

NORTH STAR MENNONITE CHURCH

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

November 7, 2021

Worship Service 10:30 a.m.

Gathering in the Spirit...

Welcome

Opening Prayer

Call to Worship

Holy Spirit, come with power

HWB #26

Preparing our hearts for discernment, discussion and Reimagining

Open my eyes, that I may see

HWB #517

Sharing the Good News...

Announcements

Let the children come to me (while children leave for Sunday School)

Offering Prayer

For God so loved us

HWB #167

Scripture: 2 Corinthians 2:14-3:6

Meditation: "Reimagining: part 2"

Responding with our Whole Hearts...

The Love of God

STJ #44

Silent Reflection and Prayer

Going out to Serve...

Go, my children

HWB #433

Benediction

Meditation – Josh Wallace

Worship Leader – Irene Bartel

Song Leader – Tami-Lynn Lehr

Accompanists – Worship Team

Sound – Steven Lehr

Visuals – Kyle/Vicky Toporchak

Ushers – Vicky Toporchak, Emery Laskowski

LAST SUNDAY

Offering – \$ 4351.00 (\$1350.00 Memorial funds) Attendance – 74

NEXT SUNDAY

Meditation – Kelly & Lani Wiens Worship Leader – Floyd Bartel

Kelly will be meeting with the Adult Sunday School
in the sanctuary at 9:45. Everyone welcome.

TODAY: 3:00 p.m. – Forest Church at Shekinah; an informal, outdoor time of worship and fellowship. Input will be provided by Jared Regier. All are welcome to join, and encouraged to come early or stay late to experience Shekinah.

COMING EVENTS AT NORTH STAR:

Friday, November 19

7:00 p.m. – An evening of conversation with George & Tobia Veith, former missionaries in China with MC Canada Missions.

Sunday, November 21

11:00 a.m. – Our worship will include a video message from George & Tobia Veith.

NORTH STAR NOTES:

- Here is an update on Werner and Joanne De Jong. They got their visas for Ethiopia and are leaving Jan. 17 in order to be there for the spring semester at the seminary. We are watching closely and praying with our brothers and sisters in Ethiopia as the country is increasingly engulfed in civil war. The Meserete Kristos Church (the largest Menn. church in the world) has congregations in all of the affected regions in this conflict and includes ethnicities in all the groups. Please pray for the leaders as they work to keep the unity in the church and to support pastors and displaced people because of the fighting. Pray for peace. A Mennonite film maker in Europe made this 10 minute video about the Meserete Kristos church which is a great introduction. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oCnbbMjVE7s>
- Thank you from RJC! Thanks to all who supported our Choirs & Cakes fundraiser. We are well on our way to meeting our \$30,000 fundraising goal. If you would like to re-watch the event, visit rjc.sk.ca/cakes for a recording of the live-stream.
- Host families needed for RJC International students. Would you like to support RJC in a different way? RJC is looking for individuals, couples, or families who would be open to hosting an International student during closed dorm weekends or extended holidays. If you are interested please email deansoffice@rjc.sk.ca or call (306) 232-4222.

BEYOND NORTH STAR:

Thursday, November 18

7:00 p.m. – Teen Challenge Virtual Gala. Hear the Stories of Changed Lives Through the Ministry of Teen Challenge. BUY your viewing pass today to view the virtual Gala in the comfort of your own home with family or friends. See poster on bulletin board for more information.

MINUTE FOR MISSIONS

MC Sask Connects: Mennonite Church Saskatchewan is seeking an Interim Youth Worker to fulfill a one-year parental leave beginning **January 17, 2022**. Averaging 10 hours/week, this position will focus on coordinating Mega Menno events, including travel to the 2022 MC Canada Youth Gathering. Contact Ryan Siemens, minister@mcsask.ca, for more information.

MCC Connects: The annual MCC Saskatchewan Quilt Sale is back! To view this year's selection of quilts, visit www.mccskquiltsale.com. Quilts can be purchased online through that website or by calling the office at 306-665-2555. Alternatively, feel free to stop by the office to look at and purchase them as well. The money raised from these beautiful quilts will turn into hope and comfort for those experiencing devastating situations around the world.

CMU Connects: Science at CMU information webinar, **November 17**, 6:00 p.m. CST. Why study science at CMU? This webinar will provide information about pre-requisites, opportunities for research and fieldwork, and what you can expect from a science degree at CMU. Register at cmu.ca/webinar.

Mennonite Heritage Centre Gallery invites you to its annual Fundraising Gala with live music, verdant artworks, and a tribute to Ray Dirks on **Friday, November 12 at 7:30 p.m.** Visit cmu.ca/gallery to register to attend in person or view the live stream.

Peacebuilding and Collaborative Development Webinar, Wednesday, **November 10, 7:00 p.m.** For peacebuilding and development practitioners looking to strengthen their knowledge, and skills, CMU offers a flexible MA-PCD program. For more information and to register go to cmu.ca/gradstudies.

Did you know you can visit CMU in person? Sign up for campus visit day November 26! Visit cmu.ca/experience for more information. *Apply for fall 2022 before **November 30** and your application fee is waived!*

The Mennonite Community Orchestra presents "Prairie Sunrise" on **November 14 at 3:00 p.m.** at the Lutheran Church of the Cross (560 Arlington St., Winnipeg). Enjoy a variety of CMU and community musicians under the direction of Andrea Bell. For ticket information or to order a video recording, visit mennonitecommunityorchestra.wordpress.com.