LOOKING AHEAD

TODAY	12:00 pm	Potluck Fundraiser for Mennonite World Conference
Wed., Jan. 31	9:30 am	Drop-in Neighbourhood Playgroup
Thurs., Feb. 1	6:30 pm 7:30 pm	Hand Bell Rehearsal Worship Band Rehearsal
Sun., Feb. 4 Communion	10:00 am 11:00 am 12:00 pm	Sunday School Classes - Pre-kindergarten to Adult Worship Service with Communion - Pastor Caleb Kids' Club Event
Tues., Feb. 6	9:30 am	Worship Ministry Meeting
Wed., Feb. 7	9:30 am	Drop-in Neighbourhood Playgroup
Thurs., Feb. 8	7:30 pm	Council of Church Ministries' meeting over Zoom
Sat., Feb. 10	9:00 am	Annual General Meeting (AGM)
Sun., Feb. 11	10:00 am 10:00 am 11:00 am	Sunday School Classes - Pre-kindergarten to Adult Pastoral Review Focus Group Meeting Worship Service - Linda Dickinson of MCC
Wed., Feb. 14 Ash Wednesday	9:30 am 6:00 pm	Drop-in Neighbourhood Playgroup Ash Wednesday Service
Thurs., Feb 15	7:30 pm	Deacons' Meeting over Zoom
Sun., Feb. 18 Family Day Weekend	10:00 am 11:00 am	No Sunday School classes today Pastoral Review Focus Group Meeting Worship Service - Pastor Caleb

BEYOND FIRST MENNONITE

Registration for Camp Valaqua summer camps is now open! Camp Valaqua can't wait to see you under the tall, tall trees. For more information, go to:

campvalaqua.ca

Young Adults, immerse yourself in a new culture, serve a community, gain real-world skills, and grow in ways you never imagined with the Mennonite Central Committee (MCC) SALT program! The Serving and Learning Together (SALT) program is a yearlong cross-cultural experience for Canadian and U.S. citizens. It's a chance to immerse yourself in another culture and grow in ways you never imagined. The best part? MCC covers all your assignment-related costs! Deadline to be guaranteed consideration for SALT 2024/25 is February 15. For more information, go to:

mcc.org/get-involved/volunteer/salt

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Sunday, January 28, 2024



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January 28, 2024 Worship Service ~ 11:00 am

Prelude

Gathering

Hymn Praise to the Lord, the Almighty (VT #88)

Lobe, den Herren (VT #88)

(sing in German or English)

Opening Words

Call to Worship

Passing the Peace

Invocational Prayer

Proclaiming

Scripture Reading Mark 1: 21 - 28

Hymn At the Dawn of Your Creation (VT #179)

Psalm Psalm 111

Hymn This Is My Song (VT #710)

Scripture Reading 1 Corinthians 8: 1 - 13

Message Pastor Caleb

Responding

Time of Reflection

Congregational Response

Sharing Our Joys & Concerns

Prayers of the People

Sending

News & Announcements

Benediction

Hymn Guide My Feet (VT #816)

Postlude

Worship Leader: Jenn Ratzlaff Accompanist: Elsie Wiebe

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES ~ 10:00 AM

Pre-kindergarten - Grade 2 Grades 3 - 6

Grades 7 - 12

Adults

Pre-K - Grade 12 meet in the basement on the 2^{nd} , 4^{th} & 5^{th} Sundays

Lower Sunday School Wing Upper Sunday School Wing Upper Sunday School Wing

Pastor Caleb's Office (Main Floor Sunday School Wing)

PRAISE & PRAYER NOTES

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Contact the church office for details.

HERE AT FIRST MENNONITE

Following the Worship Service today, you are invited downstairs for a Soup & Pie Potluck lunch to raise funds for the Mennonite World Conference.

We are starting a Worship Band! If you are interested in being part of a praise band that will work towards leading congregational singing on the occasional Sunday morning, please join us February 1st from 7:30 - 8:30 pm for our first practice. Bring your guitar, ukulele, voice, or ability/willingness to play some percussion or other church instruments. If you have question or would like more information in advance please contact Jenn or Moni.

Mark your calendar to attend the First Mennonite Church Annual General Meeting (AGM) on Saturday, February 10 at 9:00 am. Coffee and snacks will be provided. Report Books are now available in the foyer.

On Sunday, February 11, Linda Dickinson from Mennonite Central Committee (MCC) Material Resources will be our guest speaker, sharing about her recent trip to Zambia with MCC. She will also present the Children's Feature. You won't want to miss hearing about Linda's experiences.

Missing! Can you help? We are trying to locate 2 of the tall, black, pump-topped coffee carafes that are no longer in the church kitchen. If you know where they are, please place them on the kitchen counter or talk to Karen, Birgitt, or Rita.

Please place your offering into the collection box, attached to the sound desk at the back of the sanctuary. Or, send your donations to Calgary First Mennonite Church through Interac e-Transfer to:

treasurer@calgaryfirstmennonite.ca