



International Witness

Church leader tests positive for COVID

Siaka Traoré, a church leader, pastor and church planter, is an integral bridge-builder in Mennonite Church Canada's longtime partnership with the Burkina Faso Mennonite Church. We recently received news that after suffering from typhoid fever, Siaka has tested positive for COVID-19. Please pray that through God's power, Siaka's body and spirit would successfully recover from the virus. Pray also for his family as they await test results

Witness Support Networks taking off in Mennonite Church Canada regional churches

Across all regional churches in Mennonite Church Canada, congregations are joining together to form support networks for international ministries. Pray that God will use these connections to strengthen relationships with international partners and to enliven and strengthen our faith here in Canada, as we grow and learn together. (To learn more about Witness Support Networks go to www.mennonitechurch.ca/IW-Sunday.)

Witness worker honoured with peace award

International Witness worker, Joji Pantoja, has been named one of three global honorees for the 2020 Oslo Business for Peace Award. Praise God for this recognition of years of faithful work in the Philippines. Read more at <https://waves.ca>

Home Street Mennonite Church October 11, 2020 Welcome to Worship



Focus Statement: Make a joyful noise to God, all the earth; sing the glory of God's name; give to God glorious praise! Psalm 66:1-2

Gathering

Welcome & announcements
Call to worship

Creator God,
As we rose this morning from blessing of sleep
our eyes opened to light of sun
our lungs filled with breath of dawn
our hunger met goodness of food.

All of life is gift.

As we stepped outside our doors this morning,
our ears opened to songs of birds,
our lips tasted coolness of fall
our feet touched firmness of earth.

All of life is gift.

As we gather to worship this morning
our songs join praise of creatures
our confessions flow with healing water
our prayers rise on winds of hope

All of life is gift.

*Creator God, we walk this day in gratitude,
All life is gift from you.*

Prayer

Song *Sing to the Lord of harvest*

Conversations of Gratitude

Blue 98

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Hearing

Children's feature

Song *God, whose farm is all creation* Blue 391

Scripture

This is God's word to the people.

Thanks be to God.

Message

Responding

Offering

Prayers of the people

The Lord's prayer HWB 731

Sending

Song *God, whose giving* Blue 383

Benediction

Worship Participants

Speaker: Adrian J.

Worship Leader: Judith F.E.

Musicians: Maureen E., Pearl T.N.

Children's Storyteller: Hannah B.

Visual: Michelle M., Peter F.

Thanksgiving Conversations: Mackenzie N.; Annie L., Paul P. Rose and Elyse; Patricia B. and David B.; Christine E. and Audrey; Marta and Kelsey B.W.

In Prayer

Continue to pray for peace in Palestine-Israel. Remember the faculty and students of Bethlehem Bible College in the West Bank in these challenging times. Pray for Mennonite Church Canada International Witness staff and Palestine-Israel Network as they seek to support the work for peace and justice.

Outside our doors continued

Canadian Mennonite University

Gratitude! On this Thanksgiving Sunday CMU expresses deep gratitude for the well-being and health of this bustling, in-person and virtual learning community. We are grateful for safety, learning and growth during the first 6 weeks of classes. We're thankful for a broader church community that continues to undergird the mission of CMU to 'inspire and equip women and men for lives of service, leadership and reconciliation in church and society'. Thanks be to God.

Two Opportunities for Prospective Students! Be part of a Webinar Workshop entitled '*It All Adds Up*' in which you will reflect on your values, work experiences, interests, and dreams and gain a holistic sense of possibilities for your future path in university and beyond. **Wednesday, October 14, 6:00 PM.** For more information go to cmu.ca/webinar. Also, CMU's first Campus Visit Day of the fall will be held on **Friday, October 23** and include a campus tour and conversations with faculty and current students. This is an invaluable opportunity for students and parents to explore what CMU has to offer. Maximum six individuals, all masked, per group. Sign up for one of 5 two-hour slots through the day at cmu.ca/campus-visit-day-oct23.

