

<u><b>This week at MPMC</b></u>		
Monday	7:00 pm	Pickleball
	7:00 pm	Council Meeting
Tuesday	9:30 am	Forever in Motion
	1:30-3 pm	Pickleball
	4:45 pm	Worship Meeting
Wednesday	10:00 am	Bethany Bible Study
	7-9 pm	Pickleball
	6:30 pm	Education Meeting
Thursday	9:30 am	Forever in Motion
	10:30 am	BB+
	6:30 pm	Youth Bible Study
Saturday	3-7 pm	JRAM in Sanctuary
Sunday	9:00 am	Fellowship and coffee in the foyer
	9:30 am	Education Hour
	10:45 am	Worship Service
	1:00 pm	Jesus Rock of Ages Ministry Worship
	6:00 pm	MR YAM

### **Thought for the week**

It is good to give you thanks, O Most High,  
to sing praises to your name.  
We declare your steadfast love  
In the morning and your  
faithfulness by night. Amen

[Voices Together]

### **Today's Service**

Greeters: Joe and Kerry G  
Worship Leader: Myrna S  
Song Leader: Grace P  
Pianist: Michelle B  
Ushers: Dory I, Helmut I, Marianne S, Bernie W

## **Welcome to Mount Royal Mennonite Church**

Learning to live - through relationships with Jesus,  
our neighbours and each other

Education Hour 9:30 am    Worship Service 10:45 a.m.

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### **Music Sunday**

Prelude		
Announcements		
Silence		
<b>We Gather</b>		
Call to Worship		
Opening Prayer		
Choir	<i>Come and Rejoice</i>	
Gathering songs	<i>Come let us all unite to sing</i>	HWB #12
	<i>Jesus, priceless treasure</i>	HWB #595
	<i>A Jubilant Psalm</i>	
Choir		
Psalm 96		Tyrese H
Offering		
Sunday School Singers		
<b>We Listen</b>		
Story for all Ages		Garth E F
Scripture	2 Samuel 22:1-4, 21-25, 47-51	
Choir	<i>O God our help</i>	
	<i>Great God of wonders</i>	HWB #149
Scripture	Deuteronomy 32: 1-4, 9-14	
Choir	<i>Lord of the small</i>	
Scripture	1 Peter 2: 4-10	
Choir	<i>Jesus rock of ages</i>	
<b>We Respond</b>		
We Sing	<i>God of our strength</i>	HWB #36
Peace Lamp		
Prayer		
Sharing of Joys and Concerns		
Sharing our Prayers	<i>O Lord hear my prayer</i>	HWB #348
Choir	<i>Hold on to the Rock</i>	
Sending words		
Sending song	<i>The Lord lift you up</i>	StJ #73
Postlude		

### Joys & Concerns

- **Pray for:** *Edwine L, Maureen G, Nettie and Roy W, Marg W, Agnes and Elmer R, Elsie and Bill S*
- **Families of the week:** *Wes and Jodi E, Katie W, Paul E and Phyllis P*
- We give thanks for last week's offering of \$4,062, given freely as we learn to live through relationships with Jesus, our neighbours and each other.
- See the CPT prayer concern on the Missions & Services bulletin board.
- Join Tom and Christine Poovong in prayer as they ask God to show them the families with which they will live and minister at the new church plant. The Poovongs and their team will teach these disciples of Jesus to go out and preach the gospel to their villages.
- Peace Mennonite continues to be excited about the people who come from varied backgrounds to become part of our multi-lingual, inter-cultural, inter-racial, with various faith traditions, and together fellowshiping, serving God, studying the Word, and welcoming the stranger. Our concern continues to be the number of persons we meet who are suffering major health issues such as cancer, heart troubles and painful backgrounds of abuse and addictions. Our prayer request is for God to heal the broken-hearted, lonely and unwanted through faithful living of members of our congregation and MC Sask as we all witness together.

