

<u>This Week at MRMC</u>		
Monday	6:00 pm	Pickleball
Tuesday	5:30 pm	Worship Meeting
Wednesday	6:00 pm	Pickleball
	7-8 pm	AA Meeting (Host: Bryan)
Saturday	7-9 am	JRAM in Gym
	12-8 pm	Gym Rental
	3-7 pm	JRAM in Sanctuary
Sunday	10:00 am	Worship Service
	1:00 pm	JRAM service

Wednesday- Friday 12-5 pm JRAM VBS in Gym

Creation Care Prayers

For our unwillingness to feel the suffering of others, and our readiness to live comfortably with injustice.
 For our self-righteousness that denies guilt, and our self-interest that strangles compassion.
 For our abuse of this planet and our exploitation of its resources.
 For our failings in community and our reticence to become involved.
 For the times we were too eager to be better than others, when we were too rushed to care, when we were too tired to bother, when we were too preoccupied to listen, when we were too quick to act out of motives other than love.
 May God forgive us, Christ renew us, and the Spirit enable us to grow in love. Amen.

(Pietermaritzburg Agency for Christian Social Awareness.)

Today's Service

Worship Leader: Len A
 Song Leader: Val R
 Pianist: Marlies P
 PowerPoint: Darrell B
 Sound: Gord/ Ryan S
 Video: Daniel M

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 Acknowledgement
 Announcements
 Silence

GATHERING

Gathering Words
 Gathering Prayer
 Gathering Songs

Halle, Halle, Hallelujah
We Sing to You O God

VT #752
 VT #80
 Erna W

Psalm 100
 Offertory Prayer

HEARING

Story for all Ages
 We Sing
 Scripture

Peace Like a River

John 10:10

Matthew 9: 14-17

Sermon

Conviviality: a Spiritual Practice

Jo-Anne N

Zach D

SHARING

Hymn of Response
 Peace Lamp
 Sharing our joys and concerns
 Sharing our prayers

I Come with Joy (v1,3,4,5)

VT #478

SENDING

Sending song
 Blessing

You Shall Go Out with Joy

VT #847

Go now in peace to love and serve the Lord
Thanks be to God

Postlude

Joys & Concerns

- **Present Concerns:** *Alex and Joel S, Agnes and Elmer R, Erwin and Tena S, Eric and Doris Q*
- **Continued Prayer Support:** *Maureen G, Anne K, Marg W, Evelyn S*
- **Families of the week:** *Bill H, Darlene K, Arnulfo T and Marleny C*
- We give thanks for last week's offering of \$7,522 given freely as we learn to live through relationships with Jesus, our neighbours and each other.

MRMC Coming Events and Notes

- We will be creating a telephone directory in the upcoming weeks. Pages can be found in the foyer. Please take a look at them and make any changes. If there are some family or friends that are in the directory and they don't regularly attend or may not see the announcements, please make changes or prompt them to contact the office. Deadline will be Aug 27.
- Gwen will be in the office from 7-11 on Friday July 14 and away on July 17.

Conference and Community Events

- 1) **The Spruce River Folk Festival is back for 2023 on Saturday, August 12 at Spruce River Farm, Spruce Home.** Visit the the website at www.spruceriverfolkfest.com for artists and more information.
- 2) **Save the Date: Shekinah Move-a-Thon**, September 17, 2023.
- 3) **Shekinah Retreat Centre has an opening for the Executive Director position.** We are seeking a high energy person to grow our camping and facility rental programs. The preferred candidate will have a commitment to the Anabaptist tradition, an entrepreneurial spirit, non profit leadership experience and excellent communication skills. Start date is August 15, but can be negotiated. Most salary and benefits follow MC Canada guidelines. For further information contact Board chair, Phyllis Goertz: 306 242 8367 or p.goertz@sasktel.net.

- 4) **Russlaender Train Tour Saskatchewan Stop.** Twenty-one thousand Mennonites arrived in Canada from the Soviet Union beginning in 1923. Sixty participants are making the Quebec City to Abbotsford anniversary train trip and will stop in Saskatoon July 18-19. Check out the piano concert at <https://mcsask.ca/event/11401> tours and more at <https://mcsask.ca/event/11394>
- 5) **Mennonite Nursing Home in Rosthern has an opening for the Director of Care position.** The preferred candidate will have a Bachelor Degree in Nursing, long-term care experience and management experience. Immediate start date, but can be negotiated. Candidate must have a strong commitment to the ideals expressed in the mission statement (<https://mennonitenursinghome.com/our-mission/>). For further information contact CEO/Administrator, Mark Hildebrandt: mark.hildebrandt@saskhealthauthority.ca.
- 6) **The Micah Mission is seeking an Assistant to the Director.** This person will coordinate the Person to Person (P2P) program, the Faith Community Reintegration Program (FCRP), and assist with day--to--day tasks such as, but not limited to: reporting, grant writing, presentations, and coordinating fundraising events. Contact info@themicahmission.org to learn more.
- 7) **Looking for something to do with your family or summer visitors? The Rosthern Museum and Mennonite Interpretive Centre has two brand-new exhibits for you to explore.** Check out the David Toews exhibit, commemorating the 100th anniversary of the 1920s Mennonite immigration. Browse photographs and page through our complete collection of yearbooks in the RJC room upstairs—you're bound to find some familiar faces! Located on the campus of RJC High School, we're open Fridays and Saturdays, 1-4pm or by appointment. Call Donna at 306-232-7447 or Barb at 306-232-7553 to book your appointment today. Admission is free, but donations are welcome.
- 8) **Please note:** The MC Sask office hours will be inconsistent during the summer, so please call before dropping in.
- 9) **The 2023 MC Sask Scholarship application forms are now available at** www.mcsask.ca/youth-ministry