

Leamington United Mennonite Church Sunday, June 4, 2017 - 9:45 a.m.

Speaker - Victor Winter, Worship Leader - Linda Tiessen

Welcome

Call to Worship

Songs - 'Praise, my soul, the King of heaven' #65

'Mountain of God' (Screen)

Prayer we set sail ...

From there

Welcome/Farewell of Members

William & Louise Campbell the south wind Heidi Lepp

Scripture Reading - Acts 28:1-10

came up ... Giving our Gifts

Song - 'Here I am Lord' #395

there we found Announcements

Song - 'God our Protector' (Screen) some brothers

Witness Stand - Hayden Epp with Chani Wiens

Prayers of the People

& sisters. Children's Story

Sermon - 'Here on the Seashore'

Acts 28 Song - 'You are salt for the earth' #226

Words of Sending and Benediction

Coffee & Fellowship in the Foyer

Education Hour - Sanctuary

Starting to talk about Mental Illness - John Postons

Organist - Helen Brown, Scripture Reader - Sam Dyck Children's Story - Mary Tiessen, LUMC Tech Team - Bill Cornies, Wayne St. Denis, Rudy Krahn, Eric Harder, George Hildebrandt

WORSHIP WALK WITNESS



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 foyer. We look forward to meeting you.

Welcome - We welcome John Postons to our Education Hour this morning. John's private practice of Counselling and Therapy is located in Essex. He provides short-term counselling and longer-term therapy services to individuals, couples, and families. His topic this morning is "Starting to talk about mental illness." Please join John in the sanctuary during education hour.

Church Education ...

Spring Education Classes - 11:00 - 11:45 a.m.

Today, June 4 - Adult Sunday School - Session on Mental Health

- Starting to talk about Mental Illness with John Postons.

June 11 - Baptism, no Adult Education or Children's Sunday School

- A children's activity is planned following Baptism, with Frieda Lepp

June 18 - Sunday School Extravaganza - 9:45 am

June 25 - Summer Worship Begins - 10 am



Sunday School News ...

June 4 - Healing on the Sabbath

June 11 - Baptism, no Sunday School

June 18 - Sunday School Extravaganza

Sunday School Offering May 28, 2017 \$16.70

Sunday School Extravaganza - Sunday, June 18 - The Sunday School is busy planning for their big Extravaganza. All of the children will be involved with the Sunday morning service. The little ones are practicing songs with Lianne Braun, the Grade 1-5 group are learning songs and our Junior Youth will be drumming with Andrea & Kathe Warkentin. There will also be puppet plays and skits.



Sr. Youth Baseball - Thursday, June 8

LUMC vs. NR A - 6:30pm - UMEI

LUMC vs. NR A - 7:40pm - UMEI

Sr. Youth Parent Meeting - Thursday June 15 - 7:00pm at LUMC

All Parents of youth who will be in Sr. Youth for the 2017-2018 school year are invited to an important parent meeting on Thursday June 15th. Important items on our agenda include summer scheduling, changes to Sunday school, and plans for the 2017-2018 year.

Church in Action ...



Verein Attention all college students! Summer is here and with it another season of our college and career ministry Verein 640.

All current graduating grade 12 students are invited to join us.

Please contact Mike Williamson for meeting details.



8 Cities - Rhodes - Tonight, June 4 at 6:30 pm at LUMC

Check our website at www.lumc.ca for more information.



July 10-14 - DVBS - Maker Fun Factory at UMEI Adult & Student Volunteers Needed

- Looking for group leaders for the Jk, Sk, and Gr 1/2 classes.
- No preparation needed, group leaders move students from one activity to the next, each group has 2-3 adult leaders.
- Come on out, and join in the fun.

9:00 am - 11:45 am - Grades JK - 6

Busing is available for students - pick up and drop off from LUMC. Register students at www.lumc.ca and click on the Maker Fun Factory link.

Contact Frieda Lepp (frieda.lepp@yahoo.ca) or Jane Klassen (lumc@mnsi.net) or call the church office at 519-326-2727.

Donation Envelopes - Thanks for including a name, a donation number, an amount and designation on the donation envelopes. It is a great help when it comes to recording and receipting donations.

Reminder - We want to make sure that any donations to the "Oak Street Help Fund" are kept separate from LUMC donations. If payment is made by cheque, the cheque needs to be made out to the Oak Street Help Fund. If payment is made by cash, mark it clearly on a separate donation envelope.

Get Involved ...

Volunteers Needed!

