Giving Update

Budget to date: \$248, 000 Income to date: \$218, 603 Needed: \$29, 397



Visit <u>blumenortchurch.com/donate</u> for details or scan this QR code to donate with a credit card.

Sermon Notes
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Church Calendar

Aug 6 - Ryan Thiessen

Aug 13 - Harvest Fest/No Service at BMC

Aug 20 - Keith Friesen

Prayer List

-Werner & Marlene Ens <u>Summer Ministry</u>

-Nettie Dyck -Josh Dyck

Missions

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

Community Announcements

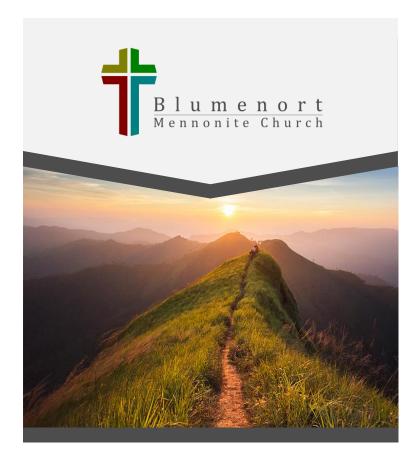
-Gospel Music Festival

The Altona Gospel Music Festival will be taking place on Aug 19, 2023, at 1pm in the Altona Centennial Park. Donations are welcome and will be supporting YFC Altona. See the poster on the bulletin board for additional information.

-MCI is actively recruiting students for the 2023-2024 school year. If interested, or if you would like more information, please reach out to recruitment staff, Sophie Gerbrandt. She can be reached at recruiting@mciblues.net.

-MCC

Students, you can earn \$1,000 or more toward your ongoing studies. MCC Manitoba wants to support students who care about relief, development, and peace. Apply online today for one of three scholarships at mccmb.ca/studentawards. Applications close by September 30, 2023.



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: Eric Peters

Song Leader: Walter Dyck

Date: July 30, 2023

Sunday, July 30, 2023

Welcome & Announcements
Call to Worship
Worship in Song
Scripture Reading - John 16:5-15
Congregational Prayer
Offertory
Worship in Song
Message - "What is Truth?"
Closing Song
Benediction

Verse for the Week

"Jesus said to him, "I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me." John 14:6 ESV

Prayer for the Week

Heavenly Father we thank you for making a way for us to come to you through Jesus' sacrifice on the cross. Help us to be a discerning people who love the truth. Amen.

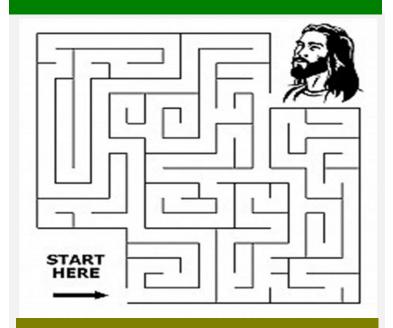
Church Announcements

-Pray for all those who are working at camp this summer. Pray for energy, alertness for staff, and safety for all participants. Pray also for all parts of the programming and that many memories and friendships will be made.

In Memoriam

Jessie Zacharias, 85, of Winnipeg, passed away on July 14, 2023. She is a sister to Sara Ens, Helen and Abe Ens. May the God of all comfort be near to this family circle.

- -If you are interested in getting baptized, or becoming a member of BMC, please speak with Pastors Gerry or Keith.
- -If you would like to be added to the church email list (information updates, bulletins, and prayer requests), please email the church office at blumenortmc@gmail.com
- If you would like a Church Directory, but have not yet picked one up, contact Lori Miller in the church office.
- -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.



Community Announcements

-Alzheimer's Care Partner Support Group

Rebecca Atkinson from The Alzheimer Society is partnering up with us at The Garden's on Tenth to offer an Alzheimer Care Partner Support Group. We will be meeting the 3rd Monday of each month, starting September 18th.

See the poster in the foyer for details!

Summer BMC Youth Event:

Wed, August 25 - Goldeyes Game - Roughly \$20/person. Contact Pastor Gerry to sign up! 204-362-7262