

| <u>This Week at MPMC</u> |          |                               |
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| Monday                   | 6:00 pm  | Pickleball                    |
| Tuesday                  | 7:00 pm  | Four Strings Attached Ukulele |
| Wednesday                | 6:00 pm  | Pickleball                    |
|                          | 6-8 pm   | AA Meeting (Host: Bryan)      |
| Saturday                 | 3-7 pm   | JRAM in the Sanctuary         |
| Sunday                   | 10:00 am | Sunday Worship Service        |
|                          | 11:00 pm | Community BBQ                 |
|                          | 1-4 pm   | JRAM in Sanctuary             |

**94 Calls to Action** were prepared following the Truth and Reconciliation Commission hearings. Let's use these summary statements to inform our prayers and actions. (Complete list Truth and Reconciliation Commission of Canada: [Calls to Action](#).)

### Church Apologies and Reconciliation

59. We call upon church parties to the settlement agreement to develop ongoing education strategies to ensure that their respective congregations learn about their church's role in colonization, the history and legacy of residential schools, and why apologies to former residential school students, their families, and communities were necessary.

60. We call upon leaders of the church parties to the settlement agreement and all other faiths, in collaboration with Indigenous spiritual leaders, survivors, schools of theology, seminaries, and other religious training centres, to develop and teach curriculum for all student clergy, and all clergy and staff who work in Aboriginal communities, on the need to respect Indigenous spirituality in its own right, the history and legacy of residential schools and the roles of the church parties in that system, the history and legacy of religious conflict in Aboriginal families and communities, and the responsibility that churches have to mitigate such conflicts and prevent spiritual violence.

### Today's Service

Worship Leader: Jo-Anne N  
 Song Leader: Verna O  
 Pianist: Val R  
 PowerPoint: Len A  
 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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**June 19, 2022**

**No. 25**

Prelude  
 Land Acknowledgement  
 Announcements  
 Silence

### WE DECLARE

#### The Community in Praise

Call to Worship  
 Gathering prayer  
 Gathering songs *Come Christians, Join to Sing* VT #28  
*As a Deer in Want of Water* VT #552  
 Psalm 42: 1-11 Ray P  
 Offering

#### The Community in the Word

Hope for the Earth Garth E F  
 Story for all Ages Trevor S  
 We Sing *Halle Halle Halle* VT #753  
 Scripture **Isaiah 61: 1-11**  
**Luke 4: 16-21**  
 Sermon *Marched off the map* Claire E F  
 Hymn of Response *Praise with joy the world's Creator* VT #428

#### The Community in Mission

Peace Lamp  
 Sharing our stories  
 Sharing our prayers  
 Sending song *The Lord lift you up* VT #832  
 Blessing

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

**THANKS BE TO GOD!**

Postlude

Coffee and fellowship immediately after the worship service

### Joys & Concerns

- **Pray for:** *Grace and Mel B, Betty U, Roy W, Marg W, Alex and Joel S, Eric and Verna O, Agatha W, Hedio B, Al and Anne P, Maureen G, Anne K, Eric and Doris Q*
- **Families of the week:** *Jake and Betty B, Jeff N, Maggie P and Jack, Linus, Clara, Walter*
- Our offering last Sunday was \$12,130, received with joy and thanksgiving for all that God is doing here and in our community.
- A HUGE thank you for everyone who came out to the youth BBQ last Sunday. The total raised was \$800.75!

### 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 26:** There will be a BBQ for the church and the local neighbours.

### Conference and Community Events

- 1) **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>
- 2) **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](mailto:admissions@rjc.sk.ca).
- 3) **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](mailto:office@rjc.sk.ca) or call (306) 232-4222.
- 4) **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.
- 5) **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!

- 6) **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 .
- 7) **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](http://mennonitechurch.ca/gathering2022).
- 8) **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](http://www.mennonitechurch.ca/gathering2022).
- 9) **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.
- 10) **Shekinah is looking for summer camp counsellors!** If you love kids and the outdoors, we would love to talk to you. We are offering 8 weeks of paid work in July and August. The work is hard, frustrating, and exhausting, but it is also fun, uplifting, exciting and rewarding. Please contact Reno if interested: [reno@shekinah.ca](mailto:reno@shekinah.ca).