Giving Update

Budget to date: \$104, 000 Income to date: \$99, 101



Needed: \$4, 899

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Sermon Notes	

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Church Calendar

Apr 2 - Walter Dyck/Palm Sunday

Apr 7 - Keith Friesen/Good Friday/Communion

Apr 9 - Keith Friesen/Easter

Prayer List

-Werner & Marlene Ens -SOAR team

Missions

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

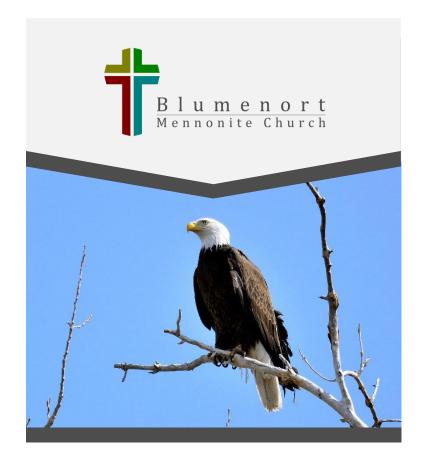
Community Announcements

Pembina Valley Bible Camp

Would you like to support PVBC by hosting a table at their annual spring fundraising banquets? April 12th in Morden, and April 20th in Winkler. Enjoy great food while experiencing a "Celebration of History", including messages from past directors. To host a table, contact the camp office at 204-246-2008 or info@pembinavalleybiblecamp.com

Winkler Services for Seniors

The Navigating Care Options Expo hosted by WSC's Services for Seniors, Buhler Active Living Center & the Alzheimer's Society will take place on Sat, Apr. 15th from 9am-12pm. Information booths are free to attend from 12 to 2pm. Learn about the care options available in the Pembina Valley. Presentations by Home Care, Salem Home and Silver Lining Care. Registration is required by Thurs, Apr. 6 (\$10, includes lunch). For more information or to register, call the WSC at 204-325-8964.



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: Luke & Melita Klassen

Date: March 26, 2023

Sunday, March 26, 2023

Welcome & Announcements
Call to Worship
Worship in Song
Scripture Reading - Proverbs 3:5-6 & Romans 12:1-6
Congregational Prayer
Offertory
Worship in Song
Message: "A Test of Faith" James 2:1-13
Closing Song
Benediction

Verse for the Week

"If you are fulfilling the royal law according to the Scripture, "You shall love your neighbor as yourself," you are doing well." - James 2:8

Prayer for the Week

"Holy Spirit, give us the grace to love you through loving our brothers and sisters in this church.

Amen."

Church Announcements

- -Mom's morning out <u>will not</u> be meeting on March 28 during spring break.
- -If you are newer to BMC, 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.

Prayer & Praise

-A big thanks to all the volunteers who made the **Clubs program** this year an enjoyable one! From baking cookies to presenting the Bible story, thanks for supporting this program!

A special thank you to all of the leaders who showed up weekly! Dustin Fehr, Robynn Friesen, Ryan Friesen, Tara Friesen, Marlin Froese, Ashley Hildebrand, Travis Hildebrand, Amanda Nickel, Danielle Nickel, Julie Schroeder, Carla Voth, Robyn Voth, Kirsten Warkentin, Brent Wiebe.

Glenda Fehr and Becky Froese

-The SOAR Heartland team from our congregation left here Friday afternoon. Let us keep them in our prayers as they encounter a multitude of experiences during their time in the North End of Winnipeg. May they grow as a team, as they face challenges, as they worship, meet street people, and share the gospel.

Community Announcements

-Southern Manitoba Choral Society

The Southern Manitoba Choral Society Concert 'Give Us Peace' will be taking place this afternoon at 3pm at the Altona Bergthaler Mennonite Church.

-Eden Foundation presents their Songs of Renewal concert on Sunday, April 2nd at 2:30pm at the Winkler Mennonite Church. Featured choir is the Winkler Community Male Choir along with special guests the New Covenant Quartet and Jayme Giesbrecht together with Linda Dueck. Donations gratefully accepted.

Youth for Christ - Altona (Kendra Fehr)

Thank you so much to everyone who donated baking to our first breakfast program at W.C. Miller. It was so good to be back at the school and connect with the kids again. This will be an ongoing program, so feel free to keep the baking coming. You are welcome to drop it off during the day (9-4) or in the evening during our drop-in hours. Or you can text Kendra at 204 362 4072 to arrange a time. Thank you!

Youth Calendar

-March 29 - NO YOUTH - SOAR/Spring Break