

LOOKING AHEAD

Thurs., June 8	7:30 pm	Council of Church Ministries
Sun., June 11	11:00 am	Camp Valaqua's Annual Garden Party at Camp Valaqua NOTE: THERE WILL NOT BE A SERVICE AT FMC
Sun., June 18 <i>Father's Day</i>	11:00 am	Worship Service - Pastor Caleb
Sun., June 25	11:00 am 12:00 pm	Worship Service - Pastor Caleb Congregational Meeting and Coffee Time

MENNONITE CENTRAL COMMITTEE (MCC)

Support the work of MCC by donating a handicraft, gift basket, certificate, or antique to the MCC Alberta Online Relief Auction before June 23. The Auction will run July 7-16. To learn more and register your donation, visit:

mcccanada.ca/get-involved/events/mcc-alberta-online-relief-auction

GO!100 with MCC Alberta this summer to support relief, development, and peace work around the world and at home! Our own Nathan Burgess will be "Running rain or shine, snow or wind to raise \$1,000 for MCC's GO!100." Help Nathan reach his goal by clicking on this link to donate:

canadahelps.org/en/charities/mennonite-central-committee-alberta/p2p/go-100-2023/page/100km-of-trail-running/

Did you miss the Grow Hope Virtual Webinar on May 17? Watch it here:

www.youtube.com/watch?v=e4Cc3ehjjgw

CAMP VALAQUA

Camp Valaqua is seeking an assistant cook for this summer's camp season from June 30 to August 25 (week of July 29-August 6 off). Salary and room & board provided. For more details, contact Jeff:

manager@campvalaqua.com
403-637-2510

Register today for the Annual Camp Valaqua Hike-a-thon. Hike with us in person starting at 10:00 am on Saturday, June 10 at Powderface East Ridge, or hike when and where you like. For more information and to register, go to:

campvalaqua.ca/events

The Hike-a-thon is our largest fundraiser of the year, and we are excited to have you help us reach our goal of \$15,000 in donations. Sponsors can give by cheque or cash that you bring to the event, or by e-transfer (include your name in memo line) to:

treasurer@mcab.ca

PASTOR: CALEB KOWALKO

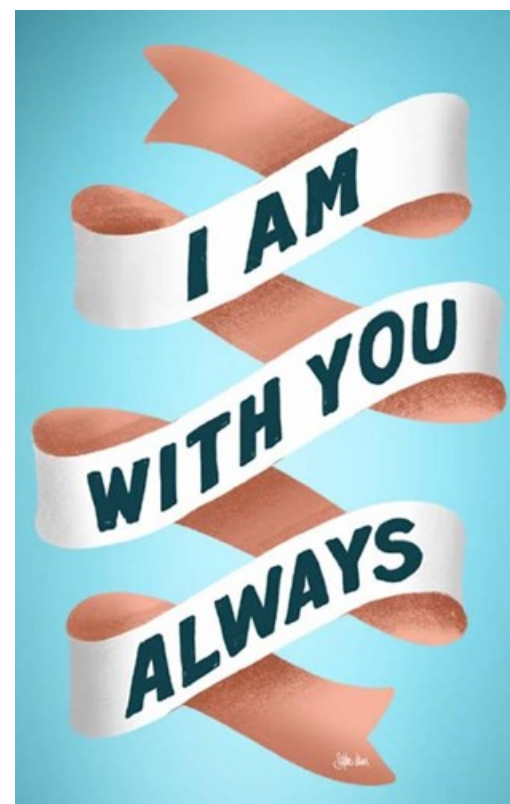
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CALGARY FIRST MENNONITE CHURCH

SUNDAY, JUNE 4, 2023



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JUNE 4, 2023
WORSHIP SERVICE ~ 11:00 AM

Gathering

Hymn of Gathering	Help Us to Help Each Other (VT #722)
Welcome and Announcements	
Opening Words	
Call to Worship	
Invocational Prayer	
Sunday School Promotion	Christian Education Ministry
Scripture Reading	Matthew 28: 16 - 20

Praising

Hymn of Praise	Listen, God is Calling (VT #765)
Scripture Reading	Matthew 25: 31 - 45
Hymn of Praise	Brothers and sisters of mine (HWB #142)

Proclaiming

Message	"Where Are We?" Jenn Ratzlaff
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Responding

Time of Reflection	Intermezzo op. 116, no. 2 by Brahms Naomi Grant on piano
Congregational Response	
Sharing Our Joys & Concerns	
Prayers of the People	

Sending

Benediction	
Hymn of Sending	Go in Grace and Make Disciples (VT #766)
Worship Leader: Erv Thiessen Accompanist: Elsie Wiebe	

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

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES ~ 10:00 AM

Preschool - Grade 6	Final Classes & Parties
Grades 7 - 12	Final Classes & Parties
Adult Bible Study with Pastor Caleb	Caleb's Office (Main Sunday School Wing)

PRAISE & PRAYER NOTES

**Please contact the church office
for the
redacted Praise & Prayer Notes**

From Mennonite Church Alberta: Calgary Chin Christian Church invites us to pray for their:

- Spiritual Growth: Pray that church members can grow in their spiritual life and always put God as their priority in life.
- Youth Ministry & Revival: Our youth are our strength. Pray that our youth enjoy worshipping, that they'll become true worshippers, and can lead us.
- Unity and Companionship: Pray that all members have unity in Christ as one body, develop in love & understanding, and develop forgiveness for each other.

HERE AT FIRST MENNONITE

You are encouraged to attend the Spring Garden Party at Camp Valaqua next Sunday, June 11! The Camp Valaqua Worship Service will begin at 11:00 am (Ruth Bergen Braun speaking) and you are invited to stay for a meal together as we celebrate Camp Valaqua's little corner of God's Garden. Linger under the tall, tall trees and participate in camp activities like the climbing wall and archery after lunch.

**Please take note that there will NOT be a service here
at First Mennonite Church on June 11.**

MENNONITE CHURCH ALBERTA (MCA)

Our MCA Church Engagement Minister, Steven Giugovaz, has tendered his resignation as he and his wife Emily are moving to Ontario to be closer to their families. Steven has served with MCA since September of 2021, during which he has shared deeply about his personal experience of God's presence in his life. In his role, he sought ways to connect congregations and individuals to each other and to the ministries we share as the broader church. Steven will be concluding his role on July 31 and will be seeking a new ministry role within the Mennonite Church. Plans for a farewell are in the works.