

Leamington United Mennonite Church Sunday, August 16, 2015 - 10:00 a.m.

Speaker - Mike Williamson, Worship Leader - Samuel Dyck

Call to Worship - Psalm 85

Song - 'We praise thee, O God' #99

Prayer

Song - 'When in our music God is glorified' #44

Scripture Reading - Hosea 6:1-6

Witness stand - Collin Tiessen

Worship Music

Giving our Gifts

Song - 'In my heart there rings a melody'

Worship Music

Prayers of the People

If you have personal prayer requests, please write them out on the back of a Welcome Card and place them in the offering plate or in the Prayer Room. We will pray

for these requests in our daily morning prayers.

Children's Story

Sermon - 'Revive Us Again'

Song - 'We praise thee, O God' #99

Benediction

Worship Music - Tiessen Family, Organist - Kathy Driedger Children's Story - Sieglinde Omstead Song Leader - Jennifer Fittler, Powerpoint - Wayne St. Denis

WORSHIP WALK WITNESS

Welcome ...



Welcome to our Visitors - To all our visitors today, we welcome you in the name of Christ. We are delighted that you have joined us for our worship service and hope you sense God's presence among us. If you have a personal need or would like more information about the church please fill out a

Welcome Card in the pew rack in front of you and put it in the offering plate. After the worship service you are welcome to join us for coffee and fellowship in the auditorium. We look forward to meeting you and getting to know you.

Church Education ...



During the summer there will be a children's activity for children ages 3 - 8 after the children's story in Classroom # 1.

Sunday School Offering Aug 9 - \$26.85

- 1. Planning is underway for the 2015-2016 Children's Sunday School. A number of teachers and helpers have been found. We need more teachers and helpers for the 3 year old class, the gym time and the singing for the Grade 1-8's. Please contact Shannon Dyck or Frieda Lepp if you can help.
- 2. Teachers you can pick up your materials, meet with your teaching partners and get your classroom ready for your students on September 1. The church will be open from 6:30 - 8:00.
- 3. We are looking for a team of 2 volunteers to share in the teaching of the Toddler program. Please contact Frieda Lepp if you can help.



Sr. Youth - Wednesday August 19, 7:00-9:00

The Great Hide & Seek Car Rally - Meet at Seacliff Park Ministry Pick-Up at LUMC. All Sr. Youth are invited to participate in our hide and seek car rally. Interested in this game?

Then come on out and join the fun. Recent Sr. Youth grads will be helping with leading and driving. Please RSVP Mike if your teen can come.

Jr. Youth - Pool Party - Sunday August 16

1:30-3:00 @ Lisa & Herman Heide's House (590 Bruner Rd.)

All Jr. Youth (including new kids entering grade 6) are welcome to attend and bring a friend along. Youth are asked to bring a snack to share. Please RSVP Mike if you can make it.

Verein Verein 640 - August 16 - 7pm - Sundae Sunday!!

We will meet at the Dyck residence (33 Windwood Drive, Leamington) at 7pm. You should all plan to attend this week and the

next as they are our final gatherings of Verein 640 2015. Please come prepared with a sundae topping to share, and a bathing suit for Pool Jousting! PS - Feel free to let everyone know what your sundae topping is to avoid confusion. If you prefer your topping to remain unnamed, that is okay too. Everyone likes a good surprise.

Church in Action ...

Student Blessing and Communion Service

Next Sunday morning (August 23) we will be having a special service of blessing for all our post-secondary students. Please spread the word in your families and among your friends. We will also be celebrating the Lord's Supper together.

Mission Box

How to become more missional in your workplace.

This week's suggestion ... Start a regular lunch out with co-workers (don't be selective on the invites).

September's Coming!

Our summer preaching series *Making Melody to Our God* is coming to an end.

But we have an exciting new series that we want to begin.

We're calling it *A Season of Reading: Walking Together in the Word.*(Hint: it involves everyone reading together from the Bible!)



LUMC has a NEW website. Check it out at www.lumc.ca.

Free!

