

<u>This Week at MRMC</u>		
Monday	9:30-11:30 am	Kids Play Date
	6:00 pm	Pickleball
Tuesday	9:30 am	Forever in Motion
	1:30 pm	Pickleball
	7:00 pm	Ukulele in Foyer
Wednesday	6:00 pm	Pickleball
	6-8 pm	AA Meeting (Host: Melody)
Thursday	9:30 am	Forever in Motion
	10:30 am	Boomers
	1:30 pm	Pickleball
	6:30 pm	Women Together via Zoom
Friday	7:00 pm	Youth night
Saturday	1-4 pm	Garth & Claire Come and Go
	3-7 pm	JRAM in the Sanctuary
Sunday	10:00 am	Sunday Worship Service
	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.](#))

Reconciliation- Equity for Aboriginal People in the Legal System
50. In keeping with the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples, we call upon the federal government, in collaboration with Aboriginal organizations, to fund the establishment of Indigenous law institutes for the development, use, and understanding of Indigenous laws and access to justice in accordance with the unique cultures of Aboriginal peoples in Canada.

51. We call upon the Government of Canada, as an obligation of its fiduciary responsibility, to develop a policy of transparency by publishing legal opinions it develops and upon which it acts or intends to act, in regard to the scope and extent of Aboriginal and Treaty rights.

Today's Service

Worship Leader: Len A Song Leader: Darrell B
Pianist: Shelley B PowerPoint: RaeLynn H
Video: Wes E

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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MUSIC SUNDAY

Prelude		
Land Acknowledgement		
Announcements		
Offertory Prayer		
Call to Worship	<i>Come All You People</i>	VT #2
Gathering Prayer		
Gathering Song	<i>Together</i>	VT #389
Choir	<i>Could It Be That God Is Singing</i>	VT 42
Psalm 95: 1,2, Psalm 150	Rowan, Sophia, Callista, Ayden, Marcus, Leena	
Scripture	Hebrews 1: 1-3	
Choir	<i>Lord You Sometimes Speak</i>	VT #537
Scripture	Phillipians 2: 5-11	
Hymn	<i>Here I Am to Worship</i>	VT #227
Reflections		
Sunday School Anklung	Be Still and Know that I am God	
Peace Lamp		
Sharing		
Prayers of the People		
Scripture	Ephesians 2: 14-16	Leena and Marcus
Reflections		
Hymn	<i>We Are People of God's Peace</i>	VT #797
Choir	<i>Draw the Circle</i>	VT #802
Scripture	Revelation 5: 12-14	Ayden and Arthur
Story for all Ages		Garth
Choir	<i>God's Glory Fills the Heavens</i>	VT #197
Closing song	<i>Praise God</i>	VT #70
Sending words		
Postlude		

Joys & Concerns

- **Pray for:** *Eric and Doris Q, 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*
- **Families of the week:** *John and Sharon J-P, Maureen G, Elmer and Elvina K*
- Our offering last Sunday was \$3,649, received with joy and thanksgiving for all that God is doing here and in our community.
- **Conflict resolution courses taught in South Korean middle school.** For the third time this year, a middle school in South Korea has invited facilitators from the Chuncheon Community Peace Centre to do training in all 18 classes to help children learn peaceful ways to resolve conflict. Witness worker Bock Ki Kim is working to build teams of facilitators in other cities so that local people can provide this kind of training. Pray for the facilitator-training courses planned for this summer.

MRMC Coming Events and Notes

- a) **May 15** - Saskatoon Chamber Singers concert, 2 pm at Knox United Church. Advance tickets (\$25) available from Shelley Bueckert. Tickets at the door - \$30.
- b) **May 21:** Let's celebrate the **abundance of life!** On Saturday, May 21 starting at 2:00 p.m., join Garth and Claire as they celebrate **29 years of married life.** This is also the season for Food Bank financial donations. So do come to a "come and go" affair in MRMC's parking lot. Visit (bring your own chair), eat, and **donate to the Saskatoon Food Bank.**
- c) **May 28, 1-3:30 pm:** There will be a youth car wash happening at the Mount Royal Mennonite Church's parking lot. This is a fundraising event for the youth event *Amplify* that is happening later in the summer.
- d) **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.**
- e) There will be a card to sign and a box to contribute to outside of Gwen's office for Daniel and Ashley's baby shower.
- f) End of Life Conversations - the second in this series has been postponed until a time when COVID hospitalization numbers are reduced. Watch for further details.
- g) **Directories:** The 2022 phone directory is complete and in the mailboxes. Please let the office know if you want an extra copy.

