

LOOKING AHEAD

TODAY	10:30 am 11:00 am	Coffee Time over Zoom with Foothills Mennonite Church Joint Worship Service over Zoom with Foothills Mennonite
Sun., Aug. 1	11:00 am	Worship Service over Zoom with Pastor Caleb Kowalko
Sun., Aug. 8	11:00 am	Worship Service with Pastor Caleb Kowalko
Sun., Aug. 29	TBA	Annual First Mennonite Church Picnic at Camp Valaqua

BEYOND FIRST MENNONITE

Mennonite Central Committee (MCC) Alberta is still inviting applications for a full-time Communications Associate. Contact Iliana at: ilianafriesen@mccab.ca for more information. To apply, go to: mcccanada.ca/get-involved/serve/openings.

Camp Valaqua needs Kitchen Help Volunteers from August 8 - 13 and August 15 - 20. Please email Jon at: director@campvalaqua.com or Jeff at: manager@campvalaqua.com. Go to: mcab.ca to see photos from the recent Staff Orientation and to learn about Camp Valaqua's COVID-19 Safety Protocols.

Mennonite Church Alberta (MCA) is seeking a Church Engagement Minister. Inquiries and resumes may be directed to: moderator@mcab.ca. For more information, go to: mcab.ca/careers.

THE MENNOCAST

The first season of The MennoCast is off to a great start.

For those who are not familiar, The MennoCast is a podcast with the goal to "create a platform for genuine, enriching, and stimulating conversations about faith from an Anabaptist perspective within the Mennonite Church Canada tradition."

The first two episodes are "Reading the Bible" with pastor Meghan Larissa Good, and "Talking Theology" with pastor Anthony G. Siegrist.

Pastor Caleb is on the advisory group for this new podcast and would love to hear your feedback about this great new resource.

Episodes can be listened to on their website
themennocast.com

or wherever you normally get your podcasts.

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CALGARY FIRST MENNONITE CHURCH

SUNDAY, JULY 25, 2021



"Loaves and Fishes" by John August Swanson

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JULY 25, 2021

JOINT ZOOM WORSHIP SERVICE
WITH
FOOTHILLS MENNONITE CHURCH
11:00 AM

* 10:30 - 10:55 am

Coffee Time over Zoom *

Announcements

Opening

Call to Worship

Opening Prayer

Hymn

Let's Walk Together (VT #6)

Children's Story

Elsie Harder - Foothills Mennonite Church

Scripture Reading

John 6: 1 - 21

Reflection

Pastor Caleb Kowalko

Communion Hymn

I Am The Bread of Life

Communion

Prayers of the People

Closing Hymn

Great is Thy Faithfulness

Benediction

Worship Leader: Allan Hiebert - Foothills Mennonite Church

PRAISE & PRAYER NOTES

Mennonite Church Canada Witness workers in the Philippines, Lakan and Lakambini Sumulong (Dann and Joji Pantoja) are helping to coordinate a Peace Memorial for the Bagobo Tagabawa Tribe to celebrate peace made in this formerly violent area. 200 hectares of the Tribe's Indigenous farmland was recently seized by the military without proper ritual and respect. Please pray for peace and wisdom during this conflict.

Mennonite Church Canada International Witness Worker, Bock Ki Kim, together with colleagues at the South Korea Chuncheon Community Peace Centre, have been asked to instruct trainers in restorative justice practices in Chuncheon schools and Police Services. The end of June marked the 17th training course for school divisions in the Chuncheon area dealing with school violence and conflict transformation. We thank God for Bock Ki's presence and work in this community.

Thank God that the Africa Inter-Mennonite Mission (AIMM) Kinshasa office in the Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC) is now open and allows AIMM to be closer to African partners. Pray for God's presence and wisdom as AIMM serves God's people through the church.

The suffering in Ethiopia's Tigray region is immense. An armed conflict that started last year has now turned into a war, resulting in innocent families and children fleeing their homes and walking hundreds of kilometers to find safety in temporary settlements. Mennonite Central Committee (MCC) and partners are working to provide emergency relief at these settlements.

MENNONITE CENTRAL COMMITTEE (MCC)

MCC GO!100 is a fundraising campaign in place of the 2021 Relief Sale.

Your support will provide trauma healing for children,
help bridge divides during emergency food distributions,
and teach conflict resolution and peacebuilding skills
through things like peace clubs.

You can sponsor one of our First Mennonite Church participants:
Nathan Burgess will run 100 km on trails around Alberta for the work of MCC.

Margo and Natalie Ratzlaff are going to practice their Youth Band music
(Margo on the ukulele and Natalie on the violin)
each for 100 minutes to support MCC's education projects.

To sign up, or to sponsor any of the participants, go to: mccab.ca/go-100