

## **NORTH STAR MENNONITE CHURCH**

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Pastoral Office hours: Thursdays (10 a.m.-5 p.m.)

### **LAST SUNDAY, June 14, 2026 (Outdoor picnic)**

Attendance – 24

### **NEXT SUNDAY June 28, 2026**

10:00 a.m. – Second Summer Long Weekend Brunch potluck.

Please remember to bring your own dishes.

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

#### Sunday, June 21

10:00 a.m. - Lanigan Days Celebration – There will be no worship service at North Star. You are encouraged to join in the worship service at the Town Hall in Lanigan.

### **NORTH STAR NOTES:**

- Minutes of the June 16 Semi-annual meeting are posted on the Educ. Wing bulletin board.
- We still need a Care group to host the summer long weekend brunch on **August 2**. Please let Mary Jean know if your group is willing.

### **BEYOND NORTH STAR:**

#### Thursday, June 25-Saturday, June 27

7:00 p.m. – Join us in the RJC Auditorium for this year's musical production: The Prince of Egypt. Tickets go on sale May 19 at noon. Admission is \$25 for adults and \$15 for youth. Tickets can be purchased at [rjc.sk.ca/musical](http://rjc.sk.ca/musical). Contact the school 306-232-4222 to request wheelchair/accessible seating. We hope to see you there!

#### Thursday, June 25

5:30 p.m. – We are excited to invite you to our June MegaMenno event! We will be attending RJC's Musical "The Prince of Egypt" for their VIP Youth Night. The official RJC event begins at 6 p.m. but MegaMenno Youth are invited to gather at 5:30pm in the school at RJC for a pizza supper ahead of the event. Please be sure to register for the event with RJC at [rjc.sk.ca/vipnight](http://rjc.sk.ca/vipnight) in order to get your musical ticket. If you will join us for pizza please also RSVP to your youth leader or [oslermcpastor2@gmail.com](mailto:oslermcpastor2@gmail.com) so we can make sure we have enough pizza. Youth in Grades 6-11 are invited to enjoy exclusive backstage access to The Prince of Egypt, meet the cast, explore the set, and receive a complimentary ticket to the show. Register at [rjc.sk.ca/vipnight](http://rjc.sk.ca/vipnight)

#### Saturday, June 27

5:30 p.m. – RJC Alumni & Friends BBQ. RJC alumni & friends are invited to our annual BBQ. Meal cost is \$15/person (10 & under/free). RSVP to [development@rjc.sk.ca](mailto:development@rjc.sk.ca) or call (306) 232-4222.

#### Sunday, June 28

10:30 a.m. – RJC Graduation. Please join us as we celebrate the class of 2026! Baccalaureate Service at Rosthern Mennonite Church. Graduation Exercises at 2:30 p.m. in the RJC Auditorium. A live-stream option will be available at [rjc.sk.ca/grad2026](http://rjc.sk.ca/grad2026). All are welcome to attend!

### **MINUTE FOR MISSIONS**

**MC Sask Connects:** Applications are now being accepted for the 2025 MC Sask Education Scholarship. Eligible schools and service programs include: RJC High School, Canadian Mennonite University, SALT (MCC), 3E Internship (Youth Farm Bible Camp), and more. Application deadline is **July 31, 2026**, visit [www.mcsask.ca](http://www.mcsask.ca) for application forms and full eligibility details. <https://mcsask.ca/res/pub/2026-Scholarship-Application.pdf>

You are invited to join the Mennonite Church Canada Annual General Meeting on **June 23** at 7:00 p.m. CDT—an opportunity to gather in prayer, hear the story of God's work among us, and participate in shaping our shared future. Together we will celebrate ministry accomplishments, attend to faithful stewardship, and engage in meaningful discernment as we seek God's leading for the next season. Come ready to listen, reflect, and offer your voice as part of our nationwide church family. [https://www.mennonitechurch.ca/agm\\_2026](https://www.mennonitechurch.ca/agm_2026)

**MCC Connects: June 20** marks World Refugee Day and **June 21** marks National Indigenous Peoples Day. In honor of these days, MCC encourages your community to attend events in your area (such as the Rock Your Roots event in Saskatoon on **June 19**), listen to our podcast How Do I Sponsor a Refugee?, or watch the film Reserve 107: A Path Forward at: [www.reserve107thefilm.com](http://www.reserve107thefilm.com)

In partnership with the Canadian Council for Refugees (CCR), MCC invites your congregation to welcome the stranger and join in on the We're Better Together campaign. Through stories, resources, and opportunities for action, this campaign invites Canadians to learn about the refugee experience and the importance of welcoming newcomers. For more details about how to get involved, visit: [mcc.org/better-together](http://mcc.org/better-together).

**CMU Connects:** CMU Employment Opportunities – CMU welcomes applications for sessional instructor positions in Music and Education as well as other opportunities. Visit [cmu.ca/employment](http://cmu.ca/employment) for more information.