Conference and Community Events

- 1) **May 21, 2:00 pm** Premiere showing of "Custodians: a story of ancient echoes" at the Roxy Theatre in Saskatoon Free admission. This film was commissioned by Walking the Path, an ad hoc committee of the Ministries Commission of MC Sask. This is the story of Ancient Echoes in Herschel. This example "calls on people, landowners especially, to talk about what's on their land, who occupied the land and who occupies it now. The land holds everyone's history and everyone's story. We all need to be responsible custodians of the story." (quote from Harry Lafond, Indigenous Elder, member of Walking the Path). The director is Brad Leitch, who was also the director of Reserve 107.
- 2) **May 16: RJC Spring Concert, 7:00pm-** Join us as we celebrate the spring season, featuring performances by RJC Singers, RJC Concert Choir, RJC Jazz Band, RJC Dance Class. Admission by donation.
- 3) **June 4 *The Climate is Changing: Now What??* A one-day Mega Menno retreat for youth gr. 6-12 at Shekinah** (9:30am – 4:30pm). Speakers Brenda and Wayne MacDonald will help youth explore what it looks like to be a people of faith in a time of changing climate(s). The day will also include plenty of outdoor fun,! \$20/person (aid available) Details at <https://mcsask.ca/event/10976>. Contact youthminister@mcsask.ca with any questions
- 4) **June 11: We are looking for volunteers to help us with our annual MCC Relief Sale on Saturday.** Areas of volunteering include set up on June 10, take down, preparing food, packaging food, handing out food and beverages, etc., and will be assigned in two to three hour time blocks. Please contact Lois Mierau at lgmierau@gmail.com or 306-250-8403 for more information or if you are interested in volunteering.
- 5) **MCC Connects:** The Meadowgreen Kids Club is looking for volunteers to help lead weekly activities and most importantly, build relationships and interact with the youth. Activities include games, crafts, special events (movies, carnivals, etc.), and field trips. Contact April at aprilonauer@mccsk.ca or at 306-665-2555.
- 6) **Consider CMU: "Where learning and career connect."** Virtual open house on Wednesday, May 25, 6:00–7:00 PM CDT. Receive a virtual tour of CMU's campus, ask questions of our Admissions team, hear from faculty and current students, and learn about our free tuition for a year contest. Visit cmu.ca/virtual-open-house.

We Declare- Gathering 2022

- 7) **July 29 to August 1**, our nationwide church will be meeting in Edmonton, Alberta, for **We Declare – Gathering 2022**. *MC Sask is seeking a diverse array of delegates to represent MC Sask at this gathering*. Our regional church is entitled to 14 delegates, including both MC Sask Council members and general delegates. If you would like more information on being a delegate or to nominate yourself or someone else to be part of this group, please contact Interim Executive Minister Josh Wallace at churchengagement@mcsask.ca. **MC Sask is also seeking two young people, age 17-21, to participate in a guided *Young Leaders Experience*** of the Gathering. If you'd like more information, please get in touch with Josh
- 8) **Registration for We Declare: what we have seen and heard, from July 29 to Aug. 1, in Edmonton, Alta. is open**. 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. *Early bird registration deadline is May 20*. Register at mennonitechurch.ca/gathering2022.
- 9) **Virtual registration for We Declare: what we have seen and heard**, July 29 to Aug. 1, is now open at mennonitechurch.ca/gathering2022. Share in live worship and plenary sessions, participate in online workshops and network with other virtual participants from across our nationwide community of faith.

Employment Opportunities

- 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.
- 11) **RJC is Hiring!** - RJC High School invites applications for the position of Men's Dormitory Dean (1.0 FTE), to begin Fall of 2022. Our dormitory staff, along with the RJC Student Life Team, are responsible for overseeing the dormitory and supervising students who live on campus. A job description can be found at rjc.sk.ca. All inquiries should be submitted to Ryan Wood at ryan@rjc.sk.ca.