### MRMC Coming Events & Notes

- **Rejoice Devotionals:** if you would like to receive the Rejoice devotional please talk to Gwen. For those who already receive the devotional, a renewal slip is in your mailbox. **Deadline is June 12.**

### Conference and Community Events

- ANNUAL RJC STUDENT FUNDRAISING EVENT, May 23** - Students will compete in the 11th annual *Record Setting Spectacular*, a fundraiser towards student activities. Money raised is tax deductible (donations of \$20 or more). We appreciate your assistance as our students ask friends and family (from now until May 23) for pledges to support their teams and RJC.
- SMYO Youth Retreat Update – May 24-26.** Due to the cancellation of the Sr. High Retreat, the Jr. High Retreat is being opened up to all youth in grade 6-12! Starting with a road trip down to Camp Elim (we'll carpool/caravan together), the weekend will be filled with worship, games, and one of the highlights at Elim – time on the lake! Registration details coming soon ([youthminister@mcsask.ca](mailto:youthminister@mcsask.ca) for more).
- Saturday May 25th from 2:00pm to 5:00pm. VOLUNTEERS NEEDED for Farm Day in the Park.** Volunteers will simply assist Youth Farm Employees by being present on behalf of MRMC and assisting with light duties where needed. Please contact Wilf or Cheryl if you are interested.

- May 31 at Shekinah Retreat Centre.** "Friends of Shekinah Fundraising Banquet." Punch starts at 6PM. Join us for an evening of great food, education, and entertainment courtesy of the Shekinah board and staff. Find out who your new staff members are, what's going on at Shekinah, and why we are needing your help for an exciting project we are planning this summer. Please RSVP by phone (306-945-4929), email ([office@shekinahretreatcentre.org](mailto:office@shekinahretreatcentre.org)), or carrier pigeon.
- This is your invitation to participate in the **Annual MCC Relief Sale June 7 and 8** by donating baking. Buns, breads, cookies, cakes, pies are always desired items, but traditional goods (like zweiback, portzelky, peppernuts, platz, etc.) are a real hit. Baking can be brought to the bake table Friday by 4:00 p.m. or Saturday morning. Thank you! Questions: call Bev or Ted Janzen at 232-5619.
- Voices Together Worship Workshop**, Saturday June 15, 1:30-4:30pm at Mount Royal Mennonite Church. Join us for an afternoon introducing materials and resources from the new *Voices Together* hymnal project, and exploring the many facets of worship and how it shapes us into the people of God. Cost is \$25. Registration and details can be found at <https://mcsask.ca/mc-sask-events/>
- Registration is now open for Gathering 2019 in Abbotsford, B.C., June 28 to July 1!** Go to [www.ignitegathering2019.ca/registration](http://www.ignitegathering2019.ca/registration) for the registration guidelines and link. A detailed schedule and descriptions of the workshops and events planned throughout the weekend is available at [www.ignitegathering2019.ca/schedule](http://www.ignitegathering2019.ca/schedule). We look forward to seeing you there! If you have questions or concerns, please email the MC Canada Communication Officer at [kdsawatzky@mennonitechurch.ca](mailto:kdsawatzky@mennonitechurch.ca).
- Shake: Rattled by the Radical, July 28- August 1, 2019 at Shekinah Summer Camp, SK** – sponsor discounts and travel subsidies available until **April 26, 2019**. Join us for a week of worship, games, workshops, and more! Some of our favourite things about Shekinah – the climbing wall, zip line, river valley trails, and no cell service! Visit [www.prairiefyouth.ca](http://www.prairiefyouth.ca) for full details and registration.
- MCC Connects:** Want to help raise funds, raise awareness, and build community? The MCC Relief Sale and Auction is looking for volunteers! This year's Relief Sale is on June 7 & 8<sup>th</sup> at Prairieland Park in Saskatoon. We are looking for food booth workers, greeters, auction area helpers, and many more opportunities! If you are interested in helping, please contact the MCC Relief Sale team at [mccreliefsalesk@gmail.com](mailto:mccreliefsalesk@gmail.com).