

# Home Street Mennonite Church

May 8, 2022

## Welcome to Worship



### Service of Ordination for Judith Friesen Epp

**Focus Statement:** In the midst of the many beautiful and diverse gifts at Home Street, today we recognize the gifts of leadership that Judith shares with us, and we celebrate her call to ministry. As Judith is ordained, we acknowledge her desire to covenant with our congregation and the wider church, and serve in a context of mutual accountability.

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Call to worship & Prayer

There is one body and one Spirit,  
just as you were called to the one hope of your calling,  
one Lord, one faith, one baptism,  
one God, Creator of all.

**But to each of us grace has been given  
according to the measure of Christ's gift.**

The gifts Christ gave were that some would be apostles,  
some prophets, some evangelists,  
some pastors and teachers,  
to equip the saints for the work of ministry,  
for building up the body of Christ,

**until we all come to the unity of the faith  
and of the knowledge of the Son of God,  
to maturity as a people,  
to the measure of the fullness of Christ. Amen.**

Song            *Be Thou My Vision*            VT 549

Scripture reading: *Exodus 1:8-22*

Children's time

Offering

Meditation

Song            *One is the Body*            VT 386

### Ordination Ceremony

Sharing of Personal Journey to Ordination

Affirmation for Ordination by the Congregation

Ordination Covenant

Congregational response: **Judith, we affirm this step of ordination. We honour your calling as a pastoral leader and the gifts you offer to our congregation and to the wider church body. We support your leadership and bless you in gratitude, grace, and hope for the ministry we share. Together with you, we will seek to be a community of faith, healing, and hope, communicating God's great love for the world.**

Anointing and Prayer of Blessing

Presentations

Song *God the Spirit, Guide and Guardian* VT 534

Prayers of the people

The Lord's Prayer

Song *Sing a New World into Being* VT 809

Benediction

*We acknowledge that we meet on the ancestral lands of several First Nations and the homeland of the Métis people. We commit ourselves to being Treaty People and to living in right relationship with one another as Indigenous and Non-Indigenous peoples.*

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## Worship Participants

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Meditation: Karen S.

A/V techs: Mackenzie N, Michael V

Worship Leader: Phil CE

Visuals: Michelle M, Peter F

Licensing Ceremony: Michael P., Karen S.

Scripture Reader: Stefan EK

Musicians: Pearl TN, Lilli W.

Children's Time: Steve P.

Affirmations from Home Street: Terry S., Janet Pl.

Ushers: Randy & Janet P., Arlyn FE

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## Inside Our Doors

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- 1. Special appeal for above-budget donations.** Thanks to all who have contributed to the Special Sundry Fund in the past weeks. We have reached our goal of \$3,000. Your contributions will help to pay the airfare to reunify a family that has been separated for several years. Leadership Council is grateful for your generous donations.
- 2. Supporting Young Adult Travel to Mennonite World Conference Assembly:** Natasha NB is part of Mennonite Church Manitoba's young adult team travelling to the Mennonite World Conference Assembly in Indonesia. We want to support Natasha by raising \$2000 to assist with expenses. When you make a donation, you will receive a set of four original linocut cards designed by Natasha: <https://mennochurch.mb.ca/article/11820-mcm-young-adults-engage-global-church>
- 3. Save the Date: On the afternoon of June 12,** we invite you to walk or bike the Wolseley-Wellington loop in support of Mennonite Partners in China. Stop at stations along the route to visit, to do various activities, to sample Chinese snacks, and to make a donation towards supporting the work of Chinese leaders in translating Anabaptist materials into Chinese. More details coming soon.
- 4. Gordon Janzen and David Neufeld** invite you to attend Camps with Meaning **20th Annual Manitoba Birding Retreat** (May 27-29, 2022) at Turtle Mountain. It has become an important event to enjoy God's creation with others who love bird watching. **No experience required** - special invitation to young birders, students and also novice birders of all ages. Children under 12 are FREE. Other students of all ages 50% off registration. Register on line at <https://www.campswithmeaning.org/event/8321-2022-05-27-birding-retreat-2022>
- 5. Walk-Spirit-Reconciliation** is being planned for Thursday, May 26th in Winnipeg. More details to follow.

