Oct 2 - Keith Friesen/Fellowship Meal Oct 9 - Songs of Praise/Music Committee Oct 16 - Jake Friesen

## Prayer List

**Missions** Ryan Thiessen

-Werner & Marlene Ens

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

### **Community Announcements**

#### MDS (Mennonite Disaster Service)

The September edition of "On the Level" is now available. In our current issue: Director of Canadian Operations, Ross Penner, shares his inspiration from attending home dedications in Fraser Valley, B.C., a college student from Steinbach, Manitoba reflects on lessons learned as an MDS volunteer and learn about the need for volunteers this fall in the U.S. Visit mds.org for more information.

#### Salem Foundation and Ladies Auxiliary are

excited to host their annual <u>Building for Tomorrow</u> <u>Dinner</u> on Thursday, October 6, 2022 at 6:30pm at the Winkler Mennonite Church.

Tickets available individually or as table sponsors by calling 204-325-4316 from 9-4pm at the Salem Home Office or on the website: //salemhome.ca/salem-foundation/donations/





# **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: Jake Friesen Speaker: Keith Friesen Song Leader: Seth Klassen Date: September 25, 2022

#### Sunday, September 25, 2022

Welcome & Announcements Call to Worship Worship in Song Scripture Reading - Luke 14:25-35 Congregational Prayer Offertory - Presley Schroeder Worship in Song Message: "Church Membership: Life in the Kingdom" Closing Song Benediction

### Verse for the Week

"Let us not neglect meeting together, as is the habit of some, but encourage one another." -Hebrews 10:25

# **Prayer for the Week**

"Holy Spirit, help to grow our faith, and help to grow our desire to be together with our brothers and sisters in the body. Give us the grace we need to love and care for one another, just as you love and care for us. Amen."

#### **Church Announcements**

-<u>Next Sunday, October 2,</u> we will enjoy a Thanksgiving Fellowship Meal together following the service. Please make plans to stay and enjoy a meal together - lunch will be provided.

-We will be having our <u>Songs of Praise service</u> on Thanksgiving Sunday, October 9.

-If you are <u>interested in becoming a member</u> of BMC, or if you would like to get baptized, please speak with Pastors Keith or Gerry.

-If you are finding <u>hymnals that are in need of</u> <u>repair</u>, please feel free to leave them at the back of the sanctuary in the provided box. (We would like to repair any that require it)

-Parents, we would love to have a <u>child</u> <u>dedication</u> service in the next month or so. If you are interested in participating, please let Pastors Keith or Gerry know.

-Pastor Keith would <u>love to connect with you,</u> either at your home, at the church, or out a local coffee shop! If you would like to set a time to get together, please feel free to contact Keith.

-<u>If you are newer to BMC</u>, we would love to connect with you! Please take a moment to fill out a connect card (in the back of the pews) with your name and contact info, and place in the offering, so we can reach out to you.

-We are preparing a list of all persons involved in education. If you are a student in a postsecondary school, teacher, educational assistant, OR if you are home schooling your children, please notify Lori at the church email, so that a list can be completed. Thank you!

#### **Church Announcements**

<u>-Next Sunday, we will be officially welcoming</u> <u>Christian, Tamara, and Saul Bowman</u> into membership at BMC. Please pray for them as we look forward to celebrating their joining our membership together.

#### Clubs

<u>Clubs Program: grades 3-6 planning to start</u> <u>Wednesday Nov 2, 2022 from 7:00-8:30.</u> We are looking for volunteers. If you are interested in leading a group, leading story time or helping with special events Please call or text Glenda Fehr @ 362-0931 or Becky Froese @ 304-0855.

#### Youth (grades 7-12)

<u>September 28</u> - Bible Study <u>October 5</u> - Hand out Flyers for Food Drive <u>October 16</u> - Church Appreciation Lunch (If you help serve and clean up lunch you receive \$20 off your retreat fee)

<u>October 21-23</u> - Youth Retreat @ Winkler Bible Camp. \$120. Drop off: Friday @ 7pm at BMC. Pick up: Sunday @ 2pm at BMC. Waiver required.

#### BMC College & Career (age 18-30)

October 2 (Sunday) 3:30pm - Volleyball @ 108 Schoenwiese hosted by Kendra Fehr.