

<u>This Week at MRMC</u>		
Monday	6:00 pm	Pickleball
Tuesday	9:30 am	Forever in Motion
	11:00 am	Piano Tuning
	1:30 pm	Pickleball
Wednesday	5:30 pm	SPT Meeting
	6:00 pm	Pickleball
	7:00 pm	AA Meeting (Hosts: Evan & Donna)
Thursday	7:00 pm	Youth at NPMC
	9:30 am	Forever in Motion
	10:30 am	BB+
Saturday	1:30 pm	Pickleball
	6:00 am	JRAM in Sanctuary
	12-5 pm	Prairie River Artists in basement room
Sunday	12-8 pm	Gym Rental
	3-7 pm	JRAM in Sanctuary
	10:00 am	Sunday Worship Service
	12-8 pm	Gym Rental
	1-4 pm	JRAM in Sanctuary

Prayers

Pray for Nhien Pham and Garry Janzen as they travel in Vietnam and serve the Evangelical Mennonite Church Vietnam (EMCV) with training courses based on Palmer Becker's Anabaptist Essentials. EMCV has been requesting more basic level Anabaptist training for church leaders. Garry and Nhien developed this training course and piloted it in the Sherbrooke Mennonite Church community. Pray for safety in travel, and life-changing response to the training.

Today's Service

Worship Leader: Evan B
 Song Leader: Grace P
 Pianist: Val R
 PowerPoint: Len A
 Sound: Aaron B
 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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Prelude
 Land Appreciation Statement
 Announcements
 Silence

GATHERING

Call to Worship	<i>Come All You People</i>	VT #2
	<i>Thy Loving Kindness</i>	
Psalm Reading	Psalm 8	Bernie W
Choir	<i>Our Song of Thanks</i>	
Offertory Prayer		

HEARING

Story for all Ages		Jo-Anne N
We Sing	<i>Jesus is a Friend</i>	
Scripture	Luke 24, 13-16, 28-35	
Sermon		Emily S
Song of Response	<i>Oh, Oh, Oh, How Good Is the Lord</i>	

SHARING

Peace Lamp
 Sharing our joys and concerns
 Sharing our prayers

SENDING

Sending Song	<i>We Give Thanks Unto You (v1,3,5)</i>	VT #117
Blessing		
Postlude		

Joys & Concerns

- **Present Concerns:** *Elaine H, Myrna Sc*
- **Continued Prayer Support:** *Maureen G Anne K, Marg W, Eric and Doris Q, Evelyn S*
- **Families of the week:** *Don and Maria B, Al R, Bryan and Carol R-W*
- Offerings last week totaled \$3,880 received with thanks and hope to be used to for our work in God's kingdom here and beyond our borders.

MRMC Notes and Events

- a) **Evan's new office hours** will be Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday mornings
- b) **Save the date** for our **MRMC Annual General Meeting on Saturday, November 30th** beginning at 9 am. Leadership Reports should be submitted to Jodi by November 1st.
- c) **Looking for volunteers** - the Missions & Services Ministry is looking for individuals interested in volunteering for a new, drop-in baby and preschool play group program here at MRMC. The hope is to run the program on Wednesdays mornings, starting in early November. Opportunities to volunteer would include greeting parents and children, leading a short circle time, preparing a snack, or baking/ making snacks. Volunteers NOT required to do any childcare or supervision. Please speak to Donna if interested or sign up on sheet posted by Emily's office.
- d) **Canadian Mennonite subscriptions:** All who attend MRMC may receive a subscription to Canadian Mennonite. Please note, starting April 2024, Canadian Mennonite magazine will be printed monthly. Current subscribers have the first opportunity to receive one email a week with select stories, interviews, and news from behind-the-scenes. If you already receive Canadian Mennonite as a PDF every second Friday, the new service is already included in your subscription. If you currently only receive your magazine by mail, don't miss out! Ask Gwen to add your email address to your subscription. We can add up to two email addresses per household. Subscriptions are paid for collectively through MRMC. To start a new subscription or to change your delivery preferences (to receive print, digital or both), please contact Gwen by Oct 28.
- e) **Quarterly Statements** have been placed in the mailboxes. If you notice any discrepancies or would like it mailed to you, contact Gwen in the office as soon as possible.

Conference and Community Events

- 1) **Oct 6 @ 3pm: Forest Church at Shekinah.** Ed Olfert will bring stories and reflections and Curtis Wiens will bring communion to outdoor worship. All are welcome!

- 2) **Oct 26: RJC's Annual Fundraising Dinner - The Tonight Show at RJC! With Your Host: Corey Ginther (1990)** | Join us on for an evening of conversations and entertainment with RJC alumni, friends, and students. \$25/person or \$200/table. Tickets on sale. Call (306) 232-4222 or email office@rjc.sk.ca.
- 3) **Oct 30: RJC Spend-a-day** | Students in Grades 8-11 who would like to experience a day in the life of an RJC student are invited to join us on October 30, 2024. Email Alex at admissions@rjc.sk.ca or call (306) 232-4222 for more information or to register.
- 4) **The Mennonite Historical Society is hosting a 6-week CMU Xplore course via Zoom: "The Great Soviet Experiment: A Postmortem."** The one-hour class will be held in the MHSS Archives at Bethany Manor every Thursday morning at 8:30 a.m., beginning October 10 and ending November 14. Instructor is Leonard G. Friesen. We invite you to join the class; no pre-registration is needed.
- 5) **Join the CMU team** – CMU invites inquiries and applications for a full-time Lab Steward position (one-year term with benefits). Other opportunities include sessional instructor positions in Psychology. Visit cmu.ca/employment for information on all employment opportunities.
- 6) **Xplore** – “Wisdom, Tension and Conflict in the Gospel of John”, “Dreams and Dreaming”, and “Exploring our Relationship with Grief” are some of the fall courses offered through CMU's Xplore extended education program. Classes begin October 1; for course information and to register, visit cmu.ca/xplore. Churches may consider hosting an Xplore watch party with people from the community.
- 7) **Mennonite Church Saskatchewan is seeking an Interim Youth Minister/Worker on a contract basis until mid-July, 2025.** Averaging 10 hours/week, this position will involve coordinate and working with youth pastors, leaders, and sponsors on province-wide and regional youth events such as MegaMenno and youth retreats, including travel to the 2025 MC Canada Youth Gathering. Interested candidates are invited to send their cover letter and resume to Len Rempel at minister@mcsask.ca. A full job description is available at www.mcsask.ca
- 8) **Parkland Restorative Justice is seeking an Executive Director-Community Engagement Coordinator.** Duties include working in collaboration with the Program Manager, Board of Directors, volunteers, stakeholders, offenders, and staff at Saskatchewan Penitentiary to fulfill mandate of Parkland's aims and goals as well as community engagement to encourage more volunteer enrolment and promote fundraising. Job and application details available at <http://mcsask.ca/Parkland-Restorative-Justice-job-posting> Application deadline is October 15, 2024.