## LOOKING AHEAD

| Wed., May 15              | 9:30 am                                      | Drop-in Neighbourhood Playgroup   |
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| Sun., May 19<br>Pentecost | 10:00 am<br>10:00 am<br>11:00 am<br>12:00 pm | No Sunday School Classes today for Pre-k to Youth<br>Adult Sunday School only<br>Worship Service - Pastor Caleb<br>Kids' Club Event                           |
| Wed., May 22              | 9:30 am                                      | Drop-in Neighbourhood Playgroup   |
| Sun., May 26              | 10:00 am<br>10:00 am<br>11:00 am<br>12:00 pm | Pre-k to Youth S. School students meet in basement<br>Adult Sunday School<br>Worship Service - Jose-Luis Moraga<br>Potluck Lunch with Aliss sharing her story |
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| June 21 - 23              |  | First Mennonite Church Retreat at Camp Valaqua  |

# BEYOND FIRST MENNONITE

The Mennonite Central Committee (MCC) Relief Sale will be held on Saturday, June 15 from 9:00 am - 4:00 pm at the Bergthal Mennonite Church in Didsbury. Auction items are needed by June 1. To donate an auction item and/or for more information, go to:

### mcc.org/abreliefsale

Mennonite Central Committee (MCC) Annual GO!100 fundraising campaign will run from May 24 to August 30. Will you help us raise \$100,000 in 100 days for people in vulnerable situations? Choose any "100 themed" challenge, for example:

- 100 hours of: reading, jumping rope, riding a bike, baking, gardening, knitting, sewing, praying, or playing an instrument
- Hike or walk 100 km
- Read 100 articles or stories about social justice issues
- Try 100 recipes, make 100 cupcakes, try 100 new foods
- Organize, sort, and take 100 items to the MCC Thrift Store for reuse
- Write 100 notes, ecards, or text messages of encouragement
- Take 100 photos and create a gallery of images
- Do 100 Lego builds or domino challenges

To register, to donate, or for more information, go to:

### mcc.org/events

The Anabaptist Community Bible is now available for preorders from the CommonWord Bookstore and Resource Centre. Celebrate 500 years of Anabaptism with the Anabaptist Community Bible. For more information, see the poster in the foyer, or go to:

### mennomedia.org

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Sunday, May 12, 2024



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# MAY 12, 2024

### YOUTH & MIDDLER WORSHIP SERVICE ~ 11:00 AM

Gathering

Hymn Come, Let Us All Unite to Sing (VT #7)

Opening Words Teyo

Call to Worship

Passing the Peace

Prayer of Invocation

Proclaiming

Hymn Worship the Lord (Projected)

Scripture Ephesians 2: 4 - 10, 17 - 22

Children's Visio Divina

Scripture 1 Corinthians 12: 12 - 26

Hymn Oh Lord My God/How Great Thou Art (VT #436)

Reader's Theatre Paths and Ditches written by LeAnne Froese

Responding

Time of Reflection Music by Natalie

Congregational Response

Mother's Day Tribute Erv Thiessen

Sharing Our Joys & Concerns

Prayers of the People

Sending

News & Announcements

Benediction Jackie

Hymn of Sending They Will Know We Are Christians (Projected)

Worship Leader: Christine Hansplant

Worship Band:

Aman & Miriam, Tessa & Henry, Natalie & Margo, Teyo, and Mason

Scripture Readers: Aman and Miriam

Reader's Theatre: Mikka, Sandy, Natalie, Teyo, Nicolette, Ella, & Aurelia

### SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES ~ 10:00 AM

Sunday School Students: Worship Band Practice and Worship Service Rehearsal in sanctuary

Adult

Pastor Caleb's Office (Main Floor Sunday School Wing)

# PRAISE & PRAYER NOTES

Remember to pray for all those who are dealing with health issues.

Redacted. Contact the church office for information.

Today we celebrate with Foothills Mennonite Church as Bill Christieson has his ordination transferred, and Aiden Scherzinger is licensed towards ordination.

As our post-secondary students embark on their summer adventures, pray that they will have good health, resilience, and the ability to make responsible choices. Help them to find joy and purpose in each day. We are grateful for the gift of education and the opportunities it provides.

Pray for our 2024 Camp Valaqua staff as they begin to prepare for the summer camping season. Pray for stamina, wisdom, good health, and a sense of calling for the work that lies ahead. Pray in thanksgiving for Jon and Jeff who provide steady leadership to our camp program each year.

The Mennonite Church Alberta (MCA) Family Feud Game Fundraiser (on April 28) brought in nearly \$3,000 for Camp Valaqua!

## HERE AT FIRST MENNONITE

On Sunday, May 26, please stay for a potluck lunch after the service. A special guest will be joining us to share her family's story of their journey to Canada as refugees and their life here for the past 7+ years. Please bring a potluck item to share (main dish, salad/sides, or dessert).

First Mennonite Church will be hosting a Mennonite Church Alberta (MCA) Faith Studies Event: "Wild Hope for God's Garden" with Joanne Moyer, PhD on Tuesday, May 28 and Wednesday, May 29. There will be a Worship Service on Wednesday, May 29 at 7:00 pm. All are welcome! No registration necessary for the Worship Service. An offering will be gathered during this Service. For details regarding the Tuesday and Wednesday Study Session, and to register for those sessions, talk to Pastor Caleb or go to:

### mcab.ca/events

Please place your offering into the collection box, attached to the sound desk at the back of the sanctuary; or send your donations to Calgary First Mennonite Church through Interac e-Transfer to:

treasurer@calgaryfirstmennonite.ca