Every Tuesday at LUMC
6:00 - 7:30 **new time**
SK-Grade 5
Crafts, Games, God's Word, Gym Time
Songs, Snacks & FUN

Beginning Tuesday September 22



LUMC Neighbourhood Carnival - LUMC will be holding its 6th Annual Neighbourhood Carnival on Saturday, September 19. Everyone young and old are welcome and encouraged to join us for some food, fellowship and fun. We welcome and extend our friendship to our neighbours in the Oak Street area. If you would like to help or have questions, please contact Mary Tiessen.

Call to Worship ...

Psalm 85

- ¹ LORD, you were favorable to your land; you restored the fortunes of Jacob.
- ² You forgave the iniquity of your people; you pardoned all their sin.
- ³ You withdrew all your wrath; you turned from your hot anger.
- ⁴ Restore us again, O God of our salvation, and put away your indignation toward us.
- ⁵ Will you be angry with us forever?
 Will you prolong your anger to all generations?
- ⁶ Will you not revive us again, so that your people may rejoice in you?
- ⁷ Show us your steadfast love, O LORD, and grant us your salvation.
- ⁸ Let me hear what God the LORD will speak, for he will speak peace to his people, to his faithful, to those who turn to him in their hearts.
- ⁹ Surely his salvation is at hand for those who fear him, that his glory may dwell in our land.
- Steadfast love and faithfulness will meet; righteousness and peace will kiss each other.
- ¹¹ Faithfulness will spring up from the ground, and righteousness will look down from the sky.
- ¹² The LORD will give what is good, and our land will yield its increase.
- ¹³ Righteousness will go before him, and will make a path for his steps.

Get Involved ...

Bike to Grow - Help us celebrate Mary and Sarah's amazing journey for "Bike to Grow". Join us on Sept. 5 at the Leamington Marina for a family friendly BBQ. Doors open at 5 p.m. There is no charge but donations are welcomed. For those who wish you can ride with Sarah and Mary on the last portion of the ride from Waterloo to the Leamington Marina. If you are not able to attend this event you are welcome to donate to the cause. As a chapter our goal is to raise \$50,000 towards the "Bike to Grow" goal of \$150,000. Come help us celebrate.

The Abner Martin Music Scholarship (\$5,000 value last year) is awarded annually by Menno Singers to one student who: 1) will be enrolled in a full-time music major or minor program at the undergraduate or graduate level in 2015-16; 2) is affiliated with an MCEC congregation; and 3) has demonstrated involvement and proficiency in musical activities in church and community. Application deadline is September 15, 2015. For more information and/or an application form contact Lewis Brubacher at lbrubacher@sympatico.ca.

Aamjiwnaang First Nation "Toxic Tour" - September 4 & 5.

Essex Cluster Mennonite Churches are invited to join with Peter Haresnape of Christian Peacemaker Teams (CPT) to visit the Anishinabe people of Persons of all ages from Essex Cluster Mennonite Churches are invited to participate in this event. For teachers and students, it will be an excellent opportunity to get a head start on the school year by learning about Aboriginal justice issues, which are now being incorporated into the Ontario public school curriculum at the intermediate and high school levels. It's also an important opportunity for persons of all ages to learn about the vital importance of caring for God's created world, and our Christian calling to partner with God in walking of people who are marginalized and oppressed (Psalm 103:6). This event is open to anyone who is interested. You can check out the website, http://aamjiwnaangsolidarity.com/2015/06/13/toxic-tour/ or contact Pastor Alicia alicia@nlumc.com) for more information including carpooling.

Et Cetera Shoppe Renovation - The renovation work on our new location has begun. Brown and Tiessen have been engaged to do the renovation. Much of the initial work will be removal of the interior walls (blocks and 2x6 studs) and placing them in neat piles or carrying them out to a dumpster. If you have any questions or would consider volunteering for the initial part of this renovation project, please email Victor Huebert at whuebert@live.ca or call him at 519-322-0350 (mobile) or home at 519-326-4718.

Community Events ...

UMEI Christian High School News

4th Annual UMEI Surf and Turf Fundraiser - August 21 - Reserve your table of 8 or 10 and join us for a delicious meal at Mastronardi Estate Winery, Kingsville. Special entertainment by Jason Hildebrand and Justin Latam. A silent auction table will also help support the UMEI difference! Tickets are 125.00 per person and are available at the UMEI office, Mennonite Savings and Credit Union, Leamington, or by calling Jennifer Driedger (825-9736), Josey Tiessen (322-0748), Wendy Toews (326-7158) or Amy Toews (322-1138).