6. **Email:** We send weekly emails to the congregation with information on current services and other happenings in the congregation. If you are not on this email list and would like to be please let Cindy Paetkau know at the office, 204-783-1721, [administrator@hsmc.ca](mailto:administrator@hsmc.ca)
7. **Donations:** Your donation to Home Street Mennonite Church is very welcome. Join with us as we seek to live and share the love of Christ. Donations to Home Street Mennonite Church can be made in the following ways:  
 Cheque mailed or dropped off at the church; E-transfer made by your banking app to the email [donate@hsmc.ca](mailto:donate@hsmc.ca); Automatic deposit-contact the church office for a form to submit to the bank.  
 Donations received towards the General budget last week: \$7850  
 Designated to special funds: \$1300
8. **Join us on Facebook:** We use our private Facebook group to share updates, news, links and to build community among Home Streeters. If you connect with our congregation, but you're not a member of the group, please consider joining by submitting a request to <https://www.facebook.com/groups/HomeStreetMC>
9. **Hearing Assistance:** Those who need some hearing assistance in the sanctuary can either ask the sound technician for a headset, or use Wi-Fi-enabled hearing aids. See the sound technician or ask an usher for the instructions.

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### **This Week at Home Street**

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May	8	10:45 am	Worship Service
	9	7:00-8:00 pm	CODA (downstairs)
	10	8:00-9:00 pm	Recovery Chapters (downstairs)
	12	9:00-3:00	Westgate Workday at Home Street
	12	8:00-9:30 pm	12 Step Group Meeting
	12	7:45am	Men's Prayer meeting (over Zoom, contact Byron Rempel –Burkholder if you would like the link )
	12	9:00 am-2:30 pm	SDA worship (sanctuary & downstairs)

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### **Outside Our Doors**

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**Join us as we commemorate the Palestinian Nakba by raising the Palestinian flag at Winnipeg City Hall, May 15, 2:00-3:30pm!** The Nakba, or catastrophe, saw the destruction of Palestinian society and their homeland in 1948. Over 750,000 Palestinians were permanently displaced and many of their descendants still live in refugee camps. The Nakba continues today, as Israel occupies the West Bank, East Jerusalem, Gaza strip and treats its own Palestinian citizens as 2nd class citizens. This event is co-sponsored by the following groups: Students for Justice in Palestine, University of Manitoba, Canadian Palestinian Association of Manitoba, Canada-Palestine Network Winnipeg, Winnipeg Coalition Against Israeli Apartheid, Mennonite Church Manitoba Palestine-Israel Network, Independent Jewish Voices - Winnipeg.

**Mennonite Community Orchestra presents "Living on the Edge" on Sunday, May 15 at 3:00 PM at the Lutheran Church of the Cross in Winnipeg.** Visit [cmu.ca/events](http://cmu.ca/events) for ticket information.

## Spring Sangerfest

Come to Westgate on Sunday May 29<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 PM for an outdoor Sangerfest. We will gather to sing and worship together, as well as enjoy music from various groups.

**Winnipeg Mennonite Theatre** proudly announces their return to live stage productions with a rip-roaring classic comedy, ***You Can't Take It With You*** by George S. Kaufman and Moss Hart. We invite you to join us in celebrating the inaugural production of our 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Season.

May 12, 13, 14 at 7:35 and May 14 & 15 at 2:35 p.m., in the Martial Caron Theatre of St. Boniface College  
Tickets are \$20 available on our website: [www.winnipegmennonitetheatre.ca](http://www.winnipegmennonitetheatre.ca) or by phone 204-786-2311.

## Mennonite Church Manitoba

**Summer camp is not the same (actually it's not possible) without our volunteers!** Kitchen and maintenance help, camp pastors, and health officers are needed at both camps. Come and spend a week at one of our lovely sites and add your unique gifts to our amazing camp community. Call the CWM office at 204-895-CAMP or register online at [www.campwithmeaning.org/staff](http://www.campwithmeaning.org/staff).

### MCM Delegates for MC Canada Gathering 2022

Mennonite Church Manitoba is looking for delegates to attend the MC Canada Gathering in Edmonton, July 29-Aug 1. We need 11 general delegates to represent MCM at delegate sessions and 3 Young Leaders Experience participants (age 17-21) to take part in a delegate program geared for them. Registration, accommodation, and travel costs will be covered. Please see [www.mennochurch.mb.ca/news](http://www.mennochurch.mb.ca/news) for more info, and contact [office@mennochurch.mb.ca](mailto:office@mennochurch.mb.ca) if you are interested.

## Mennonite Central Committee

**Golf for MCC!** Join us for a day of golf, prizes and dinner on July 7 and you'll support refugees and displaced people around the world. For more information about the MCC Manitoba Golf Tournament and to register, visit [mccmb.ca/golf](http://mccmb.ca/golf).

