Looking Ahead

Tues., Sept. 10	7:30 pm	Council of Church Ministries
Wed., Sept. 11	9:30 am	Drop-in Neighbourhood Playgroup
Sun., Sept. 15	10:00 am TBA 11:00 am	Adult Sunday School in Pastor Caleb's office Sunday School Classes - Pre-kindergarten to Grade 12 Worship Service - Pastor Caleb
Wed., Sept. 18	9:30 am	Drop-in Neighbourhood Playgroup
Sun., Sept. 22	10:00 am TBA 11:00 am	Adult Sunday School in Pastor Caleb's office Sunday School Classes - Pre-kindergarten to Grade 12 Worship Service - Donita Wiebe-Neufeld
Wed., Sept. 25	9:30 am	Drop-in Neighbourhood Playgroup
Sun., Sept. 29	10:00 am TBA 11:00 am 12:00 pm	Adult Sunday School in Pastor Caleb's office Sunday School Classes - Pre-kindergarten to Grade 12 Worship Service - Pastor Caleb Fall Fair
Wed., Oct. 2	9:30 am	Drop-in Neighbourhood Playgroup
Sun., Oct. 6	10:00 am TBA 11:00 am 12:00 pm	Adult Sunday School in Pastor Caleb's office Sunday School Classes - Pre-kindergarten to Grade 12 Worship Service - Pastor Caleb Worship Team Luncheon

Mennonite Central Committee (MCC)

MCC Alberta constituents and supporters are invited to attend our online Annual General Meeting (AGM) on Thursday, September 26 at 7:00 pm over Zoom. To learn more and to register, visit:

mcc.org/events/mcc-alberta-2024-annual-general-meeting

International Witness

Praise God for 100 years of faithful ministry of the Mennonite Brethren Church of the Congo (Communauté des Églises de Frères Mennonite au Congo, CEFMC). Visitors from across Africa, North America, and Europe gathered at the church's center in Kikwit, Democratic Republic of Congo, to celebrate the centenary anniversary, expressing gratitude for God's provision and guidance. From one church plant, the ministry has grown to now include nearly 104,000 members,

4 Bible institutes, 403 schools, 5 hospitals, and 9 health centers. We pray that the witness and growth of the church will continue. Mennonite Church Canada is involved with CEFMC through Africa Inter-Mennonite Mission (AIMM).



Sunday, September 8, 2024



2600 Richmond Road SW., Calgary, AB T3E 4M3 Church Office: info@calgaryfirstmennonite.ca

Church Office: 403-249-8784 Pastor: Caleb Kowalko

Caleb: pastor@calgaryfirstmennonite.ca

September 8, 2024

Worship Service ~ 11:00 am

Prelude

Gathering

Hymn of Gathering Jesus Shall Reign (VT #414)

Passing the Peace

Opening

Call to Worship

Invocational Prayer

Proclaiming

Scripture Reading James 2: 1 - 17

Hymn Bless'd Be the God of Israel (VT #223)

Sunday School Teacher Dedication

Scripture Reading Psalm 146

Hymn We Are People of God's Peace (VT #797)

Scripture Reading Mark 7: 24 - 37

Message Pastor Caleb

Responding

Hymn of Communion We Are People on a Journey (VT #464)

Sharing Joys & Concerns

Prayers of the People

Communion

Sending

Announcements

Benediction

Hymn of Sending Christ, We Do All Adore Thee (VT #138)

Postlude

Worship Leader: Erv Thiessen Accompanist: Elsie Wiebe

Please place your offering into the collection box, attached to the sound desk; or send your donations to Calgary First Mennonite Church through Interac e-Transfer to: treasurer@calgaryfirstmennonite.ca Sunday School Classes ~ 10:00 am

Pre-kindergarten - Grade 12 Parent/Student/Teacher Brunch Adult Caleb's Office (Main Floor Sunday School Wing)

Praise & Prayer Notes

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Contact the church office

Here at First Mennonite

It's That Time of Year The First Mennonite Church Fall Giving Project is in full swing!



We are in the process of purchasing school supplies to fill the School Kit bags.

Elsie has lovingly sewn the bags through this past year.

Notebooks and pencils are a tangible message of God's love for families around the world who have been forced to flee their homes or struggle to afford basic school supplies.

Without these items many kids can't get the education

Without these items, many kids can't get the education they desperately need.

Together, we can share God's love with our global neighbours by giving the gift of education through erasers, pencils, and more!

If you wish to support this School Kit Project, please submit your monetary gift as you normally would and request the funding be directed to the School Kit Project. If you have any questions, contact Susanne or Elsie.

Save the Date! The Outreach Ministry is planning a community event, a Fall Fair, for Sunday, September 29 from 12:00 - 3:00 pm. Our Fall Fair will require many volunteers to bake treats and also to assist on the day of the event. Please keep this date in mind as you are looking ahead to your own Fall planning. A Google Doc, to sign up as a volunteer, was emailed on September 5. For more information, contact Jenn.