Mennonite Disaster Service Response to May ON & QC Flooding: Mennonite Disaster Service needs VOLUNTEERS to respond to May flooding in ON & QC. Day volunteers needed, for cleanup and gutting at Minden, ON on Fri and Sat, May 26 & 27 and the following week. For more information and/ or to volunteer please contact:

Nick Hamm 905-401- 3990 (hammicholas.mds@outlook.com) or Martin Durksen hammicholas.mds@outlook.com) or Martin Durksen hammicholas.mds ham

Meat Canner Leamington - 18th Annual Canning Project

Our current account balance is \$65,504.72

We still need \$14,495.28 to reach our goal

These funds are used to pay for the canner rental and turkey meat, as well as the cost to ship the canned meat to its final destination - the hungry.

Thank you for your continued support. All donations are gratefully appreciated.

Together We Can.

Donations can be made through designated giving at participating churches, and the Meat Canner Leamington Fund at Kindred Credit Union

A Celebration of Life - Sunday, June 11, 2017 - 3:00 p.m. Presented by Reid Funeral Home

Tree Dedication Service at Hillman Marsh Conservation Area Please bring your lawn chair, dress is casual.

Refreshments to follow the Service. Please respond by Friday, June 9, 2017. www.reidfuneralhome.ca, 519-326-2631

Canadian Mennonite University Events and Opportunities

Do you know a young person eager for adventure, learning, travel and friendship - all while exploring a life of following Jesus? **Outtatown still has space available for 2017-2018!** Visit <u>outtatown.com</u> to learn more and apply.

From June 12-16 and 19-23 over 150 students from Canada and around the globe (including Somalia, Iraq, Bangladesh, Ukraine, Ethiopia, Jordan, Iran, Argentina...) will be enrolled in one-week peace building courses as part of CMU's Canadian School of Peacebuilding. In our world's present political climate their commitment to peace-building is more critical than ever. Please hold them in your prayers.

Save the date...the 6th **annual UMEI Surf and Turf** will be held on **Friday**, **August 18** at Mastronardi Estate Winery, Kingsville. The evening will include a delicious meal, a silent auction table and entertainment! More details in the weeks ahead. Hope to see you there!

Community Events ...

UMEI Christian High School News ...

Job Posting - UMEI Christian high school is seeking a dynamic and engaging individual to join the school family as Director of Advancement. The Director of Advancement will provide leadership in the area of advancement including building relationships with various stakeholders, fund development, communications and enrolment management. UMEI is now accepting applications for this full time position. For further information, please contact Sonya Bedal, Principal at (519)326-7448. Please send cover letter and resume to the attention of: Principal, UMEI Christian High School, 614 Mersea Road 6, Leamington, ON N8H 3V8 or Email: principal@umei.ca

Strawberry Social & Youth Softball Game - Thursday, June 8 - 6:30-8:00 pm Please join us for some delicious fresh strawberries & ice cream, followed by the LUMC youth softball game (many of our students & alumni are playing).

UMEI Summer Camps 2017 - new camp activities are in the works! Check it out! **1) Camp Explore U** - Date: July 17 - July 21, 9am - 3pm

Grades: 3-6 (entering September 2017), co-ed, Cost: \$100 and \$85 for each subsequent sibling, includes t-shirt & 2 daily snacks. Each day at Camp Explore U will be filled with exciting and fun activities such as music, angry birds, drama, photo scavenger hunt, dodgeball, water games, archery, painting, dancing, robotics, science and much more! Our new camp coordinator, Olivia Toews (UMEI graduate 2016), has been creating a new and exciting schedule for our 2017 camp! To learn more and see an example of what a day at Camp explore U looks like visit umei.ca/camps. Online registration is now open and can be found at umei.ca/camps.

2) Rockets & Robotics - Dates: July 17 - 21 for gr. 7-8 (entering September 2017) and July 24 - 28 for gr. 4-6 (entering September 2017); 9am - 3pm Cost: \$300, includes t-shirt and rocket materials Rockets & Robotics is a hands on science camp for students who are passionate about building and programming robots and learning the physics behind rocket design and launching. Each day, camp will bring new challenges as students develop and morph their EV3 Lego Robots. Working solo or in teams, students compete in fun real-world challenges like robo-soccer, obstacle courses, drag races, battle bots, and much more! To learn more and see an example of what a day at Rockets & Robotics looks like visit umei.ca/camps. Online registration is now open and the link to the form can be found at umei.ca/camps. Space is limited, applications will be accepted in order of application date.

Shop UMEI Update: Now, at the end of May, we should have about \$22,000.00 in the Shop UMEI account. This is a little less than last year. It is a little less each year because more people are collecting points for their own groceries etc. Times change and this is also changing as credit cards compete for customers and use the cash for points system. It is still a worthwhile fundraiser though, and I still enjoy keeping track of everything. If anyone has ideas as to how to compete better with credit cards, let me know. Thank you for the trust bestowed upon me.

Community Events ...

Leamington Mennonite Home News ...

Bus Trip - A few seats remain available on the Bus Trip to the Walter's Family Theatre on Friday, June 9, 2017. This trip included all meals, tickets and transportation with the promise of much fun and laughter. Please call Terri Epp at 519-326-6109 for more information.



