### **Giving Update**

Budget to date: \$155, 287 Income to date: \$111, 091 Needed: \$44, 196



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Sermon Notes		

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#### **Church Calendar**

May 19 - Gerry Giesbrecht

May 26 - Mitch Peters

Jun 2 - MCI Saengerfest in Gretna

**Prayer list**- Werner & Marlene Ens, Zelma Fehr Ginter family

**Missions** - Kendra Fehr, Ryan Thiessen, Joshua Dyck (CCBR) Murray & Carol Honsberger, Eagles Wings Children's Village, Pembina Valley Youth Hockey League Ministry (Riley Martens)

## **Community Announcements**

-The **Salem Foundation** together with the Salem Ladies Auxiliary invites you to a Summer BBQ on May 22<sup>nd</sup>. Supper will be from 5-7pm under the tent on the south parking lot at Salem Home. Along with the "Mc-Menno" Burger Meal you will be able to enjoy the musical entertainment of the Quonset Brothers. Cost by donation. (Bring your lawn chairs)

**-Eden Foundation's** premier fundraising event is back again, in its 17<sup>th</sup> year. It's the Visit the Villages Tractor Trek! Trekkers will drive their vintage tractors to raise money for Eden Foundation. We will gather at the Emmanuel Mennonite Church in Winkler, on Saturday, July 13<sup>th</sup>. Vintage tractor show & shine and gardenland co-op BBQ fundraiser 11am-1pm.

Tractor Trek send off at 1:30pm.

-MCC Manitoba's golf tournament is on Thursday, July 4 at Bridges Golf Course. Visit mcc.org/Manitoba/golf for information and to register today! Support MCC's disaster relief.



### **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: Char Klassen Song Leader: Cassie Giesbrecht

Meditation: Ray Klassen

Offertory: Bennett Friesen, Jeremy Hildebrandt,

Ed Hildebrandt

Date: May 12, 2024

# May 12th, 2024

# "To God be the Glory..."



### **Verse for the Week**

"Then he said to them, "Whoever welcomes this little child in my name welcomes me; and whoever welcomes me welcomes the one who sent me. For it is the one who is least among you all who is the greatest." Luke 9:48 NIV

# **Prayer for the Week**

Lord, may I live my life humbly doing whatever you ask of me, regardless of whether it appears great or seems small. Amen.

#### **Church Announcements**

-Thank you to everyone who donated food during the youth food drive for the Rhineland Food bank this week. The youth really enjoyed meeting many of our community members and seeing the generosity of our community firsthand!

-A memorial service for Susan Hildebrandt who passed away on February 10th, 2024 will be happening in our church on Saturday, May 18, 2024 at 2 pm.

-We are invited to participate in the MCI Saengerfest worship service at Buhler Hall at 10:30am on Sunday, June 2<sup>nd</sup>. There will be a lunch by donation following the service and an afternoon concert at 2:00pm.

There will be no service in Rosetown that morning.

## **Prayer & Praise**

-Please continue to pray for Zelma Fehr who was able to move back home on Wednesday and will be continuing her recovery there. Visitors are welcome!

## **Deacon Ministry**

- -Seth & Erica Klassen 384-7384, 332-1690
- -John & Esther Falk 362-1597, 362-2864, (H) 327-5358
- -Kevin & Helen Krahn 324-4395, 304-1521, (H) 327-5448

We invite you to contact us anytime if you have prayer requests, need someone to talk to would like a visit, or have anything specific we can help with.

#### **Senior High Camping Opportunity!**

DATE CORRECTION: Wednesday July 23- July 25 - For Grade 9-12s. St. Malo Provincial Park. Contact Pastor Gerry 204-362-7262 for more details or to register! <u>Deadline for registration is June 1.</u> The format for this weekend will be kind of like a retreat, except we'll be sleeping in tents and enjoying outdoor activities and learning some survival skills from Wilderland Adventure Company, and having a few sessions together and eating food around the fire.

## **Youth Calendar**

May 15 - Bible Study

**May 22** - The River Community Worship Night in Winkler. Meet at BMC at 6:30pm, back at BMC at 9:30pm.