

## LOOKING AHEAD

Sun., May 21 <i>Long Weekend</i>	— 10:00 am 11:00 am	NO Preschool - Youth Sunday School Classes today Adult Bible Study with Pastor Caleb will meet as usual Worship Service - Pastor Caleb
Sun., May 28 <i>Pentecost</i>	10:00 am 11:00 am 12:00 pm	Sunday School Classes - Preschool to Adult Worship Service - Pastor Caleb Coffee Time
Sun., June 4	10:00 am 11:00 am	Final Sunday School Classes - Classroom Parties Worship Service - Jenn Ratzlaff & S. School Promotion
Sun., June 11	11:00 am	Camp Valaqua's Annual Garden Party at Camp Valaqua NOTE: THERE WILL NOT BE A SERVICE AT FMC

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](mailto:treasurer@calgaryfirstmennonite.ca)

## MENNONITE CENTRAL COMMITTEE (MCC)

The Grow Hope Alberta Webinar is on Wednesday, May 17 at 7:00 pm. Take a virtual trip to visit some of our farmers and get an insider's view from the tractor's seat. Learn how Grow Hope connects the fields of Alberta to the farms of Haiti. Register at:

[mcccanada.ca/get-involved/events/grow-hope-alberta-webinar](https://mcccanada.ca/get-involved/events/grow-hope-alberta-webinar)

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](https://mcccanada.ca/get-involved/events/mcc-alberta-online-relief-auction)

MCC Alberta is seeking a Migration and Resettlement Program Coordinator. To learn more and apply, visit:

[mcccanada.ca/get-involved/serve/openings](https://mcccanada.ca/get-involved/serve/openings)

## BEYOND FIRST MENNONITE

Camp Valaqua is seeking an assistant cook for this summer's camp season. Experience the energy and fun of camp, and enjoy the beauty and quiet of nature. Position runs from June 30 - August 25 (with the week of July 29 - August 6 off). Salary and room & board provided. For more details contact Jeff at:

[manager@campvalaqua.com](mailto:manager@campvalaqua.com) or by phone at: 403-637-2510

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# CALGARY FIRST MENNONITE CHURCH

SUNDAY, MAY 14, 2023



"Study for St. Paul Preaching in Athens" by Raphael

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MAY 14, 2023

WORSHIP SERVICE ~ 11:00 AM

**Gathering**

Hymn of Gathering Let's Walk Together (VT #6)

Passing the Peace

Opening Words

Call to Worship

Invocational Prayer

Scripture Reading Acts 17: 22 - 31

**Praising**

Hymn of Praise Nearer, My God, to Thee (VT #658)  
v. 3 in German

Mother's Day Presentation

Psalm Psalm 66: 8 - 20

Hymn of Praise Your Love Is Washing Over Me (VT #166)

**Proclaiming**

Scripture Reading John 14: 15 - 21

Message Pastor Caleb

**Responding**

Time of Reflection "Reverie in F Minor" by Dennis Alexander  
Naomi Grant on piano

Congregational Response

Sharing Our Joys & Concerns

Prayers of the People

**Sending**

Benediction

Hymn Heart with Loving Heart United (VT #813)

Worship Leader: Margo Ratzlaff  
Accompanist: Henry Bergen & Pastor Caleb

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES ~ 10:00 AM

Preschool - Grade 6 Galilee (Lower Sunday School Wing)  
Grades 7 - 12 Jericho (Upper Sunday School Wing)  
Adult Bible Study with Pastor Caleb Caleb's Office (Main Sunday School Wing)

PRAISE & PRAYER NOTES

**Contact the church office for the redacted  
Praise & Prayer Notes**

Please pray for the people living in the South Kivu province of the Democratic Republic of Congo, as massive floods have killed hundreds of people and destroyed infrastructures and ways of life.

Also pray for the people of Pakistan, as there has been violence and civil unrest in the wake of President Imran Khan's recent arrest.

HERE AT FIRST MENNONITE

Our Refugee Fund is a few thousand dollars short for supporting the Khashfa family through June. So, on Pentecost Sunday (May 28), we will have a special offering when you can give to help support the Khashfa family.

Did you recently graduate or are you going to graduate this term? Please email your information to the church office so we can feature your accomplishment in the bulletin.

**First Mennonite Financial Summary as of Apr 30, 2023**

Budget Line	Budget Amount (\$)	Actual Amount (\$)	% Complete
Operating Budget			
Income	\$270,400	\$77,904	29%
Transfers to Conferences	42,000	0	0%
Total Expenditures	270,400	81,923	30%
Net Income	0	-4,019	
Capital Budget			
Income	5,000	1,667	33%
Total Expenditures	15,000	0	0%
Refugee Sponsorship			
Income	n/a	725	n/a
Total Expenditures	n/a	9,600	n/a
All Other Funds			
Income	n/a	23,577	n/a
Total Expenditures	n/a	1,492	n/a

Amount of income needed by December 31 to meet our annual budget \$192,496