

Looking Ahead

Tues., Oct. 16	10:30 am	Joining Over Java
Thurs., Oct. 18	7:30 pm	Hand Bell Rehearsal
Sun., Oct. 21	10:00 am 11:00 am 12:00 pm	Sunday School for all ages Worship Service with Pastor Caleb Pastor Appreciation & 60 th Anniversary of Building Potluck
Tues., Oct. 23	10:30 am	Joining Over Java
Sun., Oct. 28	10:00 am 11:00 am 12:00 pm 6:00 pm	Sunday School for all ages Paraguayan Harp concert by Eduard Klassen Coffee Time Pumpkin Patch Party

Beyond First

Mennonite Church Canada Communication Survey: Anyone who attends a Mennonite Church Alberta (MCA) church is invited to participate in a 10-minute survey. The survey can be found online at: mccanada.respondnow.ca. Paper copies are available on the table in the church foyer.

Building Relationships with People of Other Faiths with John Hartley. In conjunction with North Edmonton Ministry's Christian-Muslim Dialogue, Trinity Mennonite Church will be hosting a free event on Thursday, October 25 at 7:00 pm. This event is open to all. Register at: www.mennonitechurch.ab.ca/events. See the poster in the foyer.

Christian - Muslim Dialogue with John Hartley and Zaid Al Rawni will be held on Saturday, October 27 at 10:00 am at ARCA Banquet Hall 14525 - 127 Street NW in Edmonton. Donna Entz (MCA North Edmonton Ministry) assists A Common Word in Edmonton to organize these meetings. Tickets are \$10.00 and can be purchased at: www.acwab.eventbrite.ca.

Buckets of thanks: More than 24,000 families worldwide are thankful for Relief Kits they received this year. Go to: mccbuckets.ca to see how you, your family, office or small group can get involved! Contact: lindadickinson@mccab.ca for more information.

Mennonite Church Alberta (MCA) Vision2020: Registration is now open for **Phase II: Opening to God's Leading**. On November 16 & 17, Betty Pries of Credence & Co. will lead the event at Foothills Mennonite Church. We are eager for all MCA congregations to take part and invite each church to send four or more delegates to attend: pastors, church leaders and congregants. Register at: www.mennonitechurch.ab.ca/events.

Camp Valaqua needs a truck. If you have a 4 x 4 to donate, please contact the camp at: valaqua@xplorenet.com.

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Sunday, October 14, 2018



"CHRIST AND THE RICH YOUNG RULER" BY HEINRICH HOFMANN



Pastor: Caleb Kowalko
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Children's Worker: Christine Hansplant
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October 14, 2018

Worship Service ~ 11:00 am

We Gather for Worship

Welcome

Call to Worship

Songs of Gathering Holy Spirit, come with power (HWB #26)
Let justice flow like streams (STJ #65)

We Listen for God's Word

Children's Feature Jenn Ratzlaff

Reading God's Word MARK 10: 17 - 31

Song of Worship O God of mystery and might (HWB #130)

Message "A Rich Disciple?"
Pastor Caleb

We Respond to God and Each Other

Song of Response What does the Lord require (HWB #409)

Sharing Church Life

Offering our Gifts

Sharing Joys and Concerns

Prayers of the People

We Go Out as God's Missionaries

Benediction

Song of Sending Lord, let us now depart in peace (HWB #428)

Worship and Song Leader: Ted Regehr
Accompanist: Elsie Wiebe

**Reminder: Today is the Worship Service Team Luncheon.
Lunch will be provided. Come and share your ideas!**

Sunday School Classes ~ 10:00 am

Ages 3 - Grade 1
Grades 2 - 6
Grades 7 - 12
Adult - Uniform Series

Galilee (Lower Sunday School Wing; left side)
Egypt (Upper Sunday School Wing; right side)
Jericho (Upper Sunday School Wing; left side)
Main floor Sunday School Wing, end of hall

Praise & Prayer Notes

Mennonite Church Canada: MC Canada is currently in the process of hiring a new Executive Minister. The candidate interviews were held last week. Your prayerful support for this discernment process is deeply appreciated.

*Please contact the church office for
redacted prayer concerns*

Ride for Refuge: Thank you to the 75 participants on 12 teams and the many generous folks who sponsored these riders! Together we raised over \$18,000 so far towards our Mennonite Church Canada Witness ministry! In fact, there is still opportunity to donate - donations will be received until October 31.

Here at First

Next Sunday, October 21:

We will celebrate the **60th Anniversary** of our
First Mennonite Church building.

We will also gather together for the
Pastor Appreciation Potluck Lunch.

First Mennonite Financial Summary as of September 30

Budget Line	Budget Amount (\$)	Actual Amount (\$)	% Complete
Operating Budget			
Income	275,400	154,206	56
Transfers to Conferences	49,000	100	0
Total Expenditures	275,400	146,604	53
Capital Budget			
Income	5,000	3,750	75
Total Expenditures	15,000	3,390	23
All Other Funds			
Income	n/a	8,968	n/a
Total Expenditures	n/a	5,793	n/a