



Leamington United Mennonite Church
Sunday, November 6, 2016 - 9:45 a.m.

Speaker - Erwin Tiessen, Worship Leader - Mike Williamson

Peace
 I leave
 with you;
 my peace
 I give
 to you.
 John 14: 27a

- Songs - 'What is this place' #1
 'Lord Most High' (screen)
- Call to Worship
 Prayer
- Scripture Reading - John 14: 27, Luke 18: 35 - 43
- Song - 'Ancient Words' (screen)
- Scripture Reading - Luke 18: 15-17
 1 Corinthians 13: 11-12
- 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.
- Giving our Gifts
 Song - 'Longing for light' #54 STJ
- Children's Story
- Sermon - 'Sunlight? or Spotlight?'
- Song - 'We are people of God's peace' (bulletin)
- Benediction
- Coffee and Fellowship
- Education Hour
- Potluck Lunch (all are invited)

*Pianist - Marilyn Winter, Children's Story - Sue Andrew
 Scripture Reader - Ruth Tiessen, Worship Music - Levite Choir
 LUMC Tech Team - Bill Cornies, Hayden Epp, Rudy Krahn, Dennis Warkentin*

W O R S H I P W A L K W I T N E S S

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 foyer. We look forward to meeting you and getting to know you.

Church Education ...

Fall 2016 Education Hour Options - 11:00 - 11:45am

Classes meet every Sunday following the worship service from 11:00 - 11:45 am.

- 1) Vanishing Grace** - Senior Singing Room
Teachers - Paul Dyck, Carolyn Warkentin
- 2) Season of Reading: Gospel of Luke** - Junior Singing Room
Teachers - David Dyck, Erwin Tiessen, Glenn Sellick
- 3) 8 Cities - I want to talk more!** - Board Room
Conversation Facilitators: Elisa Recker, Lisa Heide



Sunday School News ...

- Nov 6 - *Daniel Stands up to the King*
Nov 13 - *Circle of Grace*
Nov 20 - *Rebuilding the Temple*

*Sunday School
Offering
Oct 30 - \$30.60*

If any children are interested in helping to decorate our sanctuary for Christmas, please have your parents contact Nancy Moore.

Youth Ministry

Today, November 6 - following the Service - Everyone is invited to bring their toonies and loonies for a hot drink following the worship service during the fellowship time. The Sr. Youth will be serving Coffee, Tea, & Hot Apple Cider to raise funds to assemble and ship Student Care Packages for young adults from our congregation who are away from home studying or working. The youth will also be collecting Tim Horton gift cards for the care packages if you wish to make an extra donation to the care packages. These can be left in the box in the office. The care packages will be shipped out the week of November 14. Thank-you for your support!

Following the fundraiser the youth will meet in their Senior and Junior groups.

Friday, November 11 - Sr. Youth - Classic Games Night - 6:30-8:30 at LUMC

Dust off the old Nintendos, drag out the old board games and decks of cards for a retro games night. There will also be deep fried snacks.

Friday, November 11 - Jr. Youth Girls - 6:30-8:00

with Andrea Warkentin

Call to Worship

In the name of God,
**who created us,
who holds us and the whole world in his hands**

In the name of the Son
**who came into the world,
who reconciles us with God.**

In the name of the Holy Spirit
**who fills us with eternal life,
who links us with all Christians
and incites us to peace,
we come together to offer our thanks and praise.**

Church Potluck Today - November 6 - As a congregation, we want to take time to grow in our fellowship. Eating together has always been a way the church has built community and a sense of belonging. Today we'll meet at 11:45 for a potluck lunch in the auditorium. If your last name begins with A - H please bring a delicious dessert; if your last name begins with I - Z please bring a main course dish or salad. This is an excellent opportunity to invite newcomers to join us and get to know us.

Women's Small Group - Today, November 6 at 12 pm

Are you interested in learning to hear God's voice more clearly? Join us one Sunday every month for a study on becoming closer to God and the many ways to hear his voice. Women of all ages are welcome. We spend time fellowshiping over lunch and then begin our discussion. If you are interested please contact by phone, Kim Driedger at 519-792-3324; by Facebook messenger, Sandra Dick; or by email Brandy Williamson, brandy_sell@hotmail.com.

Memorial Sunday - November 20

If your loved one was a member of LUMC

A list of all Church Members who have passed away since the last Memorial Sunday will be printed in the bulletin. As the names are read, a representative from each family will have opportunity to come forward and light a candle in remembrance of their loved one. The families involved will be contacted and asked to designate a representative to light the candle.

If your loved one was NOT a member of LUMC

We would like to include names of non-members who have passed away that were family or friends to our congregation. Please contact the church office before Wednesday, November 16th if you have a name that you would like to be included in our service. You would then also have opportunity to light a candle at the memorial Sunday service.



