Giving Update

Budget to date: \$253, 363 Income to date: \$169, 540



Needed: \$83, 823

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Sermon Notes			

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Church Calendar

Aug 11 - Glen Siemens Aug 18 - Walter Hiebert

Aug 25 - Ryan Thiessen

Prayer list- Werner & Marlene Ens, Zelma Fehr , Char Klassen

Missions - Kendra Fehr, Ryan Thiessen, Joshua Dyck (CCBR) Murray & Carol Honsberger, Eagles Wings Children's Village,

Community Announcements

Eden Foundation's upcoming opportunities

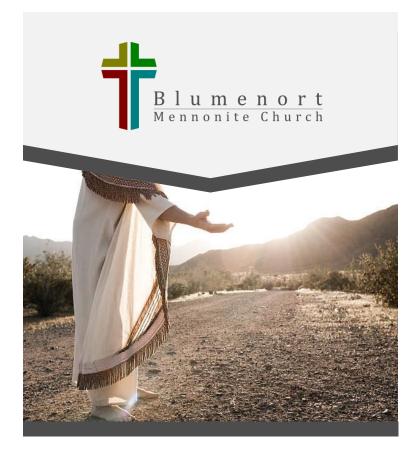
-Coming up Sept. 14th... the 22nd annual "Head for the Hills" cycling event! Join the fun as cyclists from far & wide come together to take on the challenging gravel or trail routes in the scenic Pembina Valley!

-And on Sept. 28th, a leisurely ride on the beautiful bike paths in Winnipeg - it's the Ride for Recovery of Hope! Let's come together to cycle for Eden's counselling service, Recovery of Hope.

For more information on these events please visit www.edenhealthcare.ca and click on "upcoming events".

Gospel Festival

We will again be having a gospel festival in the Altona Park on August 17th starting at 12 noon, and we will have 8 groups, approximately 1 hour each. Expect to be blessed with great music and great company. Last year we had close to 600 people for some of the day. Admission is free, and we will again have offerings during the day. All net proceeds will again go to Youth for Christ, Altona.



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: Gerry Giesbrecht

Speaker: Dave Rempel Song Leader: Tyson Fehr

Date: August 4th, 2024

August 4th, 2024

Welcome & Announcements
Call to Worship
Worship in Song
Scripture: John 21:15-25
Congregational Prayer
Offertory
Worship in Song
Message- "Do You Love Me?"
Closing Song
Benediction

Verse for the Week

"Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength." Deuteronomy 6:5

Prayer for the Week

Heavenly Father, thank you for your love demonstrated through the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus. You are holy, righteous and good. May our love reflect the love you have shown us. Amen.

Church Announcements

-We would like to have an information meeting following a noon meal this coming Sunday, August 11. The council would like to share some information and have some table discussions with regard to an interim pastor. There will be no decisions or voting happening, just an opportunity to have a discussion.

-ShareWord Global Winkler (Gideons) have an outreach opportunity during the Harvest Festival Aug 9-11. For the first time, they will be hosting a vendor tent with the Fellowship of Christian Farmers International. FCFI has had a tent at Corn and Apple Festival for many years, handing out free walking sticks in exchange for sharing the gospel message.

Shareword is partnering with FCFI to do this in Winkler, but we need help. We expect many people to stop at our booth for a walking stick. You can sign up for a 3-hour shift during the weekend and share the Good News of Jesus with people from all over. There is a 1-hour training session Thursday evening. Come alone, with your spouse or with your family.

Shifts available are 12-3 pm, 3-6 pm, 6-9 pm on Friday, Saturday, and Sunday.

Come be part of Kingdom work.

Call Karla Fehr at 204 327-5551 or email gkfehr@hotmail.com to sign up.

In Memoriam

Dave Derksen, 69, of Winkler, passed away on July 31st. He is a brother-in-law to Linda Penner. Let us uphold this family in our prayers.

Deacon Ministry

-Seth & Erica Klassen - 384-7384, 332-1690 -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.

-Please join us in praying for our church, our leadership, and for God's guidance as we seek an interim pastor. Prayer meetings will continue to take place at 9:45 am Sunday mornings in the room across from Gerry's office.

-Mark your calendars!

Sunday, Sept 8th, 2024, 6:30pm at Buhler Active Living Center. **Ryan Thiessen and Katie & Denver Janz** (directors of the school) from the Christian Education Centre (CEC) will be sharing on the work God is doing in Mexico. This will be an information/fundraiser for CEC and Ryan. Snacks and desserts will be served.

Youth Calendar (grades 7-12)

Summer events:

August 21 - Hangout at Church with fire and snack. 7 to 9pm.