The Home invites family and friends to enjoy visiting on balconies and in the park as we experience warmer weather. A visit to our residents remains the best medicine for our seniors.

Heritage Choir Spring Concert - June 4, 2017 at 7pm - Heritage Centre German & English Songs of Praise. Offering for the Leamington Mennonite Home Music Therapy Program and the Meat Canner.

Windsor Mennonite Fellowship - June 17: 1-4:30 pm with Miriam Frey You are invited to explore different ways of meeting God in prayer including experiences of silent and walking prayer. Miriam Frey is a Mennonite Spiritual Director who teaches spiritual formation and coordinates the Ontario branch of Spiritual Directors International.

Cost is \$10. Register by contacting Susan Harrison at wmfpastor@gmail.com. See bulletin board for more information.

Mennonite Historical Society of Ontario Annual General Meeting and performance of Yellow Bellies at Floradale Mennonite Church Saturday, June 17

Meeting at **1:00 pm**. Performance times at **2:00 pm** and **7:00 pm**. Yellow Bellies is a historical drama with live music highlighting the experiences and public response to Mennonite Conscientious Objectors during WWII, written by Johnny Wideman and Rebecca Steiner. Tickets: \$20 (\$10 students/youth) available at the door. Proceeds of the performances will go towards a commemorative plaque at the Montreal River conscientious objector camp. More information at mhso.org.

MCC Ontario's Annual General Meeting - Sat, Sept 30, 12:30-3 pm Community Room, 50 Kent Ave, Kitchener

Joys and Concerns ...

Pray For ...

Pray for our 6 Baptismal Candidates as they prepare for Baptism next Sunday; Mitchel Hildebrand, Sydney Hildebrandt, Alyssa Krueger Nathan Toews, Emma Bedal, Sarah Tiessen.

Thank You ...

We wish to thank everyone for hugs, cards, flowers, food, thoughts and prayers during this difficult time. Thank you to the ladies in the kitchen and a special thanks to friends for baking.

Rob and Monica Harder, and the Harder family

Pray For ...

Joel and Andrea Warkentin and David Dyck are attending a ReLearning workshop in Kitchener this weekend. MCEC has formed the ReLearning Community to equip churches for the work of mission and discipleship in the 21st Century. Pray for our Mennonite churches as they face both the challenges and opportunities of doing church in a post-Christian culture.

Pray For ...

Please pray for Christians living in the Congo who face persecution, violence and hunger. Some Mennonite Churches are unable to gather for worship and have been forced into hiding. Please pray for peace, protection, and deliverance for our brothers and sisters in Christ. Pray also for the oppressing militia groups that they would change their hearts, give up violence, and lay down their arms.

Pray For ...

Many countries in Africa are now facing a hunger crisis. Millions of people do not have enough food to feed their family. In response to this crisis, the Canadian government has announced it has created a Famine Relief Fund. For every \$1 donated to MCC for famine relief, \$1 will go into the government's fund for later distribution. **Donations made between March 17-June 30 will be matched.** Visit mcccanada.ca.

Pray For ...

Future Directions working groups continue to meet and discern needs for the various ministries of Mennonite Church Canada national and area churches. Pray for God's guidance in this important task.

Remembering Our Neighbours ...

It is good to remember that we are all part of the large Christian fellowship. This week, please pray for LakePoint Family 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 ...

Family Worship Service 9:45 am - Family Worship 10:45 am - Coffee Break 11:00 am - Education Hour

Jun 4 - 8 Cities - Rhodes - 6:30pm

Jun 11 - Baptism Sunday

Jun 15 - Sr. Youth Parent Meeting - 7pm

Jun 18 - Sunday School Extravaganza

Jun 21 - Church Council Meeting - 7pm

Jun 25 - Summer Worship Begins - 10am

Jul 9 - Pancake Breakfast/Worship - UMEI

Jul 10 - 14 - DVBS at UMEI

Jul 23 -Outdoor Worship Service - Point Pelee

LUMC Pastors & Staff will be booking vacation time during the next months. If you would like to meet with a pastor, please call the church to check schedules.

A Season Of Reading

Children's Shine On Readings

Angel Visits Joseph 162 Jesus is Born 164

June 5 - 11

Monday - Mark 13 (Guided Tour)

Tuesday - Mark 14 (Guided Tour)

Wednesday - Mark 15 (Guided Tour)

Thursday - Mark 16

Friday - Revelation 1 (Introduction & Guided Tour)

Saturday - Revelation 2

Contact us...

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9am-3pm- Tues-Fri Closed Mondays

Our worship service is being videotaped and broadcast at LMH.

Thanks for making LUMC scent free!

Offering: May 28, 2017

General \$ 6,085 Church Renovation \$ 2,000 Building Fund \$ 550 Designated \$ 100

Total = \$8,735