

<u>This Week at MRMC</u>		
Monday	6:00 pm	Pickleball
Tuesday	9:30 am	Forever in Motion
	1:30 pm	Pickleball
Wednesday	6:00 pm	Pickleball
	7-8 pm	AA Meeting (Host: Melody)
	7:30 pm	Choir
Thursday	9:30 am	Staying on Your Feet
	10:30 am	Boomers+
	1:30 pm	Pickleball
Saturday	6-8 am	JRAM in Sanctuary
	10-6 pm	Gym Rental
	3-7 pm	JRAM in Sanctuary
Sunday	10:00 am	Sunday Worship Service followed by Potluck
	1-4 pm	JRAM in Sanctuary
	4:00 pm	Gym Rental

Prayers

Church and Christian leaders of Canada call for peace as war in Ukraine has entered its third year. Please join the Canadian Council of Churches in united prayer and action for peace in Ukraine.

Today's Service

Worship Leader: Joel S
 Song Leader: Darrell B
 Pianist: Verna O
 PowerPoint: RaeLynn H
 Sound: Gord/ Ryan S
 Video: Wes E

Welcome to Mount Royal Mennonite Church

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

Worship Service 10:00 am

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Fourth Sunday of Lent

Prelude
 Land Appreciation Statement
 Announcements
 Silence

GATHERING

Call to Worship

Gathering songs

Oh, for a Thousand Tongues

VT #764

I Bind My Heart This Tide

VT #556

Lent and Easter Reading

Pam O

Psalm Reading

Psalm 19

Bernie W

Offertory Prayer

HEARING

Choir Song

A Lord Built House

Story for all Ages

Sarah P

We Sing

There Is More Love Somewhere

VT #804

Scripture

Revelation 5:6-14

Sermon

Healthy Church- Worship

Don F

SHARING

Hymn of Response

You Are Holy

VT #61

Communion

Peace Lamp

Sharing our joys and concerns

Sharing our prayers

SENDING

Sending Song

May the Face of God Shine on You

VT #844

Blessing

Postlude

Joys & Concerns

- **Present Concerns:** *Nola S, Eric and Doris Q, Elsie K. E, Ken, Amber and Abigail E, Bill and Sandra S, Niall S*
- **Continued Prayer Support:** *Marg W, Evelyn S, Maureen G, Anne K*
- **Families of the week:** *Bill H, Evelyn S, Wade and Sheila P*

MRMC Notes and Events

- a) **Land Appreciation Statement:** We gather today on Treaty Six Territory and homeland of the Métis. We honour them as sovereign peoples and seek to live into right relations with these neighbours. We are grateful to be able to live, work, and worship here.
- b) **Three Headsets are available** at the sound station for those who want to hear the service better. Just go to the sound station and pick your colour.
- c) **March 10:** After service congregation meeting. The purpose of this short meeting is to elect Steve Kroeger into the role of Operations Chair. Thank you Steve for offering your skills and time to this position.
- d) **March 17:** This will be Don's last Sunday as our Interim Pastor. Please join us to worship together and to say thanks for his service to us. A potluck lunch will follow the service.
- e) **March 29 at 10:30 am: Good Friday Service** will be held at **First Mennonite church**. First Mennonite, Wildwood and Mount Royal will be worshipping and sharing communion together. The speaker that day will be Executive Minister Gary Peters. A choir made up of participants from the 3 churches will be singing. The offering will be at the back and the proceeds are going to MCC Gaza this year. All are welcome!
- f) **March 31:** There will be an Easter Brunch following the service. There is a sign up sheet on the bulletin by Don's office.
- g) **More ushers are needed.** If you are willing to be an usher, please contact Helmut Isaac so you can be added to the list.
- h) **Missions & Service committee is emailing out a Community Involvement Survey to the congregation.** It is not a spam! The purpose of the survey is to help the Missions & Services Committee better understand where the MRMC community is already connected as well as to learn more about the passions and service history within our church family. To submit answers to the survey hit reply to the email and answer the questions in the body of the email. Paper copies will be available in the foyer for those who would prefer a physical copy. The Missions & Services Committee greatly appreciate your feedback! Any questions please talk to or email Donna at do.bueckert@gmail.com
- i) **New small group starting for April 7th.** It will be an intergenerational group with a focus on being child friendly. Those interested in joining can talk to Jodi or Donna.
- j) **MDS Trip:** There is an MDS Trip being planned. No date planned at this time. If you are interested, please talk to Heather W as soon as possible.

Conference and Community Events

- 1) **March 10, tonight: RJC Songs & Sweets at 7:00pm.** Join us in celebrating the legacy of music and the arts at Songs & Sweets: A fundraising concert and cake auction at RJC High School. Featuring performances by RJC Singers & Bass Choir, RJC Alumni & Friends Choir, with special guests Elixir Ensemble: chamber music for piano & strings. The evening will include coffee, tea, desserts, a live cake auction and a cupcake lottery. Rush table seating, no tickets required. More information available at rjc.sk.ca/sweets.
- 2) **March 19 from 5-7 pm: The Youth Farm Bible Camp is having their annual Vereniki Fund Raiser.** Admission is by donation and the menu includes Vereniki (two types), Farmer Sausage, Cream Gravy, Fruit Sauces, Coleslaw, and soft serve ice cream. More information at <https://www.yfbc.ca/march> and read an article about how Anabaptist Theology impacts Spiritual Formation at YFBC (same link).
- 3) **April 6, 6:00 p.m Shekinah Retreat Centre and Carmen Corner Meats are "Puttin on the Ribz '24.** For more information and to purchase tickets see shekinahretreatcentre.org or call (306) 945-4929.
- 4) **MCC Connects:** Save the date! MCC's annual Relief Sale Festival will be held on Saturday, June 15 at Forest Grove Community Church in Saskatoon. Stay tuned for more information and visit the website at this link: <https://www.mccskreliefsale.com/>
- 5) **MCC Connects:** Attention gardeners! Do you start your plants from seed? If yes, then this message is for you - we are bringing the plant sale back to the MCC Relief Sale Festival and would love for you to help us out by donating bedding plants, vegetable plants, shrubs, house plants or any other plants you love. Plant a few extra seeds, donate them to MCC and make a difference. If you are interested in partnering with us in this way, please contact Phyllis Goertz at p.goertz@sasktel.net or call the office at 306-665-2555. Keep an eye on our website mccskreliefsale.com for more updates.