

LOOKING AHEAD

Sun., May 22	11:00 am	In-person & Zoom Worship Service - Pastor Caleb Acceptance of new members: Nina Kesel & Michael Nimz
Sun., May 29	11:00 am	5 th Sunday In-person & Zoom Worship Service - Pastor Caleb
Sun., June 5	11:00 am	In-person & Zoom Worship Service - Pastor Caleb
Sat., June 11	TBA	Church Clean-up Day at First Mennonite Church
Sun., June 12	11:00 am	In-person & Zoom Worship Service - Jenn Ratzlaff
Sun., June 17 <i>Father's Day</i>	11:00 am	In-person & Zoom Worship Service - Pastor Caleb
Sun., June 26 <i>Promotion Sunday</i>	11:00 am	In-person & Zoom Worship Service - Pastor Caleb

MENNONITE CENTRAL COMMITTEE (MCC)

Join us in growing hope today by sponsoring the MCC Grow Hope project. When you sign up to sponsor an acre of land—or even part of an acre—a local farmer will farm the land you sponsor and donate the proceeds after harvest. For more information, go to:
donate.mcccanada.ca/cause/alberta-grow-hope

We have a new job opening in the Calgary MCC Office: Development and Data Associate. To learn more and apply, visit:
mcccanada.ca/get-involved/serve/openings/development-data-associate

Material Resources is resuming shipments of Relief Kits and Hygiene Kits to Ukraine and we are asking our church partners to help fill our stock of supplies. Please email our Material Resources Coordinator, Linda Dickinson at:
lindadickinson@mccab.ca

GATHERING 2022

It's time to register for the Mennonite Church Canada nation-wide *Gathering 2022: We Declare: what we have seen and heard*. This is a gathering of our faith family that takes place every 2 years and will be held in Edmonton from July 29 to August. 1. The Early Bird Rate ends today, May 15. For more information, go to:
www.mennonitechurch.ca/gathering2022

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CALGARY FIRST MENNONITE CHURCH

SUNDAY, MAY 15, 2022



"Peter's Vision" by Gordon Wilson

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MAY 15, 2022

WORSHIP SERVICE ~ 11:00 AM

Gathering

Welcome

Hymn of Gathering

Freely, Freely (Projected)

Call to Worship

Invocational Prayer

Praising

Hymns of Praise

Fill My House (Projected)
Be Still and Know (Projected)

Proclaiming

Scripture Reading

Acts 11: 1 - 18
Read by Paul Bartel

Message

Pastor Caleb

Responding

Hymn of Confession

Draw the Circle (VT #802)

Offering

Sharing Joys & Concerns

Prayers of the People

Sending

Benediction

Hymn of Sending

Sing a New World into Being (VT #809) vv. 1 & 2

Worship Leader: Moni Janssen
Accompanist : Jade Janssen & Katrina Janssen

HERE AT FIRST MENNONITE

Church Clean-up Day is on Saturday, June 11
and volunteers are needed!

We are planning on removing unwanted items
from various areas around the church.

These items will be either disposed of or donated.

If you are aware of any donation items, please clearly mark them
or let Daniel Thiessen know by today, May 15.

Disposal items should be clearly marked or temporary stored
in the marked area of the church basement until June 15.

Thank you ~ Stewardship Ministry

CELEBRATING MEMBERSHIP

Next Sunday, May 22, we will be celebrating as two individuals join our
congregation as members.

They will be entering into the covenant that we hold with one another as
brothers and sisters in Christ.

If you would like to prepare yourself for the words we will be speaking to
our new members next Sunday, you can find those words in the Voices
Together Hymnal, numbers 959 and 932.

The celebration will carry on following the worship service as we share
coffee and fellowship in the church basement.

FIRST MENNONITE CHURCH

Mission

Together, we are guided by the Holy Spirit to live faithfully in a way that embodies the
life and love of Jesus of Nazareth, our Lord and Saviour. Therefore, we endeavour to
be a refuge: a community of belonging, support, and healing, where we joyfully accept
every person as a beloved gift of God.

Vision

We envision living in the shalom of God, in true peace, justice, and wholeness, where
all our relationships are set right; where the story of God's love is lived out in the way
we share in each other's celebrations and bear one another's burdens. We imagine
being changed by each other through conversation, listening and sharing our stories
and perspectives; where our diverse languages and cultures are celebrated and our
differences bring us closer rather than push us apart. We aspire to be a people drawn
by God into a sheltering community; where our faith is expressed through prayer,
gathering, and the breaking of bread.