MEDA Waterloo Chapter Family BBQ at Waterloo Park September 3rd - 6pm

Join us and hear from Mary Fehr & Sarah French about their cross Canada bike tour in support of MEDA's Ghana GROW project. Enjoy some great steak and corn with your family. Please register no later than Thursday, August 27th. Please RSVP with Nicolea Agbonaye - nagbonaye@meda.org (519-725-1633 x100). Adults \$25,Children/Students \$10 – Children activities no charge. PLEASE BRING: Yourself, children, grandchildren, lawn chairs, plates, cutlery, and good weather! For more info: www.meda.org/waterloo

Part Time Employment at NLUMC, Youth Leader Position

.5 FTE Position. Who has a genuine relationship with Jesus Christ and an appreciation for Anabaptist/Mennonite values.

Responsible for - planning and facilitating biweekly Youth events

- building relationships with the Youth
- providing leadership for service and learning experiences

1 year post-secondary education required.

Apply with resume to Personnel; Linda Driedger: <u>linda7ruth@gmail.com</u> or call 519-326-2173.

Bulletin Board Information ...

- · Canadian Mennonite University Events and Opportunities
- MDS Update for August, 2015

Ways to Give ...

LUMC AFT Donations for August - Automatic Funds Transfer is available from any financial institution for donation to our church (budget or building fund). Contact the church office to set up this convenient method of donating on a regular basis. August AFT: General Fund: \$7,395.00, Building Fund: \$890.00

Joys and Concerns ...

Pray For ...

Let us remember the family of Phil and Fiona Brown in our prayers. Fiona's sister Arlene Bailey (44) passed away early Tuesday morning after a brief illness. She was the wife of Gordon Bailey, and mother to Bryna (18), Brittany (15), and Shealynne (10). The funeral was on Friday, August 14 in Brantford.

Pray For ...

Pray for Ekklesiyar Yan'uwa a Nigeris (EYN, the Church of the Brethren in Nigeria), which is experiencing horrendous violence and persecution from the Boko Haram organization. Pray that their faith is increased and that they have strength to bear the suffering happening to their people.

Pray For ...

Please continue to pray for Chin Christan Church in Kitchener and Ottawa as congregational members seek to connect with their family members in Chin State, Myanmar (Burma).

Remembering Our Neighbours...

It is good to remember that we are all part of the large Christian fellowship. This week, please pray for Mount Zion Full Gospel Church.



In an effort to foster community among the members of LUMC, the bulletin features a section for members to share their joys and concerns. We will remember to pray for these people in the coming week. Note: Names submitted must have the individual's consent.

Calendar of Events...

Summer Worship Service 10:00 a.m. - Family Worship 11:00 - 11:45 a.m. - Refreshments & Fellowship in the lobby

Aug 16 - Jr. Youth - 2pm

Aug 16 - Verein 640 - 7pm

Aug 19 - Sr. Youth - 6:30pm

Aug 22 - Men's Breakfast - 8am

Aug 23 - Student Blessing/Communion

Aug 23 - Verein 640

Aug 26 - Sr. Youth - 6pm

Aug 30 - Jr. Youth - 1:30pm

Sept 2 - Sr. Youth Deacon Breakfast - 9am

Sept 2 - Grade 9 Dinner - 5:30pm

Sept 13 - Kick Off Sunday

Sept 13 - Jr. Youth - 2pm

Sept 17 - Sr. Youth - 6:30pm

Sept 19 - LUMC Community Carnival - 11:30-2

Sept 25 - Jr. Youth - 6:30pm

Reading Aug 20 - 1 Kings 8:42-61

Aug 17 - 1 Kings 3:16-28

Aug 18 - 1 Kings 8:1-21

Aug 19 - 1 Kings 8:22-41

Aug 21 - Ephesians 6:1-9

Aug 22 - Ephesians 6:10-24

Aug 23 - Joshua 24:1-18

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9am - Noon - Tues-Fri Closed Mondays

Our worship service is being videotaped and broadcast at LMH.

Thanks for making **LUMC**

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Offering: August 9, 2015

General -\$3,847.00

Building -\$2.075.00

Total = \$5,922.00