8 Cities - Next City - November 27 - Cancun

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

We Are People of God's Peace

Pursue peace with everyone. Heb. 12:14

1. We are peo - ple of God's peace as a new cre - a - tion,
 2. We are chil - dren of God's peace in this new cre - a - tion,
 3. We are ser - vants of God's peace, of the new cre - a - tion.

Love u - nites and strength - ens us at this cel - e - bra - tion.
 Spread - ing joy and hap - pi - ness, thru' God's great sal - va - tion.
 Choos - ing peace, we faith - ful - ly serve with heart's de - vo - tion.

Sons and daugh - ters of the Lord, serv - ing one an - oth - er,
 Hope we bring in spir - it meek, in our dai - ly liv - ing.
 Je - sus Christ, the Prince of Peace, con - fi - dence will give us.

A new cov - en - ant of peace binds us all to - geth - er.
 Peace with ev - 'ry - one we seek, good for e - vil giv - ing.
 Christ the Lord is our de - fense; Christ will nev - er leave us.

TEXT: Menno Simons, translated by Est'ier Bergen

MUSIC: Johano Horn

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Get Involved ...

Mennonite Disaster Service Response to the Windsor

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED - Sept Flooding - The cleanup phase has been completed with the leadership of Samaritan's Purse Canada including volunteers through MDS and other Mennonite organizations. MDS is continuing with rebuilding where vulnerable families do not have insurance.

*Please consider volunteering by calling: Martin Durksen 905-736-1060
Jim Konrad 226-202-0405, Jason Ecker 519-564-8514*

Volunteers are needed in particular for hanging and finishing drywall, and some carpentry. A licenced electrician and plumber are also needed.

Join Emerging Voices Initiative and Mennonite Church Canada in an evening of conversation about the future of our national and local churches. Come with your questions, your concerns, and your dreams for the future. We are excited to listen, to respond, and to dream together! Everyone is invited to this event, no matter their age or knowledge of the changes facing MCCanada. Our evening of conversation will be centred around the question: "What do you want to tell the leaders of Mennonite Church Canada in this time of transition?" We are excited that Williard Metzger (MCCanada executive director) and Keith Reghier (Transition Coordinator) will be part of these conversations.

Leamington: November 12, 2016- 7:30 PM. UMEI.

Waterloo: November 11, 2016- 7:30 PM. Grebel.

MCC Ontario's Fall Conference - Sat. November 12, 9 am - 3:30 pm

Elmira District Secondary School, 4 University Ave, Elmira

Join Issa Ebombolo, creator and director of Peace Clubs, Wilma Derksen, long time advocate for those affected by crime and Krista Johnson Weicksel, MCC's Peacebuilding Coordinator at MCC Ontario's Fall Conference to experience how MCC is working for peace and justice around the world. mcco.ca/fall-conference.

Canadian Foodgrains Bank - Appreciation Dinner - Wed. Nov 16 - 6pm

Essex and Kent County Growing Projects & their supporters are invited to an Appreciation turkey dinner at UMEI Christian High School! Sheila McBrayne, editor of the Southpoint Sun and Canadian Foodgrains Bank Media Tour participant, will speak about her experiences in Mozambique and Kenya. A representative from all attending growing projects will give a one minute update of their season. Admission is free, but donations for the Foodgrains Bank will be gladly accepted and are eligible for a tax receipt. Please RSVP by November 11 to Dave Epp at depp@foodgrainsbank.ca. or call 796 0840.



The Salvation Army - Leamington, is celebrating the 126th year of the Christmas Kettle Campaign in 2016. This year we need more help than ever. We are looking for individuals, and groups to assist us in

manning Christmas Kettles this year between Monday November 21 and December 24 at noon. Volunteer shifts are 2 hours in duration, in a variety of different locations in both Kingsville and Leamington. Our shifts start at 10:00am and the final shift of the day ends at 8:00pm. Interested volunteers can call Kimberly at 519-329-4470 (cell/text) or workpress@yahoo.com.

Community Events ...

UMEI Christian High School News



Autumn Campaign - UMEI's Annual Autumn Campaign is underway. Thank you in advance for your generous support!

Zwieback & Raisin Bread - Zwieback & raisin bread orders are due in the office by noon **Monday, November 7th** and will be ready to pick up Wednesday, November 9th.

Annual Members Meeting – Wednesday, November 9th - This meeting is open to anyone interested. The meeting will be at UMEI in the Chapel at 7:00 pm. Copies of the report are available from the church or by contacting the UMEI office.

Ground Beef - Ground beef orders are due in the office Wednesday, November 16th and will be ready to pick up Thursday, November 24th.

Discovery Day - Don't spend your P.A. Day at home! Grades 4 to 6 are invited to see what UMEI Christian High School is all about at Discovery Day. Enjoy a day of fun, games, music and lunch. Join us Friday, November 18 from 10:00am - 1:00pm. Registration opens at 9:30am.

