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## Sermon Notes

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## Church Calendar

Nov 20 - Walter Dyck/Memorial Sunday/Meeting  
Nov 27 - Keith Friesen/1<sup>st</sup> Advent  
Dec 4 - Eric Peters/2<sup>nd</sup> Advent

### Prayer List

-Werner & Marlene Ens  
-Baby Drew Wiebe

### Missions

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

### Community Announcements

-The Gardens on Tenth is hosting a craft and bake sale on November 19, from 9am to 3pm. All are welcome!

-Join the Douglas Kuhl School of Music for our first concert of the season on November 26th, 2022. 7:00pm at the EMM Church in Winkler (600 Southview Drive). The concert will feature four DKSM string ensembles including the Post Road Full Orchestra. We are also looking forward to hearing performances by our DKSM teachers and our new Vocal Ensemble group. Selections from our String Ensembles include excerpts from the Lord of the Rings soundtrack, Mozart's 'Marriage of Figaro Overture', a fun arrangement of Turkey in the Straw, and more!

-MCI's Annual General Meeting will be held on Monday, November 21<sup>st</sup> at 7:00pm in the school's chapel. In light of critical realities facing MCI, the board is issuing an urgent call to attend this year's AGM. Receive updates on the school's current realities. Assist in discerning the future for our / your school.



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## 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: Jake Falk  
Date: November 13, 2022

## Sunday, November 13, 2022

Welcome & Announcements  
Call to Worship  
Worship in Song  
Scripture Reading – Ezekiel 36:25-27 & Romans 8:5-9  
Congregational Prayer  
Offertory  
Worship in Song  
Message – “Following The Guidance Of The Holy Spirit”  
Communion  
Closing Song  
Benediction

### Verse for the Week

“The fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control.” - Galatians 5:22-23

### Prayer for the Week

“Holy Spirit, we ask that you fill us completely, and by your work in us, may the fruit of your work be seen by everyone around us.”

## Church Announcements

### Deacon Nominations

-We invite your participation in our deacon nomination process which is to take place this morning. Those currently serving as deacons include: Bill & Mary Fehr, John & Esther Falk and Kevin & Helen Krahn. We are looking to fill two couples with Seth & Erica Klassen available for a 2<sup>nd</sup> term, and Abe & Vi Fehr completing their second term.

-Eva Schellenberg would like to extend her “Thank You” to all those who prayed, visited, called, and provided food for her, after her fall and subsequent surgery.

-In preparation for Memorial Sunday on November 20<sup>th</sup>. If there are any names you would like included in our memorial list, please either leave a note in Lori’s mailbox or send an email to [blumenortmc@gmail.com](mailto:blumenortmc@gmail.com)

### Save the date

-CHURCH RETREAT is being planned for February 3-5, 2023 at Winkler Bible Camp! Our speaker will be Victor Engbrecht, on the topic “God’s design for male and female, and how the Christian should interact within our current culture “. More details to come! Please keep this weekend open and plan to attend!

-Pastor Keith would love to connect with you, 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.

## Church Announcements

**BMC Mom’s Morning Out:** Our weekly ladies coffee and fellowship morning will begin Tuesday, November 15, here at BMC at 9:30. A place for ALL ladies that are available that morning to come and support and encourage one another through a short study and time of fellowship. We are still looking for more volunteers to do child care during this time. If you could help and bless the young moms in this way whether it be once or twice a month or every time, please let Jodi or Carla know. We are also looking for toy donations - if you have some that are no longer needed that we could use to set up a play area for the children let us know. Text or call: Jodi Friesen or Carla Voth 204-332-0382.

### Upcoming

-**November 16th** – Girls & Boys Clubs (grades 3-6) on Wednesday from 7:00pm-8:30pm

-**November 20th** – Fall Congregational meeting after the lunch meal

### Youth Calendar

November 16 - Small Group Service Night - All groups meet at BMC at 7:00pm - then separate

November 23 - Bible Study - “Be Still: Mission”

November 30 - Bible Study - “O Come!” Session 1