

<u>This Week at MRMC</u>		
Monday	6:00 pm	Pickleball
Tuesday	9:30 am	Forever in Motion
	1:30 pm	Pickleball
	7-9 pm	Rental of Church Basement
Wednesday	6:00 pm	JRAM Youth in Mezzanine
	6:00 pm	Pickleball
	7:00 pm	AA Meeting (Greeters: Wilf and Cheryl F)
	7:30 pm	Choir
Thursday	9:30 am	Forever in Motion
	1:30 pm	Pickleball
	6:00 pm	Maundy Thursday Service and Communion
Friday	10:30 am	Joint Good Friday Service with Communion
Saturday	2-4 pm	JRAM using Mezzanine
	3-7 pm	Gym Rental
	3-7 pm	JRAM in Sanctuary
Sunday	10:00 am	Worship Service followed by Easter Brunch
	12-4 pm	JRAM Worship Service

### **Holy Week Events**

March 29 at 10:00 Palm Sunday Service  
 April 2 at 6:00 Maundy Thursday Service and Communion  
 April 3 at 10:30 Good Friday Service with Langham, Wildwood, First Mennonite and MRMC  
 April 5 at 10:00 Easter Sunday Service followed by Easter Brunch time

### Today's Service

Worship Leader: Trevor S	Prelude: Elsie E
Pianist: Shelley B	Song Leader: Val R
PowerPoint: Kevin C	Video: Wes E
Sound: Gord/ Ryan S	Greeters: Wilf and Cheryl F

### **Church Information**

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## **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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### **Palm Sunday**

Prelude		
Land Appreciation Statement		
Announcements		
Silence		
Call to Worship		
Prayer		
Gathering Songs	<i>Holy Lord</i>	VT #314
	<i>Sanna Sannanina</i>	VT #79
Psalms Reading	Psalm 118: 1-2, 19-29	Joy K
Story for all Ages		Jo-Anne N
Song	<i>Your Love Is Washing Over Me</i>	VT #166
Offering Prayer		
Litany Words of Confession, Words of Assurance		
Lent Hymn	<i>Come, My Way, My Truth, My Life</i>	VT #48
Scripture	<b><i>John 19: 16b-22, 12:12-27</i></b>	
Sermon	<b>A Tale of Two Kings</b>	Emily S
Dampen Lent Candle		
Hymn of Response	<i>Love Divine, All Loves Excelling</i>	VT #638
Peace Lamp		
Sharing our Joys and Concerns		
Sharing our Prayers		
Sending Hymn	<i>Go, My Friends, in Peace</i>	VT #839
Blessing		
Postlude		

### Joys & Concerns

- **Present Prayer Concerns:** *David B, Edna R, Elmer R*
- **Continued Prayer Support:** *Doris Q, Elaine H, Willard W, Evelyn S, Maureen G, Anne K, Marg W*
- **Families of the week:** *Evan, Donna, Emmett and Ainsley B, Myrna S, Wilf and Cheryl F*
- We give thanks for last week's offering of \$3,040, given freely as we learn to live through relationships with Jesus, our neighbours and each other.

### MRMC Notes and Events

- April 2:** Everyone is invited to take part in our **Maundy Thursday meal at 6:00 pm here at the church**. We'll share a simple meal together, participate in a short litany and then take the communion meal together as we remember Jesus' last night with his own disciples. We're looking for volunteers to make pots of soup and buns for the supper. Contact Emily if you have any questions.
- April 3:** The Good Friday Service on April 3 will be held at Mount Royal Mennonite Church at 10:30 am. Mount Royal Mennonite, First Mennonite and Wildwood Mennonite will be participating. There will be communion, a joint choir singing and an offering taken in the foyer to go to MCC where most needed. Everyone is welcome.
- April 5:** There will be an Easter brunch following the worship service. There is a signup sheet on the bulletin board by Emily's office. All are welcome!
- Save the date: Sat May 30:** Missions is hoping to find a team of people interested in planning a church garage sale. Proceeds to go towards replacing the lift going to the basement. Talk to Jodi, Ron, Heather or Sarah if interested.
- At the request of his family, Spiritual Care is working to coordinate visits for Elmer R as he settles into his new Intermediate Care Unit at Luther Riverside Terrace.** Elmer does noticeably better in his days when he's had visitors. Days/times that visitors are needed: Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday Mornings, and Friday and Saturday afternoon. If you have time to pay Elmer a visit during any of those times, it would be greatly appreciated. Talk to Emily if you have any questions.
- Stuff the Bus!** You may notice a barrel in the foyer near Gwen's office. We are participating in the Stuff the Bus program again this year! Items requested are (but not exclusively) baby food or formula, canned protein, hearty soups and stews, and whole grain cereals. Please ensure donations are not expired or partial containers. Thanks for your support in a great community event!

### Conference and Community Events

- 1) **Where's Len Rempel this week?** On Sunday, March 29 at 2:30 pm - 5 pm Len will be a panelist at the symposium on "Combating Hate: An Interfaith Response" hosted by MultiFaith Saskatoon. The event will take place at the Shri Lakshmi Narayan Temple, 107 La Ronge Rd, Saskatoon.
- 2) **April 20:** Join the Mennonite Disaster Service Saskatchewan Unit for an evening of dessert, stories, and music on Monday, April 20, 7pm, at West Portal Church. Meet MDS staff Reynold Friesen and Moses Falco and enjoy the music ministry of "BJ and Friends." All are welcome. Contact the MDS office (1-866-261-1274; [mdscanada@mds.org](mailto:mdscanada@mds.org)) if you have any questions.
- 3) **April 24, 9:00 am to 3:30 pm | RJC Spend-A-Day:** Prospective students in Grades 7–11 are invited to experience a day in the life at RJC! You'll shadow a current student, attend chapel, enjoy a meal in our dining hall, and explore music, sports, and dorm life. Meet teachers, connect with future classmates, and discover why RJC is a vibrant, welcoming community. Come spend a day with us and see what we have to offer! Visit [rjc.sk.ca/spend-a-day](http://rjc.sk.ca/spend-a-day) to register.
- 4) **April 25 5:30 doors open: Puttin' on the Ribz at Shekinah Retreat Centre.** Entertainment by One Fine Day (Women of the 60's with Pat Mitchell). All proceeds will go towards Summer Staff wages. Dinner: Ribz and wine Sponsored by Carmen Corner Meats and Rosthern Agencies.
- 5) **Theatre of the Beat is coming back to Saskatchewan this May.** If your congregation is interested in hosting a performance or workshop in your community, please contact the MC Sask office or Theatre of the Beat directly. Their current production is *Invisible Threads* which explores the realities of human trafficking, enforced labour, and unfair working conditions - issues that may *feel* far away, but exist here in Canada as well as globally. The story begins when a clothing store employee discovers a note sewn into a pair of imported jeans, sparking a chain of revelations about wage theft, unsafe workplaces, and the hidden systems that enable exploitation.
- 6) **MCC Connects:** Starting April 8, MCC will be running our annual Conflict Transformation Webinar Series over Zoom on Wednesdays from 12-1 pm. As faithful followers of Christ, we are called to build right relationships here in our own contexts, as well as around the world. Join us as we learn from MCC's *Peaceful Practices*, a curriculum designed for congregations to build basic skills of healthy conflict transformation and dialogue. Registration is \$50 and subsidies are available. For more information and to register, visit: [www.cognitofirms.com/MennoniteCentralCommittee2/ConflictTransformationWebinarSeries2026](http://www.cognitofirms.com/MennoniteCentralCommittee2/ConflictTransformationWebinarSeries2026)