

<u>This Week at MPMC</u>		
Monday	6:00 pm	Pickleball
Tuesday	12-6 pm	Cheer Crates in the Gym
	5:30 pm	SPT Meeting
	7:30 pm	Worship Meeting
Wednesday	8 am – 6pm	Cheer Crates in the Gym
	6:00 pm	Pickleball
	7-8 pm	AA Meeting (Hosts: Garth and Claire)
Thursday	10:30 am	Boomers+
	6:30 pm	Women Together via Zoom
Saturday	3-7 pm	JRAM in the Sanctuary
Sunday	10:00 am	Sunday Worship Service
	1-4 pm	JRAM in Sanctuary

Celebrating our Graduates

Cody Johnson- Convocating from the College of Arts and Science- Psychology

Ethan Funk- Convocating from Edwards School of Business- Operations Management

Isabella Erb- Graduating from Rosthern Junior College

Joel Siemens- Convocating from the University of Saskatchewan with a Bachelor of Science in Computer Science

Today's Service

Worship Leader: Len A
 Song Leader: Val R
 Pianist: Monica D
 PowerPoint: Darrell B
 Video: Gord S

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

WE DECLARE

The Community in Praise

Call to Worship
 Gathering prayer
 Gathering songs *Morning Has Broken* VT #495
Mountain of God VT #11
 Psalm 8 Shelley B
 Offering

The Community in the Word

Story for all Ages Sarah P
 We Sing *Man of Galilee*
 Focus on Christian Education Zach D
 We Sing *Most of All*
 Scripture **1 John 1: 1-4**
 Sermon **'WE DECLARE: Getting our bearings'** Garth
 Hymn of Response *Lord Jesus, You Shall Be My Song* VT #581

The Community in Mission

Peace Lamp
 Sharing our stories
 Sharing our prayers
 Sending song I Love to Tell the Story VT #761
 Blessing

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.
THANKS BE TO GOD!

Postlude

Joys & Concerns

- **Pray for:** *Eric and Doris Q, Grace and Mel B, Betty U, Roy W, Marg W, Alex and Joel S, Eric and Verna O, Agatha W, Hedie B, Al and Anne P, Maureen G, Anne K*
- **Families of the week:** *Kevin, Esther, Marcus, Arthur and Rowan C, Kelly and Pam J, Margaret M*
- We give thanks for last week's offering of \$6,181, given freely as we learn to live through relationships with Jesus, our neighbours and each other.
- Pray regarding the conflict in Ukraine and the impacts throughout Europe regarding refugees and economic impacts. Pray for a just peace in Ukraine. Pray for courage and perseverance for people in Russia who work for peace. Pray that refugees may find safety and welcome. And pray for the countries that are economically impacted by the war. (*Mennonite World Conference prayer network*)

MRMC Coming Events and Notes

- a) We have resumed having fellowship and coffee after the service. If you are willing to help with set up and clean up, there is a sign up sheet on the board beside Garth's office.
- b) **June 12:** There will be a baby shower for Ashley M on June 12 at 6:30 at MRMC.
- c) **Rejoice Devotionals:** The last issue of the rejoice devotionals has been sent out. If you currently receive or would like to receive the Rejoice devotional, please contact Gwen. Price is \$46.23. Deadline is **June 13**.
- d) **June 26:** There will be a BBQ for the church and the local neighbours.

Conference and Community Events

- 1) **June 12: Family Fun Day Fundraiser at Shekinah Retreat Centre, 2-5PM.** Check out our zipline and climbing wall, in addition to playing games and doing some camp crafts. Finish off the day with a wiener roast and ice cream. Admission is by donation to help fund our summer camp program.
- 2) **June 22 11:30 – 3:30 pm New Interpretive Site at Stoney Knoll!** You are invited to the ribbon cutting & celebration of the unveiling of a display of storyboards in a beautiful gathering site, which describes the on-going reconciliation efforts between local settlers and the Stoney Knoll Nation / Young Chippewyan band. Come for a time of visiting, learning and celebrating all the things we have in common. Free BBQ lunch. Schedule and details available at <https://mcsask.ca/event/11072>
- 3) **June 23: RJC Red Carpet Open House | June 23 -** Prospective students and youth are invited to attend a fun-filled event at the premier performance of "Anastasia: The Musical". MC Sask youth are invited to games at **4:30pm** on the RJC campus, followed by supper in the RJC dining hall at **5:30pm**, campus tour at **6:00pm**, and the musical

performance at **7:00pm**. Youth can register with their youth sponsors/pastors or contact Alex Tiessen at admissions@rjc.sk.ca.

- 4) **June 25: RJC Alumni & Friends BBQ-** Alumni and friends are invited for a BBQ supper in the RJC dining hall prior to the RJC musical on June 25 at 5:30pm. \$10 per person for the meal. RSVP to office@rjc.sk.ca or call (306) 232-4222.
- 5) **June 26: RJC Graduation Exercises-** Baccalaureate service at Rosthern Mennonite Church at 10:30am followed by the Graduation Ceremony at the RJC Auditorium at 2:30pm. All are welcome to attend in-person. A live-stream option will be made available.
- 6) **Save the Date - Shekinah Move-A-Thon - September 17.** Join us at Shekinah Retreat Centre for a day of fundraising and fun, joining together to get active and support the work and mission of Shekinah. Mark your calendars and watch for more updates coming soon!
- 7) **One More ZOOM meeting? No thanks! The Virtual MC Canada Gathering 2022, July 29-August 1, promises to NOT be one more ZOOM meeting.** Plans are in place to make the virtual gathering an *experience*, an experience as close to being in Edmonton without leaving your home. A professional audio-video team will bring you live worship, the plenary speakers, online workshops and even interviews recorded just for virtual participants. Join other virtual participants from across our nationwide community of faith. **Cost is only \$75.** Register at <https://www.mennonitechurch.ca/gathering2022/#register> well in advance to receive instructions how to get the most out of Virtual Gathering 2022 .
- 8) **Come and join our nationwide community of faith as we gather together with our Mennonite Church Alberta faith family** to examine what it means to share the Good News. Attend full-time or part-time and enjoy guest speakers John Boopalan, Cheryl Bear and Kara Carter as well as a stellar round of workshops and tours. **Registration deadline is June 26.** Register at mennonitechurch.ca/gathering2022.
- 9) **MC Canada congregations invited to watch Gathering 2022 sessions online.** MC Canada is offering congregations discounted group and individual registration rates to attend Gathering 2022 sessions online. Share in live worship and plenary sessions, participate in online workshops and network with other virtual participants from across our nationwide community of faith. Information and to register visit www.mennonitechurch.ca/gathering2022.
- 10) **Amplify! Youth Gathering 2022 registration is full!** We are so excited that our registration is full for Youth Gathering 2022 from July 31 to Aug. 4 at Camp Valaqua in Alberta! Thanks to all of our youth leaders across the country for working hard to make this event a reality and to event coordinator Joani Neufeldt. Please pray for remaining preparations to go smoothly and for safe travel for all the campers.