UMEI Open House - Come see what UMEI Christian High School is all about at our Open House, on Wednesday, November 30th, from 6:30 pm – 8:30 pm. Tour the facilities and meet students, current parents and faculty.

Choral Concert:

Christ Alone, Scripture Alone Soli Deo Gloria Singers

Saturday, Nov 19 at 7:30 at UMEI

Sunday, Nov 20 at 3:00 pm at LUMC

Tickets available at the door: Adults \$15 and Children \$7

In advance: Adults \$12 and children \$6

Leamington Mennonite Home News



Ladies Auxiliary Christmas Bake Sale

Our Home invites everyone to the Annual Christmas Bake Sale, Saturday, December 3, 2016 from 8:00 a.m. to ? at the Leamington United Mennonite Church. All proceeds support the work of the Home's Auxiliary and our ministry of eldercare. Donations of raisin bread and Zwieback and cookies will be accepted on Friday, December 2 from 9:00 to noon.

Annual Leamington Mennonite Home Open House

Family and friends of the Home are invited to the annual Christmas Open House on Sunday, December 4, 2016 from 2:30-3:30 p.m. The Heritage Choir will be singing and Santa promises to visit.

Joys and Concerns ...

Pray For ...

We want to remember our young adults in their work and their studies. This week we pray for Derek Toews who is on a co-op work assignment in Waterloo.

Notice of Death ...

Frieda Balzer (85), passed away on Sunday, October 30, 2016. Frieda was the mother of Walter & Suzanne Balzer. A Service to celebrate Frieda's life was held on Wednesday, November 2 at LUMC. Please keep this family in your prayers.

Thank You ...

As a family we want to thank LUMC for being a supportive and loving church family to our mother Nellie Tiessen who passed into eternity on October 22. We are also deeply grateful for everyone who helped with and attended Mom's funeral on Friday October 28. We are thankful for those who led the service in both word and song, and those that helped with the meal. You all helped our family grieve, celebrate and give thanks for our Mother's life.
The Nellie Tiessen Family

Pray For ...

Mennonite Church Canada's Fall Leadership Assembly takes place Nov. 7-12. Please pray for all national and area church leaders who will be in attendance, and especially for Calvin Quan as he steps fully into his new role as Mennonite Church Canada Moderator.

Thank You ...

LUMC's Mission Committee would like to thank everyone that helped make our first annual Trick or Trunk event totally "Spooktacular"!! From the trunk decorators to the candy donators to the volunteers who came out that day, and especially to the organizers - Heidi Sawyer and Caroline Warkentin what a blessing you were to the families in our neighbourhood. Now that you all know what this event is all about, we will be expecting lots more trunks for 2017 - so put your thinking caps on, and dream big! The Best of Trunk 2016 trophy goes to..... to be announced this morning.

Pray For ...

Colombia is negotiating a complicated peace process, both on the official level and among people who have a long history of division and violence. Pray with Gamaliel and Amanda Falla, Mennonite Church Canada partners in Colombia through Mennonite Mission Network, that governments and rebel groups will continue reaching for peace. May the Colombia Mennonite Church help lead the way, and may Mennonite Church Canada remain a strong and encouraging partner.

Remembering Our Neighbours ...

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



Calendar of Events ...

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

- Nov 6 - Church Potluck Lunch
- Nov 6 - Women's Small Group - 12pm
- Nov 7 - Heritage Choir Practice - 2pm-Heritage
- Nov 8 - Oak Street Kids Club - 6 - 7:30pm
- Nov 9 - Music Committee Meeting - 1:30pm
- Nov 11 - Jr. Youth Girls at LUMC - 6:30-8pm
- Nov 11 - Sr. Youth at LUMC - 6:30-8:30pm
- Nov 13 - German Service following worship
- Nov 14 - Heritage Choir Practice -2pm-Heritage
- Nov 19 - Soli Deo Gloria Singers -UMEI-7:30pm
- Nov 20 - Jr. Youth Bowling - 2-3:30 - Empire
- Nov 20 - Soli Deo Gloria Singers - LUMC - 3pm

2016 A Season Of Reading

Children's Shine On Readings

Moses & the Burning Bush 42
 Moses Accepts God's Call 44

Nov 7 - Nov 12

- Monday* - Luke 19
- Tuesday* - Luke 20
- Wednesday* - 1 Corinthians 10
- Thursday* - 1 Corinthians 11
- Friday* - 1 Corinthians 12
- Saturday* - Luke 19:1-9, 16:19-31,
18:18-23

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Office Hours:

9am-3pm- Tues-Fri
 Closed Mondays

Our worship service is
 being videotaped and
 broadcast at LMH.


*Thanks for
 making
 LUMC
 scent free!*

Offering: Oct 30, 2016

General	\$ 5,997
Church Renovation	\$ 30
Building Fund	\$ 100
Refugee Fund	\$ 50
Other Designated	\$ 20
Total =	\$6,197