**Become a virtual farmer and help end global hunger.** Sponsor an acre of Manitoba farmland through Grow Hope to provide food and agricultural training for people in places like India and Haiti. Your gift will multiple with every \$1 growing to as much as \$5! Visit [mccmb.ca/growhope](http://mccmb.ca/growhope) to learn more and join us.

**We're hiring!** MCC Canada is looking for a [Stewardship Coordinator](#) and an [Enterprise IT Systems Specialist](#). Visit [mccmb.ca/openings](http://mccmb.ca/openings) for more information and to apply.



## **Virtual Gathering 2022 registration now open**

We Declare: what we have seen and heard in Edmonton, Alberta, from July 29 to Aug. 1 will be available to virtual participants across Mennonite Church Canada's nationwide community of faith. Virtual registration for We Declare is now open at [mennonitechurch.ca/gathering2022](https://mennonitechurch.ca/gathering2022).

## **International Witness**

### **AIMM helps with community-development training**

Africa Inter-Mennonite Mission co-director John Fumana led training on assets-based community development in Kandal recently. This focuses on the community's own assets and resources as the basis of development, empowering people to use what resources they already have. AIMM is excited its partners will envision and implement economic projects that will strengthen communities and help them to share their Anabaptist church community with others.

## **Canadian Mennonite University**

### **Free tuition for a year at CMU!**

Apply to CMU for a chance to have your undergraduate tuition covered! To be eligible Canadian students must return a completed CMU application for the 2022/23 academic year starting in September. Visit [cmu.ca/admissions](https://cmu.ca/admissions) for further eligibility requirements.

**Webinar, Financial Aid: Money Matters, May 11 at 6:00 PM (CDT)** – Paying for university can feel quite overwhelming, and we want to help in whatever ways we can. Find out about CMU's scholarships, bursaries, and grants, and discover helpful tips for finding financial aid beyond CMU. Visit [cmu.ca/webinar](https://cmu.ca/webinar) for information and registration.

**Canadian School of Peacebuilding, June 6-10; 13-17** – Registration is now open for courses taught by local, national, and international peacebuilders to serve practitioners, professionals, activists, students, non-governmental organizations, and faith-based groups. Visit [csop.cmu.ca](https://csop.cmu.ca).

**Employment Opportunity.** Canadian Mennonite University invites inquiries and applications for a full-time salaried position of Administrative Assistant/North Side Reception with an anticipated start date in June. Visit [cmu.ca/employment](https://cmu.ca/employment) for more details.

## **Employment Opportunities**

**Bethel Place is seeking a student for employment during the summer months to provide support to the SOI Meal Program**, Monday to Friday (daytime hours). We are looking for candidates who have been vaccinated against COVID-19 and have some experience in food preparation and have a passion for working with older independent adults. We offer a challenging team-oriented work environment. Hourly wage is \$13.02. **Reply by email to: Attention – Bethel Place, Executive Director by fax#204-284-3763 or email: [bp@bethelplace.ca](mailto:bp@bethelplace.ca)**. Reply in confidence no later than May 18<sup>th</sup>, 2022

**Lindenwood Retirement Living is currently seeking applications for the following positions:**

Spiritual Care

Grounds

Cook

Administrative Assistants

Maintenance

Please see [www.lindenwood.ca/careers](http://www.lindenwood.ca/careers)

**Winnipeg Mennonite Elementary & Middle Schools** is looking for a Superintendent / Chief Executive Officer for a term position. The CEO will be responsible for the overall direction and leadership of the school and its staff.

Learn more and apply online at [wmems.ca/jobs](http://wmems.ca/jobs).



**Mennonite  
Disaster  
Service**

Spring is here! Include service in your plans by joining an MDS project either in Canada or the U.S. For any questions or further information, call 800-241-8111 or email [volunteer@mds.org](mailto:volunteer@mds.org).

**As of April 27, 2022, the following is required to cross the border:** Travelers must be fully vaccinated to cross the Canada-U.S. border, and MDS volunteers do not meet the requirements for exemption as essential workers. To enter Canada, by land or air, there is currently no COVID test required. To enter the U.S. by land no COVID test is required, but to enter by air a negative COVID test remains a requirement and must be taken within 24 hours of crossing the border. Contact the Volunteer Coordinator in your country with questions about crossing the border to serve with MDS. For more information or to serve, please contact:

**Canadian projects:** Clara Flores at 866-261-1274 or email [cflores@mds.org](mailto:cflores@mds.org).

**MDS SYP and Family Program:** There are a few remaining openings for your youth group or family to serve with MDS this summer! For more information or to serve, please contact: **Canadian projects:** Kelsey Friesen at 866-261-1274 or email [kfriesen@mds.org](mailto:kfriesen@mds.org)

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