



Home Street Mennonite Church
July 29, 2018
Welcome to Worship

Focus statement: "You are worried and upset about many things, but only one thing is needed." -- Luke 10:41

Gathering

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

Here we are Lord!

We come from the busy-ness of our daily lives
 from the hubbub of our work and play
 from the hue and cry of the world around us,
 we come to worship you.

In this hour, we long to meet you,
 to feel your presence surrounding us,
 enveloping us, loving us.

We long to settle into silence,
 laying aside our worries and our cares,
 aware of your presence around us,
 before us, behind us, within us.

Come, Lord Jesus*

Song *For the beauty of the earth* HWB 89
 Som'landela (We will follow) STS 40

Confession – HWB #695

Hearing God's Word

Scripture Reading:

Psalms 131

Luke 10:38-42

This is God's word to the people

Thanks be to God.

Children's Feature *I saw a tree by the riverside* STS 116
 Message *Only one thing is needed?*

Responding

Song *Jesus, be the center* STS 31

Offering

Prayers of the people and prayers for the world

The Lord's Prayer HWB 731

Sending

Song *May God grant you a blessing* HWB 422

Benediction

Postlude

*Call to worship Copyright Carol Penner www.leadinginworship.com.

Worship Participants:

Speaker: Melissa M.

Accompanist: Aaron L.

Children's Time: Brenda S.

Song Leader: Brenda S.

Worship Leader: Lindsay S.

Offertory: Aaron L.

Sound: Grant K.

Scripture Reader: Lois E.

This Week at Home Street

July	29	10:00 am	Worship Service
	30	7:00 pm	CODA (downstairs)
Aug	1	2:30 pm	Home Plate (foodbank downstairs)
	2	8:00-9:30 pm	SA 12 Step Group (downstairs)
	3	7:15-7:45 am	Men's Prayer Group (prayer room)
	3	5:30-9:00 pm	SDA (downstairs)
	4	9:00am – 2:30 pm	SDA (sanctuary & downstairs)

Inside Our Doors

1. **Needed:** Fall is fast approaching and we are in need of 2-3 more Sunday School teachers. All positions are part-time. This is a wonderful way to engage with the young people in our church. Please contact Lindsay Sawatsky or Angela Klassen Thank you for considering!
2. **Elevenses:** Please call or email Jan Miller, if you can bring and/or serve a snack or ice cream after the service on any Sunday in summer.
3. **Home Street will soon have a really Little Library.** It will be located on the middle shelf of the bookshelves at the back of the church sanctuary (North Side). We are looking for good books; good because they are well-written and good because they reflect the truths we hold dear here at Home Street. It will be a very "soft-opening". So soft you may not hear it. As the books are selected, I will put them on the shelves. Just like with other Little Libraries, we will operate under the principal of "take a book; leave a book", meaning: if you want to take a book and keep it, do so. If you want to bring it back, you are welcome to. And if you have a book to add, we'd love that, too. (Just remember, all the books have to get a little nod from yours truly before I put them out, I believe this makes me the curator).
Happy Reading,
Lynda Loewen
4. **Church Camping on September long weekend:** We've reserved a group camping site at Spruce Woods Provincial Park for August 31 – September 2, and everyone is invited! Come camp for all or part of the weekend, or come join us for a day. It's a wonderful way to enjoy creation together in community. Please let Janet Penner know if you're coming, or if you'd like more information.

5. **Pastor's Pantry.**
Next week is the first Sunday of the month and we will continue to be collecting food donations. We now give out Pastors' Pantry food packages on a more one-time, emergency food basis. Any groceries that are not needed for Pastors' Pantry will be donated to Home Plate.
6. **Almost there! Leadership Council invites your donations** to support the eight youth and young adults from Home Street serving as Camps with Meaning staff this summer. We need about \$500 more to meet our above budgeted amount. We thank those who have already given and invite your generous support; please mark these extra offerings as "Camp Staff Support."
7. **Pastor Melissa** will be away on holiday from August 1 through 17.

Mennonite Church Manitoba...News....Notes....

Sterling Mennonite Fellowship is celebrating their 60th anniversary August 11 and 12. For more info, visit their web page: <https://www.sterlingmennonite.ca/60th/> Register to attend by July 25.

Are your kids bored already with their summer break? Send them to camp! There are still some spots available for many of our camp weeks. Please contact the camp office for more information! 895-CAMP (2267) or camps@mennochurch.mb.ca.

We still need you! Our kitchens look pretty good, but we are still in need of some camp pastors and some maintenance help. The garden at Assiniboia is abundant but so are the weeds – if you love getting your hands dirty and enjoy spending time in the sun, our farm coordinator could use some help keeping up with the weeding and the picking. Contact the camps office at 895-CAMP to volunteer.

