



URGENT APPEAL

Mennonite Church Canada is urgently appealing for relief funds for Meserete Kristos Church (MKC) in Ethiopia. MKC leaders and adherents have lost their lives in the crossfire of a violent tribal conflict that began in the western region of Ethiopia in 2018. Civil war, drought and continuing violence have led to severe hardship for MKC congregations and leaders in the area. Please consider donating to help them:

<https://www.mennonitechurch.ca/international-witness/MKC-relief>

International Witness

Forming Leaders Together – a new collaboration between Mennonite Church Canada International Witness and Anabaptist Mennonite Biblical Seminary (AMBS) providing leadership training in Canada and beyond.

Learn more and consider giving to the campaign

<https://www.mennonitechurch.ca/article/44736>.

Indigenous Relations



In September 2023, the regional church leaders within Mennonite Church Canada, joined the voices of our siblings in Christ calling for justice for Morgan Harris and Mercedes Myran and for an end to the violence against Indigenous women, children, and Two-Spirit people. The Harris and Myran families continue to call all levels of government to search the landfill

<https://searchthelandfill.com/>). On **March 29th (1pm PST)**, a virtual 'prayer as action' hour will be held with updates on how to support Camp Morgan and hold MMIWG families in the Light. Register to attend <https://tinyurl.com/yux9e98k>.

CommonWord

2024 marks a significant milestone in CommonWord's history – it was 50 years ago, in 1974, that the Conference of Mennonites in Canada hired its first Resource Centre staff person. Dan Dyck has written a short historical paper to recognize 50+ years of service. Read the paper –

<https://www.commonword.ca/go/3828>.

LANGHAM MENNONITE FELLOWSHIP

110 – 1st St. E. LANGHAM, SK

Pastor: Emily Summach

Ministers: The Whole Congregation

Worship Service

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March 17, 2024

Ph: 306-283-4494

Ph: 306-280-2547

10:00 AM

NO. 25-11

WORSHIP SERVICE

Prelude & Silent Reflection

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

Opening Prayer

Song *Jesus Calls Us* VT #30

Sharing and Prayer

Storytelling Elaine Nemanishen

Song *Be Thou My Vision* VT #549

Scripture 1 Corinthians 1:18-25

Sermon *Holy Fools* Emily Summach

Song *Blest Be the Tie That Binds* VT #831

Benediction

Langham Mennonite Fellowship gratefully acknowledges that we are beneficiaries of Treaty 6. We gather and live on the traditional lands of diverse Indigenous peoples including the Cree, Dakota, Nakota, and Saulteaux, and the homeland of the Métis Nation. We are committed to honouring and reconciling relationships with one another.

Worship Leader – Ed Bueckert

Piano – Marg Balzer

Ushers – Bob Halliday Sound – Taylor Summach

Prayer Request from Mennonite Church Saskatchewan

Iglesia Cristiana Menonita de Colombia (IMCOL) will be holding its national assembly March 22-25 in Cachipay, Colombia. Please pray for these siblings in faith as they gather, worship, celebrate and discern together. Pray also for **Janet Plenert**, Liaison Worker for ministry in Latin America, who will be representing Mennonite Church Canada at this gathering.

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Today

MegaMenno Celebrating the Saints - 7:00 pm at Nutana Park Mennonite Church. Come in all your St. Patty's Day (or Roughrider) green gear for a night of Jell-O Games and fun facts about sainthood. Open to all youth gr. 6-12, bring a friend and prepare to get a little green, or maybe even covered in whipped cream!

This Week

Emily will be in the office on Tuesday and Wednesday this week.

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| Tues | 5-7 pm | Youth Farm Bible Camp Vereniki Fund Raiser - Admission is by donation and the menu includes Vereniki (two types), Farmer Sausage, Cream Gravy, Fruit Sauces, Coleslaw, and soft serve ice cream. |
| Thurs | 10:00 am
7:00 pm | MCC Comforter Making in church basement
Nutana Park Mennonite Church's Kids Club is having their year end showcase. There will be a short program in the sanctuary (a kids choir!), followed by treats and refreshments in the education wing. All are welcome. |

Next Sunday

- Worship Leader – Roger Bueckert; Pianist – Sheila Wiens-Neufeld; Storytelling – Sheila Wiens-Neufeld; Usher – Rachel Hisey; Sound – Elaine Ewert; Coffee Host – Elaine Nemanishen
- **Farewell Come and Go Tea for Emily at LMF from 2-4 pm** - All are welcome. Look for the sign-up sheet asking congregation to bring: Cheese, Crackers, 3 pans of squares, 3 people to bring cookies 2 doz. each.

Upcoming Events

- **March 23-24 – Gaza Ceasefire Pilgrimage, Saskatoon - Join in a global movement of prayerful pilgrimage in solidarity with the people of Gaza and all those caught in violence since October 7.** Over these two days, we will walk in the length of Gaza in and

around Saskatoon, beginning and ending at First Mennonite Church, as part of the global [Gaza Ceasefire Pilgrimage](#). Visit Details available at <https://mcsask.ca/gazapeacepilgrimage> or email Josh Wallace at churchengagement@mcsask.ca for more details. Details posted on bulletin board.

- **March 26 – LMF Annual General Meeting** – Potluck at 5:30 pm followed by the meeting.
- **March 28 at 7:00 pm - Maundy Thursday Gathering** at the church. We'll have a time of worship together, as well as take communion.
- **March 29 at 9:00 am - Good Friday Service.** Our friends at First Saskatchewan Lutheran Church have invited us to join them for Good Friday again this year.
- **March 31 - Easter Sunday** – We will be having a **Morning Brunch** at 8:30 am. Please bring food to share - eggs, fruit, cheese, paska, etc. **Worship service** at 10 am.
- **April 6, 6:00 pm – Shekinah Retreat Centre and Carmen Corner Meats are "Puttin on the Ribz '24.** For more information and to purchase tickets see shekinahretreatcentre.org or call (306) 945-4929.
- **April 19 from 5-7 pm – LMF Waffle Supper** – See poster on bulletin board.
- **April 20, 7pm – MegaMenno Party with the Poovongs!** At Mount Royal Mennonite Church, 7:00 pm. Meet MC Canada Witness Workers Tom and Christine Poovongs, as well as their kids Joseph and Phim. We'll hear about life in Thailand, and learn some Issan worship and dance moves, and share some of our own favourite worship songs as well.

Notes

- **MC Sask inCERT - Yes, we can inspire change by being moderate and wise consumers.** In this short (6 1/2 minutes) video, Annie Leonard explains how we can affect change beyond ourselves. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=olQdYXCKUv0>
- **MCC Connects:** Save the date! MCC's annual Relief Sale Festival will be held on Saturday, June 15 at Forest Grove Community Church in Saskatoon. Stay tuned for more information and visit the website at this link: <https://www.mccskreliefsale.com/>
- **Gospel Echoes Prison Ministry's** annual supper (by donation) and auction (new items only!) will be held on Sat, April 20th at the Brian King Centre, 202 8th Ave N, Warman. Come and go Kjielkje supper from 4-6:30pm, Kids' Carnival from 6-8:30pm, Auction at 6:30pm. Music by the Gospel Echoes Canada West Quartet before and after the auction. Proceeds go towards sending Bible Study courses to inmates in penitentiaries across Western Canada.