

## LOOKING AHEAD

Tues., Jan. 8	10:00 am 7:30 pm	Helping Hands Women in Mission Joining Over Java is CANCELLED for today Council of Church Ministries
Thurs., Jan. 10	7:00 pm	Deacons' Meeting
Jan. 11 - 13		Youth Snow Camp at Camp Valaqua
Sat., Jan. 12	10:30 am	MCA Pastors' Council Meeting here at First Mennonite
Sun., Jan. 13	10:00 am 11:00 am	Sunday School resumes for all ages Worship Service with Don Stoesz
Mon., Jan. 14	DEADLINE	Annual Reports due to the church office - Arial 12pt font
Tues., Jan. 15	10:30 am	Joining Over Java
Sun., Jan. 20	10:00 am 11:00 am	Sunday School for all ages Worship Service - World Fellowship Sunday
Tues., Jan. 22	10:30 am	Joining Over Java
Sun., Jan. 27	10:00 am 11:00 am 12:00 pm	Celebration Sunday presented by Christian Education Worship Service Coffee Time
Tues., Jan. 29	10:30 am	Joining Over Java
Sun., Feb. 3	10:00 am 11:00 am Afternoon	Sunday School for all ages Worship Service Lunch (provided) and Annual General Meeting (AGM)

## BEYOND FIRST

**Snowcamp at Camp Valaqua** - The Youth Leadership Team is excited to invite you to Snowcamp! Join us on **January 11 - 13** for a weekend of food, fellowship, and broomball. For more information or to register, visit: <http://campvalaqua.com/events/>.

Join us for the **Second Annual Trivia Night**, Saturday, **February 9 at 6:30 pm**. This is a Camp Valaqua Fundraiser, at **Foothills Mennonite Church**. Everyone is welcome - invite your friends, neighbours and relatives to join! To submit your team of 6 - 8 people, or to be paired to a team, contact Kevin Stoesz: [kbstoesz@gmail.com](mailto:kbstoesz@gmail.com) or: 403-464-1823.



SUNDAY, JANUARY 6, 2019



"EPIPHANY"  
BY MIKI DE GOODABOOM

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WORSHIP SERVICE ~ 11:00 AM

**We Gather for Worship**

Welcome

Call to Worship

Opening Prayer

Gathering Hymns                      Bright and glorious the sky (HWB #219)  
To us a Child of hope is born (HWB #189)

**We Listen for God's Word**

Children's Feature                      Moni Janssen

Reading God's Word                      Matthew 2: 1 - 12

Song of Worship                      When Christ's appearing (HWB #217)

Message                      "Staring into the Night"  
Pastor Caleb

**We Respond to God and Each Other**

Song of Response                      Longing for light (STJ #54)

Sharing Church Life

Sharing our Gifts

Sharing Joys & Concerns

Prayers of the People

**We Go Out as God's Missionaries**

Benediction

Song of Sending                      All people that on earth do dwell (HWB #42)  
Verse 1 only

Worship and Song Leader: Ted Regehr

Accompanist: Elsie Wiebe

HERE AT FIRST

Sunday school classes for all ages will resume next Sunday, January 13 at 10:00 am.

Are you **looking for a way to serve in this church** on Sunday mornings? You may want to **consider becoming an usher**. Your primary responsibilities are to unlock and lock the doors, greet people with a smile, and hand out bulletins. We are looking for at least 2 more adults or a family of ushers and junior ushers. If you are interested, please **contact Karen Janz**.

**Helping Hands Women in Mission (HHWM)** will be meeting at **10:00 am** for the months of **January, February and March**.

Please note that **Joining Over Java** will NOT meet on the second Tuesday during the months of January, February and March.

**Coffee Time** (after church) on **Sunday, January 27**: You are encouraged to indicate your willingness to help with Coffee Time. Please let us know (by printing your name on the sign-up sheet located in the foyer) that you will be setting up, cleaning up, or bringing goodies for Coffee Time.



MENNONITE CENTRAL COMMITTEE (MCC)

**MCC Ottawa Student Seminar, February 14 – 16**: "People on the Move: Human Rights and Global Migration." Visit: [mccanada.ca/ottawa-student-seminar](http://mccanada.ca/ottawa-student-seminar) for more information. Email Carol at MCC to apply: [carolmcaughton@mccab.ca](mailto:carolmcaughton@mccab.ca) or call: 403-275-6935.

MCC Alberta is **inviting applications** for a **full-time Circles of Support and Accountability (CoSA) Coordinator**. Contact Iliana: [ilianafriesen@mccab.ca](mailto:ilianafriesen@mccab.ca) for more information. To view job description and to apply: [bit.ly/COSAcoordinator](http://bit.ly/COSAcoordinator).

Want to stay up to date on young adult opportunities with MCC Alberta? We are excited to launch **The Committee**, a community of young people who believe that together, we can do more. Sign up today to receive monthly updates of the practical ways you can learn, serve, create, advocate, pray and give: [mccab.ca/the-committee](http://mccab.ca/the-committee).