Canadian Mennonite UniversityNews...Notes....

Take and Read is back for 2018/19! Led by CMU Faculty Dr. Paul Doerksen, Associate Professor of Theology and Anabaptist Studies, this year's book discussions will focus on Faith, Fear, and Freedom: Christian Theology and Practice in Troubled Times. For more information see cmu.ca/takeandread, email sthiessen@cmu.ca, or call 204.487.3300.

Spots are still open at CMU Blazers Summer Sports Camps 2018, August 13 to 24!

For more details visit cmu.ca/sportscamps, phone 204.487.3300, or email sportscamps@cmu.ca.

CMU has Employment Openings for the following positions:

- **Grounds and Facilities Lead Technician**
- **Receptionist, Shaftesbury North Side**

For more information see cmu.ca/employment.

Volunteers needed at CommonWord Bookstore and Resource Centre at CMU. We're looking for individuals who enjoy customer interaction in a retail/resourcing environment and who would like to join our team one afternoon/week this fall and winter. Please email info@commonword.ca for more information

Westgate Mennonite Collegiate invites applications for a near half-time term teaching position commencing September 4, 2018. Teaching areas include Grade 6 Math, Grade 6 French and Grade 12 English Language Arts. Cover letter and resume can be sent to Bob Hummelt at bhummelt@westgatemennonite.org by August 7, 2018.

Ten Thousand Villages Plaza Drive location welcomes applications for Assistant Store Manager based in Winnipeg. For more information about this position, visit tenthousandvillages.ca. To apply, please submit your resume to winnipeg.plaza@villages.ca

Mennonite Church Canada Witness Notes

Please keep the **Otto/Rabus family** in your prayers. They are settling in to a new home in Lethbridge, Alberta where Jennifer has recently begun a teaching position at the University of Lethbridge. Pray for Greg and Jennifer (and their young sons, Alex and Ian) as they transition to life in Canada after 6 years of Witness work in Germany.

Ride for Refuge 2018 - September 29th!! Come on out and join fellow church members, family and friends in this great, one-day fundraiser. You are invited to participate in this fun, ride/walk fundraising event in support of our international Witness ministry. Please register at: <https://rideforrefuge.org/home> or contact your Regional Church office for more information.

Caring for our community:

Please note: Home Street Mennonite Church is a scent-free facility. Due to health difficulties, we ask that individuals refrain from wearing strong scents or from using such products within the building. This can include perfume, after-shave lotion, and hand cream, for example. Thank you for your participation in reducing the problems caused by strong scents.

Summer office hours:

Cindy's regular office hours for summer will be: Tues. – Thurs. 9-noon.
Please note that bulletin items will need to be in by Wed. p.m.
Melissa will be in the office Tuesdays & Thursdays 9 - noon.
Judith will be in the office Tuesdays & Thursdays 9 – noon

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MCC Manitoba welcomes applications for Migration & Resettlement Program Associate, part-time, based in Winnipeg. Applications are accepted until August 3. For more information and to apply, visit mccmb.ca/migration-resettlement-program-associate

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MCC learning tour on migration - When is the last time someone in your family crossed a border for work, school or love? Migration is both normal and complex. Learn more about the changing landscape of migration on an MCC learning tour to Guatemala and Honduras, November 7-17, 2018. For more information, visit mccmb.ca/learning-tour-guatemala-honduras



Mennonite Disaster Service

Leadership Volunteer Opportunities

(*Urgent needs, apply immediately)

Pine Ridge, South Dakota - Windstorms

*Crew Leader, August 4 - September 1

*Assistant Cook, July 28 - Aug 18

Family Project Volunteer Needs

Shekinah Retreat Centre, Waldheim, Sask. - 2018 Family Project

Aug 12-18: 1-2 families

Aug 19-25: 1-2 families See website for more details.

RV Project Opportunity

Hanceville, British Columbia

Forest fires struck parts of British Columbia in July 2017, burning for more than two months. MDS is building a new home for a couple in Hanceville, about 100 km (62 miles) west of Williams Lake. We are looking for RV volunteers who wish to serve for one to 4 weeks. All RV volunteers provide their own groceries and do their own cooking.

August 5 – 23 – 1 (one) 3 week spot available for volunteers with an RV.

***August 25-September 20 – 1 (one) 4 week spot available for volunteers with an RV.**

For more information or to serve please call:

Kelsey Friesen at 866-261-1274 or email kfriesen@mds.mennonite.net

Weekly Volunteer Opportunities for August and Sept:

Puerto Rico - Hurricane Maria, Williams Lake, British Columbia - 2017 Wildfires

For more information or to serve please call:

Deanna Frey at 800-241-8111 or email dfrey@mds.mennonite.net