## **Looking Ahead**

Wed., Jan. 15	 9:30 am	Annual Reports due to: info@calgaryfirstmennonite.ca Drop-in Neighbourhood Playgroup
Thurs., Jan. 16	7:30 pm	Deacons' Meeting
Sat., Jan. 18	6:30 pm	Combined Congregational Event at Foothills Mennonite Church
Sun., Jan. 19	10:00 am 10:00 am 11:00 am	Sunday School Classes - Pre-kindergarten to Grade 12 Adult Sunday School in Pastor Caleb's office Worship Service - Pastor Caleb
Wed., Jan. 22	9:30 am	Drop-in Neighbourhood Playgroup
Sun., Jan. 26	10:00 am 10:00 am 11:00 am 12:00 pm	Worship Band Rehearsal Adult Sunday School in Pastor Caleb's office Worship Service - Pastor Caleb Coffee Time
Sat., Feb. 8	9:30 am	First Mennonite Church Annual General Meeting (AGM)

## Anabaptism at 500 Commemoration

Foothills Mennonite Church invites you to the combined congregational event, Anabaptism at 500 Commemoration

#### on Saturday, January 18 at Foothills Mennonite Church.

Share an evening reflecting on the significance of Anabaptism, past and future, with guest speaker, Garry Koop.

You are asked to bring ready-to-serve finger food—either sweet or savoury. The program and fellowship begins at 6:30 pm., worship service at 7:30 pm.

Worship includes a joint-church celebration choir, with a choir practice at Foothills Mennonite Church on Thursday, January 16, both at 7:30 pm.

Everyone is welcome!

For those unable to attend in person on January 18, join over Zoom at 7:30 pm:

Zoom link: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88542631971?

pwd=hwwvEmQVdlwlYt9hS8iPvOaiGbzbKr.1

Meeting ID: 885 4263 1971 Passcode: 839426

Dial in: +1-587-328-1099 Canada

For more information, contact the Foothills Mennonite Church office at:

office@foothillsmennonite.ca

or

403-289-7172



Sunday, January 12, 2025



by Heinz Gaugel, from the circular memorial, "Behalt"

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# January 12, 2025

## Worship Service ~ 11:00 am

Gathering

Opening Words

Hymn Here in This Place (VT #10) vv. 1, 2 & 4

Call to Worship VT #869

**Invocational Prayer** 

Receiving

Hymn I Love to Tell the Story (VT #761)

Psalm 29: 3 - 4, 10 - 11

Children's Feature Pastor Caleb

Hymn Blessed Assurance (VT #435)

Scripture Reading Luke 3: 15 - 17, 21 - 22; 1 Corinthians 3: 11

Message Pastor Caleb

Responding

Time of Reflection This is the Sound of One Voice

Intergenerational Ritual Storytelling

Sharing Our Joys & Concerns

Prayers of the People

Sending

**News & Announcements** 

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

Benediction Romans 12: 1 - 5

Send with passing the peace and sharing your Anabaptist connection with another person

Worship Leader: Moni Janssen Accompanists: Henry Bergen and Arnie Reimer

### Sunday School Classes ~ 10:00 am

Pre-k - Grade 12 January 12, 2025 January 19, 2025 No Classes Today Worship Band Rehearsal Pre-kindergarten - Grade 12 Classes Resume

Adult

Caleb's Office (Main Floor Sunday School Wing)

### Here at First

All Ministries and Committees:
Please remember that your Annual Reports
are due no later than this Wednesday, January 15.
Please email your Annual Report
as an attachment in MS Word (not a pdf)
in Arial 12 - point font to the church office at:
info@calgaryfirstmennonite.ca

The Church Administrator has regular office hours:
Tuesdays: 12:00 - 2:00 pm and Thursdays: 12:00 - 3:00 pm
It is a good idea to call the church office prior to your arrival
to ensure that the Church Administrator is on site:
403-249-8787

Pastor Caleb does not have regular office hours and is available by appointment only by calling his cellphone.

Have you been considering ways that you can serve in your church?

Congregational Life Ministry is looking for someone willing to volunteer one Sunday per month as an usher.

If you are interested, please contact Karen for details.

Are you curious about membership or baptism at Calgary First Mennonite Church?

Pastor Caleb will be hosting an information session during the Sunday school hour on Sunday, February 2 in his office all about membership and baptism.

All are welcome to come, ask questions, and gain information about this process in our congregation.

If you have brought an offering today, please place it in the offering box on the sound desk. Or, you can send your donations to Calgary First Mennonite Church via Interac e-Transfer to:

treasurer@calgaryfirstmennonite.ca