

## **NORTH STAR MENNONITE CHURCH**

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Pastor's office hours: Tuesday-Thursday 8:00 a.m.-12:00 Noon

June 30, 2019  
Worship Service 10:30 a.m.

### ***Gathering in the Spirit...***

Welcome and Announcements  
*Worship Songs*  
Call to Worship  
Prayer

### ***Sharing the Good News...***

Children's Time  
Scripture: Ecclesiastes 12:1-8  
*Hymn*  
Meditation: "Courage to face the fear of sickness, aging and death"

### ***Responding with our Whole Hearts...***

*Hymn*  
Offering  
Sharing and Congregational Prayer  
*Come, bring your burdens to God 3x*  
*For Jesus will never say no.*  
*Come, bring your joys to God 3x*  
*For Jesus rejoices with us.*

### ***Going out to Serve...***

*Sending Song*  
Benediction

Meditation – Dan Graber      Worship Leader – Floyd Bartel  
Song Leader – Tami-Lynn Lehr      Pianist – Donna Friesen  
Sound – Ivan Bartel      Ushers – Vicky Toporchak, Emery Laskowski

### **LAST SUNDAY (June 16)**

Attendance – 56      Offering – \$1304.25

**June 23** offering – \$1168.25 towards the Lanigan Pool & Water Park.

### **NEXT SUNDAY**

Worship Leader – Jim Ewert

We will have a service of song. Please come prepared to share your favorite hymn suggestions or contact Jim & Eileen with suggestions ahead of time.

## **THIS WEEK AT NORTH STAR:**

Dan will be on vacation in the States with his children, July 3 to July 15. He will be gone from Drake, June 30 in the afternoon till Wed., July 17. He can be reached by email and Rose's phone as needed and to stay up to date.  
Friday, June 28-Monday, July 1

MC Canada Gathering 2019 "Igniting the Imagination of the Church" in Abbotsford. Please pray for the gathering and for Lisa Martens Bartel as she is attending the gathering as a delegate for MC Sask.

## **COMING EVENTS AT NORTH STAR:**

### Monday, July 8

7:30 p.m. – North Star Semi-annual meeting.

### Tuesday, July 9

5:30 p.m. – Any volunteers or community members that have gotten to know Sumanta this year are invited to a farewell wiener roast at Vic and Marilyn Kline's place (23 Shannon Crescent). All are welcome but please let Heidi know you are coming. Bring your lawn chairs and roasting sticks.

### Sunday, July 14

Morning worship will include two projects for you to choose from – there will be an MCC project going on in the basement as well as a building project taking place outside in the parking lot. More details to follow. There will be a potluck lunch following the morning worship. Menu: buns, salads & desserts. Please bring your own dishes.

### Monday, August 19-Thursday, August 22

SonQuest Rainforest is coming to North Star. Kids ages 4 to those completed Grade 6 are invited to come on a life changing adventure as we learn more about Jesus. I am certainly in need of help. I need group leaders, bible story tellers, a couple of people to help with crafts, helpers. Please keep VBS in your prayers. Thanks!! - Gayle

## **NORTH STAR NOTES:**

- Our congratulations and best wishes to Vicky & Kyle Toporchak who were married at North Star on Friday, June 26. May God bless their marriage and their future together.
- July 14th there will be a lunch and a cake/pie auction at CFC as a last fundraiser for Katie as she plans to accompany Brad & Casadi to Thailand for the first year. The lunch will be a freewill offering as last time and then the cake/pie auction will take place after the lunch. This afternoon will also serve as a farewell time of fellowship for Brad, Casadi and family and Katie as they plan to depart July 22.
- Christian Counselling Services is accepting applications for an Administrative Assistant of Clinical Services. Visit [www.saskatoonccs.com](http://www.saskatoonccs.com) for more information.

**BEYOND NORTH STAR:**

Saturday, July 28-Thursday, August 1

Shake: Rattled by the Radical at Shekinah. Visit [www.prairieyouth.ca](http://www.prairieyouth.ca) for the details.

Monday, August 19-Friday, August 23

Shekinah Music Camp for age 12-17. For more information and to register visit [shekinahretreatcentre.org](http://shekinahretreatcentre.org) or email [craig@shekinahretreatcentre.org](mailto:craig@shekinahretreatcentre.org).

**MINUTE FOR MISSIONS**

**MCC Connects:** Did you know that June 20th was World Refugee Day? MCC invites you to #choosewelcome by helping to resettle refugees from crisis into community through the Blended Visa Office Referral (BVOR) Program. Commit to sponsoring a refugee family through our BVOR program before August 31st, 2019 and you may qualify to have ongoing expenses covered by third party donors! For more information please contact Mark Bigland-Pritchard at 306.665.2555 or [markbiglandpritchard@mccsk.ca](mailto:markbiglandpritchard@mccsk.ca).

We are pleased to announce that, with your help, the 2019 MCC Saskatchewan Relief Sale raised \$100,000 designated to MCC's international programming! We are grateful for the generosity of our supporters and want to thank you for participating in this unique event for the past 50 years.