

LOOKING AHEAD

Wed., Nov. 1	9:30-11:00 am	Drop-in Neighbourhood Playgroup
Thurs., Nov. 2	7:30 pm	Council of Church Ministries Meeting over Zoom
Sun., Nov. 5	10:00 am	Sunday School Classes - Pre-Kindergarten to Adults
	10:00 am	"Curious About Baptism or Membership?" - Pastor Caleb
	11:00 am	Sunday Worship Service - Pastor Caleb

BEYOND FIRST MENNONITE

Calgary Inter-Mennonite Church is looking for a Pastor/Community Leader to fill a part-time maternity leave from January 2024 - May 2025. Applications are due by October 31: cimchurch.org/community/job-opportunity

Did you miss splitting wood, cleaning cabins, and doing all the things we usually do together at Camp Work Day? Gather your family and/or your friends and book a time to hang out together under the tall, tall trees to help Jon and Jeff keep our camp shipshape. Contact Camp Valaqua at: manager@campvalaqua.com

The Circles of Support and Accountability (CoSA) Program is still looking for volunteers to work with people who have left prison and are reintegrating into society. If you are interested, contact the CoSA Coordinator Ken Grahlman at: kengrahlman@mccab.ca

Mennonite Central Committee (MCC) presents: Sweet Harmony: An Evening with Tareq Hadhad, CEO of Peace by Chocolate on Friday, November 3 at 7:00 pm at Ambrose University. Join us for this marquee fundraising event including Tareq's story, delicious dessert, and live music to support MCC's settlement work with refugees in Alberta. Tareq Hadhad was a Syrian refugee and is now living his new life with his entrepreneurial family in Canada's east coast. Tareq will share what can happen when people open their arms and offer kindness in another person's time of need. Peace, it truly is beautiful in every language. See the posters in the foyer, or go to: mcc.org for more information

MCC's Buckets of Thanks: Help us meet our goal of donating 2,000 Relief Kits across Canada by October 31 to assist displaced people in places like Ukraine, Jordan, Cuba, and Zambia. To find out how you can help, go to: mcc.org/get-involved/fundraiser/buckets

MCC (through our membership in Canadian Foodgrains Bank) is appealing for humanitarian response in Gaza in partnership with a group of leading humanitarian organizations in Canada that appeal together during a crisis. To learn more and to donate, go to: mcc.org/palestine-israel

The Mennonite Church Alberta (MCA) featured congregation for October in the "A Window Into...Our Mennonite Congregations" series is Holyrood Mennonite Church in Edmonton. Learn more at: mcab.ca/windows2023

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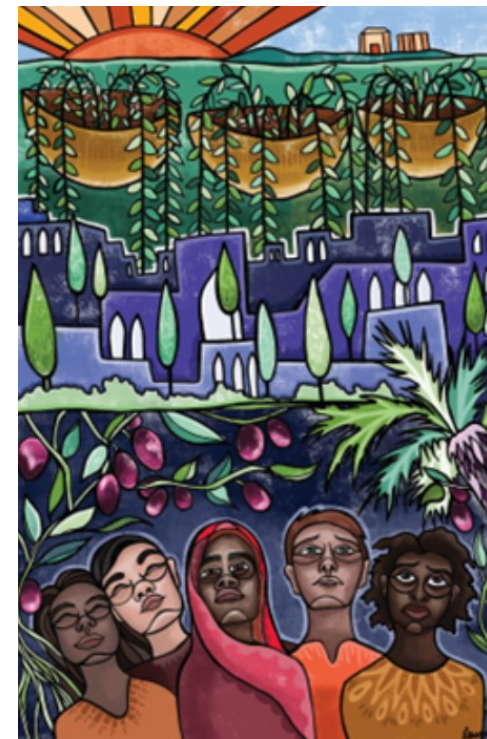
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SUNDAY, OCTOBER 29, 2023



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