MBCI has an opening for a bus driver. Applicants must possess a Class 4 license, clean driving record and relate well to students. If interested, or to apply, please submit your resume and statement of faith to Elwood Wiebe at ewiebe@mbci.mb.ca."

Lindenwood Villa – 500 Lindenwood Dr. E.
4th floor, 2 bedroom, 2 bathroom, 1173 sq. ft. available
Open house October 11, 1-2 p.m. and 2:30 – 4 p.m.
Open house Tuesday, October 13th 5:30 – 7 p.m.

For more information please call D'Anne Hansen at ReMax 204-979-0432.

Mennonite Church Manitoba

Join us online for **The Camps with Meaning "Break the Bank-uet" Fundraising Celebration**. October 25, 7:00pm. With musical guests Steve Bell, Fred Penner, Kim Thiessen and Darryl Neustaedter Barg and our camp staff. Enjoy visual updates from Camp Assiniboia and Camp Koinonia. Donate generously to keep the camping ministry flame burning. www.campswithmeaning.org/banquet

Camp Assiniboia facilities are available for rental to families and small groups. View the brochure and rates at <http://www.campswithmeaning.org/rentals>. Please contact Linda at (204) 895-2267 or carentals@campswithmeaning.org.

Concordia Hospital has a 0.8FTE permanent Chaplaincy position open. Interested individuals are invited to apply through WRHA careers at <https://careers.wrha.mb.ca/job/Winnipeg-Spiritual-Health-Practitioner-MB/542005017/>

For more information, please contact Kathleen Rempel Boschman, Manager of Spiritual Care, Concordia Hospital 204 661 7149

Mennonite Central Committee

Buckets of Thanks is this week! Gather essential hygiene items for a relief kit and drop them off between October 15-17. Learn more or find the closest drop off location to you at mccmb.ca/Buckets-Thanks. Hoping to drop-off items at 134 Plaza Drive? Book an appointment by emailing manitoba@mccmb.ca or call 204-261-6381.

Gather online for **MCC's Centennial Celebration on Saturday, November 21 at 7pm**. Join friends of MCC from across Canada and celebrate a century of relief, development and peace in the name of Christ through storytelling, music, prayer and thanksgiving. Learn more at mccmb.ca/events.

New webinar following the journey of a relief kit. When disaster strikes, our supporters provide much needed emergency supplies like relief kits, comforters and canned meat. Find out how the items you generously donate are sent across the globe to touch the lives of those in need.

Learn more at mccmb.ca/Webinars.

Inside Our Doors

- Faith & Membership:** Even as we make adjustments to life with Covid, our faith in God continues to grow and our connection with the faith community becomes even more important. So if you are at a point in your faith where you are considering baptism, or at a point in your connection with Home Street where you have questions about becoming a member, please get in touch with Phil or Judith. Faith and membership conversations will be planned to accommodate those who are interested.
- Next Sunday, October 18,** we will honour our seniors during our Sunday morning worship. We recognize both the beauty and challenges of this season of life, and we're deeply grateful for the many gifts our seniors offer to the church community. Seniors aged 70 and over will receive a card and the delivery of some pie next weekend.
- The Home Street Climate Action** Group invites anyone who is interested to join us at our next meeting on Wed, Oct. 14th at 7pm. If the weather is nice, we'll meet outdoors at Allegra's house. If it's too cold, we'll meet over zoom

This Week at Home Street

October	11	11:00 AM	HSMC Worship Service
	12	7-7:30 PM	Sonolux Choir (sanctuary)
	12	7-9:00 PM	CODA (Fellowship hall)
	13	8-9:00 PM	Recovery Chapter (Fellowship hall)
October	15	8-9:30 PM	S.A. 12 Step Group (Fellowship Hall & Sanctuary)
	16	9-2:30 PM	SDA Worship Service

Outside Our Doors

Winnipeg Mennonite Elementary and Middle Schools invites applications for the position of: **Director of Community Relations & Marketing** For more information please visit our website at www.wmems.ca and click employment.

Winnipeg Mennonite Elementary and Middle Schools invites applications for the position of: **Bus Driver - Bedson Campus**. For more information please visit our website at www.wmems.ca and click employment