

**This Week at MRMC**

Monday	5:00 pm	Spiritual Care Meeting
	6:00 pm	Pickleball
Tuesday	8:00 am	Seniors Breakfast at Grainfields
	5:30 pm	SPT Meeting
Wednesday	6:00 pm	JRAM Youth in Mezzanine
	6:00 pm	Pickleball
	7:00 pm	AA Meeting (Greeters: Bryan W)
Saturday	11-3 pm	Gym Rental
	2-4 pm	JRAM using Mezzanine
	3-7 pm	JRAM in Sanctuary
Sunday	10:00 am	Worship Service
	12 pm	Young Families Picnic
	12-4 pm	JRAM Worship Service
	2-6 pm	Gym Rental

## 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		
Gathering Songs	<i>Halle, Halle, Hallelujah!</i>	VT #752
	<i>There's No One in the World like Jesus</i>	VT #68
Psalm Reading	<b>Psalm 8</b>	Judy H
Offertory Prayer		

### **Hearing**

Story for all Ages		Sarah P
We Sing	<i>Here on Christ the Rock I will Stand</i>	VT #159
Scripture	<b>John 4: 4-30</b>	
Sermon	<b>Thirsting for Hope</b>	Don F
Hymn of Response	<i>My Love Colours Outside the Lines</i>	VT #582

### **We Share**

Peace Lamp  
Sharing our Joys and Concerns  
Sharing our Prayers

### **We Are Sent**

Sending Song	<i>Dona nobis pacem</i>	VT #707
Blessing		
Postlude		

### **Today's Service**

Worship Leader: Naomi U	Pianist: Shelley B
Song Leader: Rita H	Video: Gord/ Ryan S
PowerPoint: RaeLynn H	Sound: Travis W
Greeters: Merv and MaryLou D	

### **Church Information**

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### Joys & Concerns

- **Present Prayer Concerns:** *David B, Edna R, Elmer R*
- **Continued Prayer Support:** *Willard W, Evelyn S, Maureen G, Anne K, Marg W, Doris Q, Elaine H*
- **Families of the week:** *Cooper, Chloe and Howie M, Bill S, Dan and Pam O*
- We give thanks for last week's offering of \$1,255, given freely as we learn to live through relationships with Jesus, our neighbours and each other.
- ***It is with deep sadness and heavy hearts that we share the news of the sudden and unexpected passing of our colleague and friend, John Fumana. John has faithfully served in the role of Africa Inter-Mennonite Mission (AIMM) Executive Coordinator since 2020. He passed away on May 15, 2026 as he and his wife Lucie were landing in Montreal, Canada. This was to be the beginning of a month-long trip visiting Canadian churches and supporters to talk about AIMM's ministries in Africa. No doubt this is coming as a shock to many of you, as it is to us. We ask you to prayerfully remember John's family, friends, the AIMM community, as well as all those whose lives have been touched by John's presence and work. -From AIMM***

### MRMC Notes and Events

- a) **May 31:** Our first young families Spagether Supper will be held tonight at 5:00 pm here in the gym. Please call or text Emily if you have any questions about this!"
- b) **Baptism:** Are you interested in being baptized or learning more about baptism? Emily is tentatively planning a baptism service for June 21<sup>st</sup> (the date is flexible). Please connect with Emily if you would like to be baptized!
- c) **The Worship Ministry plan to continue to mute the prayer during sharing time until the end of May.** In June this practice will be re-evaluated. Your shared thoughts about this are necessary for a decision that reflects our congregation's wishes. Please be in touch with Pastor Emily, Shelley, or Grace in the next few weeks.
- d) **Rejoice Devotionals:** Talk to Gwen if you would like to receive the devotional or make a change to your existing subscription. Deadline is June 26. The price will be \$54.61.

### Conference and Community Events

- 1) **Where's Len Rempel (Executive Minister of MCSask) this week:** This weekend Len will be in Regina. On Saturday he will be attending a luncheon to recognize and celebrate the years of dedication and service that Otto and Florence Driedger have given to CoSA South Saskatchewan. On Sunday, Len will be at Grace Mennonite to help celebrate a baptism and

membership acceptance service. Please remember both these events in your prayers.

- 2) **June 3 at 7:00pm: Musical Highlights at Bethany Manor:** Join us in the Fellowship Hall at Bethany Manor for a special presentation of highlights from *The Prince of Egypt*, featuring principal performers and a curated selection of the production's signature numbers. Open to the public, all are welcome! *Admission by donation.*
- 3) **June 6 at 7 pm at Wildwood Mennonite Church: *The Fruit Machine* Documentary Night:** This is a joint event between WMC and the Queer Community. *During the 'Cold War', in the atmosphere of fear of spies and blackmail, Canada's Queer Community was especially targeted by the Canadian Government, military and law enforcement.* All are invited to this showing of the documentary film.
- 4) **June 7 from 2-5 pm: Join us for an afternoon of camp activities, a hot dog roast, and plenty of fun!** Meet the summer staff, experience your favourite camp activities, and explore everything Shekinah has to offer.
- 5) **June 7: Forest church @ Shekinah 3pm.** This month, we welcome participants in Shekinah's open house to join us for outdoor worship. Also, we will celebrate the 5-year anniversary of Forest Church @ Shekinah so celebrate with a piece of cake and a hot dog over the fire! Curious first-timers, old friends, regular attenders: all are welcome!
- 6) **June 25, 26 & 27 at 7pm: RJC Musical: *The Prince of Egypt*:** Join us in the RJC Auditorium for this year's musical production. Tickets go on sale May 19 at noon. Admission is \$25 for adults and \$15 for youth. Tickets can be purchased at [rjc.sk.ca/musical](http://rjc.sk.ca/musical). Contact the school 306-232-4222 to request wheelchair/accessible seating. We hope to see you there!
- 7) **MCC Connects: Looking for ways to participate in this year's Relief Sale Festival on Saturday, June 13?** MCC is looking for volunteers to help the day run smoothly, from setting up to cleaning up. For all the opportunities, visit [mccskreliefsale.com/get-involved](http://mccskreliefsale.com/get-involved). In addition, we are seeking a variety of sweet and savoury baked goods for the bake sale, contact Brent Guenther for more details at [brentguenther@hotmail.com](mailto:brentguenther@hotmail.com). Thank you for your support!
- 8) **Ten Thousand Villages Revisited** is happening again at the MCC Relief Sale on June 13th. If you have items from Ten Thousand Villages that you could let go of and donate for the sale, please bring them to the MCC Centre no later than June 5th. Thank you!
- 9) **The Mennonite Nursing Home** is looking for part-time housekeepers and laundry workers. Must be available to work rotating shifts (days only) weekdays and weekends. We offer: Medical and Dental Benefits, Pension Plan. Please drop off resumes at the nursing home office or email to [dawn.wolff@saskhealthauthority.ca](mailto:dawn.wolff@saskhealthauthority.ca)