

## LOOKING AHEAD

Sun., May 29	11:00 am	5 <sup>th</sup> Sunday In-person & Zoom Worship Service - Pastor Caleb
Sun., June 5	11:00 am	In-person & Zoom Worship Service - Pastor Caleb Parent - Child Dedication
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 Sunday School Promotion
Sun., June 17 <i>Father's Day</i>	11:00 am	In-person & Zoom Worship Service - Pastor Caleb
Sun., June 26	11:00 am	In-person & Zoom Worship Service - Pastor Caleb

## MENNONITE CENTRAL COMMITTEE (MCC)

GO!100 with us this summer and make a difference! Last summer, GO!100 participants and donors raised more than \$243,000 to provide food, clean water, education, and more for people in 47 countries - that's 121% of our fundraising goal. Once again, we invite you to GO!100 and help MCC's relief, development, and peace work to continue being there for vulnerable people. Learn more at:

[mcccanada.ca/learn/more/go-100](https://mcccanada.ca/learn/more/go-100)

## 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.

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# CALGARY FIRST MENNONITE CHURCH

SUNDAY, MAY 22, 2022



"To God Be the Glory" by Soichi Watanabe

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MAY 22, 2022

WORSHIP SERVICE ~ 11:00 AM

**Gathering**

Hymn Mountain of God (VT #11)  
Passing the Peace  
Opening Words  
Call to Worship  
Invocational Prayer

**Praising**

Hymns Praise, I Will Praise You, Lord (VT #131)  
As I Went Down To The River to Pray (VT #453)  
  
Psalm 67

**Proclaiming**

Scripture Reading 1 Corinthians 12: 12 - 13  
  
Membership Ceremony

**Responding**

Hymn Renew Your Church (VT #717)  
  
Offering  
  
Sharing Joys & Concerns  
  
Prayers of the People

**Sending**

Benediction  
  
Hymn of Sending For We Are Strangers No More (VT #409)

Worship Leader: Lisa Burgess  
Accompanist: Elsie Wiebe

PRAISE & PRAYER NOTES

Contact the church office for  
these redacted Praise Notes.

Camp Valaqua is looking volunteers for the Camp Connections Program this summer! You'll be paired up with a staff member to exchange letters, offer prayers, and maybe even send some treats through the summer. The purpose of the program is to foster connections between staff and the broader church community. To participate in this program, contact us at:

**programdirector@campvalaqua.com**  
**403-637-2510**

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 around the church.

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

For more information and/or to volunteer,  
please contact Daniel Thiessen.

Thank you ~ Stewardship Ministry

5<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OUTSIDE-OF-THE-BOX SERVICE!



For the 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday in May  
we are beginning to embrace our new Vision Statement  
with a service where we  
“imagine being changed by each other  
through conversation, listening,  
and sharing our stories and perspectives.”

Come prepared to be in conversation as we share our own  
reflections on the Scripture passages from the lectionary:

Psalm 142, Isaiah 42: 1 - 9, Acts 16: 16 - 34