## **Giving Update**

Budget to date: \$367, 785 Income to date: \$268, 617 Needed: \$99, 168



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Sermon Notes		

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#### **Church Calendar**

Nov 17 - Rudy Franz

Nov 24 - Gerry Giesbrecht/Memorial Sunday -BMC fall congregational meeting

**Prayer list**-Werner & Marlene Ens, Walker Fehr, Delilah Neufeld

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

## **Community Announcements**

- ~Mennonite Collegiate Institute invites you to join us on Monday, November 18th at 7:00 pm for the AGM. We will meet in MCI's chapel. We hope to see you there!
- ~**The Southern MB Choral Society** will be performing their fall concert "Journeys", on Sunday, Nov. 17th, 2024, at 3:00 pm at the Altona Bergthaler Mennonite Church.

#### ~Rhineland Empty Stocking Fund

If you or someone you know would like to receive food vouchers and gifts from the Empty Stocking Fund this Christmas. please register by calling 431-342-0525 or email rhinelandesf@gmail.com. Please leave a name and phone # if you get voicemail. We will call you back. Deadline for registration: Nov 30, 2024; Delivery date: Dec 14, 2014 - Someone must be home to accept gifts.

Would you consider helping out? To donate to the Empty Stocking Fund, go to Access Credit Union in Plum Coulee, Gretna or Altona.

special guests The Chapel Brass & Male Chorus.



## **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: Kim Derksen

Speaker: Ryan Thiessen
Song Leader: Lauren Fehr

Date: November 10, 2024

# November 10, 2024

Welcome & Announcements
Call to Worship
Worship in Song
Scripture Reading - Genesis 13:5-15, Hebrews 11:9
Congregational Prayer
Offering
Worship in Song
Message - "The Roots of Faith in Action"
Closing Song
Benediction

# **Verse for the Week**

"Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted." Matthew 5:4 NIV

# **Prayer for the Week**

Gracious Father, we know that you are close to all those who are broken-hearted. May your comforting presence be with those of us whose loved ones have recently passed.

### **Church Announcements**

- ~Our Annual BMC Fall congregational meeting date has been set for November 24<sup>th</sup>. Our food committee will be providing lunch prior to the meeting.
- ~Memorial Sunday is coming up on November 24<sup>th</sup>. If there are names of loved ones you would like us to include in the list, that will be read on that day, please either leave a note in Lori's mailbox or send an email to <a href="mailto:blumenortmc@gmail.com">blumenortmc@gmail.com</a>

## **Prayer**

- ~We want to pray for the youth who are on their retreat at Pembina Valley Bible Camp this weekend.
- ~We recognize that there are several within our church family who have recently lost loved ones.

(Rod & Ang Fehr and Scott & Connie Fehr's mother (Zelma), Bernie & Bev Kehler's sister, Ang & Jack Driedger and Kevin & Helen Krahn's grandmother, Dorothy & Richard Hildebrandt's mother, and Jake & Agatha Falk's brother.)

May we be faithful in our prayers, as they grieve. We pray for God's presence & peace to embrace each one of these and the rest of their family members.

## **Our Church History**

Did you know there is a Blumenort Church history book written by Peter D. Zacharias? It covers the first 60 years of BMC's history. They are available for purchase for \$20, with all proceeds going to a yetto-be-determined centennial missions project. Contact Lori at the office; delivery can be arranged. ~Karla Fehr

#### This week at BMC

**Tuesday, Nov 12**-Mom's morning out at 9:30 am in the church basement We welcome ladies of ALL ages!

**Wednesday, Nov 13** - Clubs program for ALL grade 3-6 kids - 7:00-8:30 pm

## **Youth for Christ - Altona (Kendra Fehr)**

Calling all bakers! YFC's Breakfast program at Miller is in need of muffins. If that is something you are able to do that would be much appreciated. Tuesday morning or afternoon is a great time to drop them off at our building or call us at 204 324 5659 to make arrangements.

### Youth (Grades 7-12) Calendar

**November 13** - Bible Study **November 20** - Worship Night