

Giving Update

Budget to date: \$424, 500
Income to date: \$378, 235
Needed: \$46, 265



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Sermon Notes



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Church Calendar

Dec 17 - Mitch Peters/3rd Advent
Dec 24 - Sunday School Program/4th Advent
Dec 24 - Candlelight Service 7pm

Prayer List

-Werner & Marlene Ens
-Zelma Fehr & family
-Margaret Klassen
-Dave Ginter
(appointment on 14th)

Missions

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

Community Announcements

Winkler Community Male Choir Christmas

Concert - Jesus, Light of the World - Saturday
Dec. 16, at 7:00pm at the Winkler Bergthaler
Mennonite Church.

Winkler Bible Camp

WBC Christmas Glow in the Country is happening
on December 11-17. To reserve your spot, visit
www.christmasglowinthecountry.com

Eden Foundation

Give the gift of music and support the mental
health care programs of Eden Health Care
Services. Caroling for a cause Thursday, Dec. 21
from 6:00-8:00 in Steinbach, Morden and Winkler.
Nominate a home you'd like our team of carolers
to visit and make a donation by going to:
edenhealthcare.ca/caroling-for-a-cause-2023 To
volunteer as a carol singer, email
foundation@edenhealthcare.ca or call 204-325-
5355 ext. 2228.



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: Tyson Fehr
Speaker: Keith Friesen
Song Leader: Lauren Fehr

Date: December 10, 2023

December 10th, 2023

Second Advent

Welcome & Announcements
Call to Worship
Advent Feature
Worship in Song
Scripture Reading -Micah 6:6-8 & Colossians 3:11-17
Congregational Prayer
Offertory
Worship in Song
Message - "He Humbled Himself"-Philippians 2:6-11
Closing Song
Benediction

Verse for the Week

"Live your life in a manner worthy of the gospel of Christ." - Philippians 1:27

Prayer for the Week

"Holy Spirit, help us to walk humbly with our God and with one another in His church; working in us a spirit of peace. Amen."

Church Announcements

- Are you wanting to serve at BMC but are not sure where? The Tech Team would love to have you help out with sound and visuals on Sunday mornings. Training on how to use the tech equipment will be provided. Please talk to John Falk or Jesse Miller if you are interested.
 - The Sunday School Christmas Program will be taking place on Sunday, December 24 at 10:30 am.
 - The Christmas Eve Candlelight Service will be taking place on Sunday, December 24, at 7:00 pm. (Practices are Dec 15 & 22 at 7:30pm)
 - The Christmas Day Service will be taking place on Monday, December 25, at 10:30 am.
 - We will have our annual Sharing Service on Sunday December, 31, at 10:30 am. There will be no Sunday School on this Sunday.
 - Please help us fill the mitten tree, in the foyer, with warm winter items to help families in need. Your contributions of mittens, gloves, toques, scarves, and socks are greatly appreciated and will be donated to local schools.
 - “Rejoice” devotional photocopies for this week are in you mailboxes. (those on the regular list)
- ### This week at BMC
- Mom’s morning out, Tuesday, December 12th at 9:30am. (this will be the last one before the Christmas break)
 - BMC Boys & Girls Clubs - Dec 13th - Bible lesson 7-8:30pm.

-Men’s breakfast at BMC Saturdays at 8:00am

-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 it in the offering, so we can reach out to you.
-If you would like to join a care group within the church, please speak with one of the lay ministers or pastors.

Youth Calendar

December 13 - Skating (Weather permitting!) or TBA. Normal time.
December 20 - Christmas Banquet - Western theme. \$10 gift exchange. Supper will be provided and we will start at 6pm!
December 27 & January 3 - No youth (Christmas break)
Save the Date: Jan.12-13 (Grade 8-12)- Youth Orbit at MCI - Overnight pricing - \$125. For more info & register visit <https://micblues.net/youth-orbit/> Let Pastor Gerry know if you’ve registered!

Youth for Christ

More baking is needed for their breakfast program at WC Miller. Muffins, cookies, and loaves such as banana bread go over really well. If you can help, please email Kendra at kendra.fehr@yfc.ca or call 204-362-4072. Thank you!