## **Looking Ahead**

Aug. 13 - 17	DAILY	Vacation Bible School (VBS) - daily 9:30 am - 12:30 pm		
Friday, Aug. 17	6:00 pm	VBS Wrap Up Bar-b-que - EVERYONE is welcome!		
Sun., Aug. 19	11:00 am	Worship Service with Pastor Caleb		
Sun., Aug. 26	11:00 am	First Mennonite Church Picnic (Potluck) at Camp Valaqua Note: there will NOT be a service in the First Mennonite Church building		
Sun., Sept. 2	11:00 am	Worship Service with Jenn Ratzlaff		
Sun., Sept. 9	10:00 am 11:00 am	Sunday School for all ages resumes today Worship Service with Teacher Commissioning		
Tues., Sept. 10	7:30 pm	Council of Church Ministries		

## **Beyond First**

Thank you for your ongoing support of Mennonite Central Committee (MCC) Alberta and the **Material Resource Program**. We are currently trying to fill Relief Kits for Jordan, Ukraine & Bosnia, but we **need bath towels:** medium weight; bright or dark colours; approximately 75 cm by 150 cm. Or, consider donating the cash; approximately \$6.00 per towel. We hope to send as many Relief Kits as possible by the end of August. Contact Linda Dickinson, Material Resources Coordinator: lindadickinson@mccab.ca.

MCC Alberta is **looking for a host family** (by August 25) for a young woman from South Korea. She is coming to work at the Calgary Centre for Newcomers, as part of the International Volunteer Exchange Program (IVEP). For more information, contact Mary Lynn at: 587-227-1283 or by email: marylynnretzlaff@mccab.ca.

**Columbia Bible College** is hosting it's **Fourth Annual Tailgate Party** on **September 3** at 11:00 am at Foothills Mennonite Church and you are invited! In addition to a free barbeque with all the trimmings, you will meet the president of the college, staff & alumni, as well as hear about opportunities on how to support student scholarships. You will receive 2 free tickets to the Calgary Stampeders vs. the Edmonton Eskimo's game immediately after the party. RSVP to: kurtis.kube@columbiabc.edu or call: 1-800-283-0881.

**Golf for MCC** at **Heatherglen Golf Course** (on the edge of Calgary) on **September 9**. Support MCC's international and local ministries! For more information and to register, go to: mccab.ca/golf-rockyview.

**Ride for Refuge** with MCC Alberta. Join us on **September 29** for a bike ride or walk and raise funds for MCC's local programs. Visit: rideforrefuge.org/charity/mccalberta or contact Angela: angelabennett@mccab.ca.

### CALGARY FIRST MENNONITE CHURCH

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# Sunday, August 12, 2018



#### The Bread from Heaven by Solomon Raj



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Children's Worker: Christine Hansplant email: christine@calgaryfirstmennonite.ca

# August 12, 2018

## Worship Service ~ 11:00 am

We Gather for Worship

Welcome

Invocation

We Worship in Song What is this place (HWB #1)

I owe the Lord a morning song (HWB #651)

We Listen for God's Word

Sharing Church Life

**Sharing our Gifts** 

Worship in Song For the bread (HWB #477)

Reading the Word JOHN 6: 35, 41 - 51

Message "The Provision"

Pastor Caleb

We Respond to God and Each Other

Responding in Song Become to us the living Bread (HWB #475)

Sharing Joys and Concerns

Prayers of the People

We Go Out as God's Missionaries

Benediction

Closing Hymn Will you come and follow me (STS #39)

Worship and Song Leader: Marguerite Jack Accompanist: Elsie Wiebe

### **Praise & Prayer Notes**

Contact the church office for details regarding a prayer concern.

**Thank you** for all of your expressions of sympathy, acts of kindness, and for your assistance in making Johanna Braun's Memorial Service a loving tribute.

~ The Braun and Gibson Families

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#### SHIPWRECKED - RESCUED BY JESUS

This week (August 13 - 17) our church building will be filled with the delightful sounds of busy children as they explore being Shipwrecked together during Vacation Bible School.

everyone is invited to the VBS Wrap Up Bar-b-que on the church parking lot on Friday, August 17 at 6:00 pm

#### In addition to the Bar-b-que, enjoy:

- Snow cones
- Glitter tattoos
- Bouncy castle
- Balloon animals
- VBS songs performed by the children

Donations will be gratefully accepted for the VBS Giving Project: Mennonite Central Committee (MCC) for Haiti

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#### First Mennonite Financial Summary as of July 31

Budget Line	Budget Amount (\$)	Actual Amount (\$)	% Complete
Operating Budget			
Income	275,400	119,397	43
Transfers to Conferences	49,000	100	0
Total Expenditures	275,400	112,216	41
Capital Budget			
Income	5,000	2,083	42
Total Expenditures	15,000	3,390	23
All Other Funds			
Income	n/a	8,968	n/a
Total Expenditures	n/a	5,321	n/a