

<u><b>This Week at MRMC</b></u>		
Monday	6:00 pm	Pickleball
Wednesday	6:00 pm	Pickleball
	7:00 pm	AA (Hosts: Jake and Betty B)
Friday	2-9 pm	Sanctuary and Gym Rental
Saturday	9 am-8 pm	Sanctuary and Gym Rental
Sunday	10:00 am	Sunday Worship Service
	12-4 pm	JRAM Worship Service
	12:30- 6:30 pm	Gym Rental

**Today's Service**  
Worship Leader: Melody N  
Piano: Monica D  
Song Leader: Verna O  
PowerPoint: Kevin C  
Sound: Aaron B  
Video: Wes E

<https://mountroyalmennonite.org/getinvolved/giving>

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

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

Worship Service 10:00 am

**Vol. 62**

**June 22, 2025**

**No. 24**

**Education Sunday**

Prelude

Land Appreciation Statement

Announcements

Silence

### **GATHERING**

Call to Worship

Gathering Songs      *When Peace Like a River*      VT #617

*Jesus Rock of Ages*      VT #622

Psalm Reading      Psalm 22: 19-28      Monica D

Education Sunday Litany      Jo-Anne N

Offertory Prayer

### **HEARING**

Story for all Ages

We Sing      *Like a Rock*      VT #63

Scripture      ***Galatians 3: 23-29***

Sermon      **Division, Unity, and Radical Empathy**

Emily S

Hymn of Response      Let Us Build a House (v1,3,4,5)      VT #36

### **SHARING**

Peace Lamp

Sharing our Joys and Concerns

Sharing our Prayers

### **SENDING**

Sending Song      *You Are All We Have*      VT #701

Blessing

Postlude

### Joys & Concerns

- **Present Prayer Concerns:** *Ella F, Edna R*
- **Continued Prayer Support:** *Elaine H, Evelyn S, Maureen G, Anne K, Marg W, Eric and Doris Q, Tena S*
- **Families of the week:** *Myrna S, Eric and Verna O, Dennis and Judy H*
- We give thanks for last week's offering of \$4,060, given freely as we learn to live through relationships with Jesus, our neighbours and each other.
- **Praying for each other:** North Star just finished a series on Settler Discipleship which has been a meaningful and thought-provoking experience about our role and responsibilities in colonization. As we are exploring ways to respond in hope, faith and solidarity, pray that we find meaningful ways to put our faith into action as we live out our settler discipleship.

### MRMC Notes and Events

- a) Emily's hours will be changing for the months of July and August as she moves to ½ time. This was at Emily's request in order to accommodate more family time over the summer break. She will be in the office on Mondays and Tuesdays. She will still be available for urgent pastoral care needs, funerals, etc., over the summer.
- b) Emily is looking for people to help fill the pulpit on her days off from preaching. Do you have a sermon percolating that you'd like to share? Or talk about an experience you had that impacted your faith? Creativity is welcome! If you would be interested in this opportunity, please contact Emily as she would love to talk about this with you.
- c) Next week, **June 29**, we will be having a picnic lunch at Kinsmen park instead of our monthly potlucks. Please bring a bag lunch and join us for some lovely summer weather. All are welcome!

### Conference and Community Events

- 1) **June 22: RJC Graduation:** Please join us as we celebrate the class of 2025! **Baccalaureate Service at 10:30am** held at Rosthern Mennonite Church (3016 5th St, Rosthern). **Graduation Exercises at 2:30pm** in the RJC Auditorium. All are welcome to attend!
- 2) **July 26 at 3pm: Celebrating Our 500 Years at the Mennonite Youth Farm, Rosthern.** Join with fellow heirs of the Anabaptist Reformation in celebrating the 500th anniversary of the beginning of our Anabaptist faith family, and our 130 years in Saskatchewan. The afternoon will include music and storytelling. Supper will be available for purchase on the grounds. Bring lawnchairs.

- 3) **Applications are now being accepted for the 2025 MC Sask Education Scholarship.** Eligible schools and service programs include: RJC High School, CMU, SALT (MCC), 3E Internship (YFBC, and more. Application deadline is July 31, 2025, visit [www.mcsask.ca](http://www.mcsask.ca) for application forms and full eligibility details.
- 4) Shekinah is looking for fun-loving volunteer cooks for Children's Camp 1, July 6 to 11 and Junior Teens, July 27- August 1. If you have a day or two or three you can help out, please contact Audrey at [kampenaudr@sasktel.net](mailto:kampenaudr@sasktel.net) or 306 270-3638."
- 5) **MCC Connects:** Thanks to everyone who participated in this year's Relief Sale Festival! With the help of over 150 volunteers, it was a wonderful day of good food, creative artisan booths, and fun for all ages. With your generosity, and a \$50,000 matching offer, over \$130,000 was raised to support relief, development, and peace in the name of Christ.
- 6) **InCERT AI AI Oh! There is much to learn about the influence of Artificial Intelligence in our society.** The learning curve is steep, with a tangled growth of complexity underfoot. Do we have some control about how we plan our AI path? Read more about AI and the environment at <https://mcsask.ca/InCERT-AIandus>