



## Leamington United Mennonite Church October 29, 2017 - 9:45a.m.

Speaker - David Dyck, Worship Leader - Victor Winter  
Pianist - Sieglinde Omstead

Do not be  
conformed to  
the pattern  
of this world,  
but be  
transformed  
by the  
renewing of  
your minds  
Romans 12:2

Gathering Hymns - 'I sing the mighty power of God' #46  
'I will sing for joy' (Screen)

Call to Worship  
Prayer

Scripture Reading - Louise Campbell - Romans 12

Giving our Tithes and Gifts  
Song - 'O how good it is' (Screen)

Prayers for God's 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.*

Witness Stand - Karen Cornies from Silver Lake Camp

Children's Story - Karen Cornies

Sermon - 'Conforming to an Upside Down Kingdom'

Hymn of Response  
'I know not why God's wondrous grace' #338

Benediction

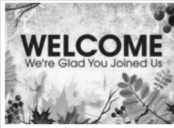
Coffee & Connecting

11:00 - Living Well Mentally and Emotionally  
Sanctuary - with Jennifer Klassen

W O R S H I P

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**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 ...



### **Sunday School News ...**

Oct 29 - Moses & the Burning Bush

Sunday School Offering  
Oct 22 - \$19.20

*Parents: We are beginning to practice songs for our Christmas Eve concert. It would be helpful if children come as regularly as they can to help with the learning.*

### **October 29 - Education Hour - Living Well Mentally and Emotionally**

This morning our guest speaker is Jennifer Klassen and her topic is Mental Health for Children and Youth. Although sometimes difficult to fathom, we know that kids have stress, too. Jennifer will discuss the current research around the stresses affecting our children and youth, focusing primarily on Anxiety, Depression, and ADHD, as 3 of the most common diagnoses of childhood and adolescence. She will focus on the definitions of these disorders, including how they differ from adults, the treatment known to have the greatest impact, and the stressors that put children and youth at risk for their development.

Jennifer is a Registered Psychologist who works locally as a School Psychologist. She is currently the Mental Health Lead at her school board, while also owning a small private practice located in Essex.

### **Memorial Sunday - November 26**

#### **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 Tuesday, November 21<sup>st</sup> 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.

## ***Get Involved ...***

**Today, Sunday, October 29 - Church Potluck** - 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. We will meet at 11:45 for a potluck lunch in the auditorium. If your last name begins with A - H please bring a 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.

Did you ever attend **Rosthern Junior College** or her predecessor **German-English Academy** or wished you had? Join us this afternoon 3-5 pm, the 29th, at our home 3 Pecanwood Drive, Kingsville. (519-733-9940) Tammy Forrester, current Board Chair of RJC is visiting alumni across Canada to update them on happenings at the school. Stop by for a visit and refreshments.  
Erwin & Ruth Tiessen

***Entering the Way: The Good News of Jesus (No class on Oct. 31)***

***This class will continue on Tuesday - Nov. 7 at 6:30 pm***

Mike Williamson and David Dyck will be teaching. Bring your NIV Bible. This 10 week class will explore the good news of Jesus, the meaning of the cross, the hope of his resurrection, the reign of God's kingdom and the impact this has for us and our world. This class is open to everyone of all ages.

### ***Kids Club***

Kids Club will not be held on Tuesday, October 31, but will resume again on Tuesday, November 7.

***Study Group Meeting - Wednesday November 1 at 7 pm at LUMC.***

***On Being a Welcoming Church - Seeking Common Ground While Celebrating Diversity.*** This group invites you to enter the discussion on issues related to our LGBTQ community and it is an exciting and challenging journey. Do Join us! For further information call Frank Hawkins at 519 - 990-6423

### ***German Service - Sunday, November 12***

There will be a German Service on Sunday, November 12, following family worship.



**Next Sunday, November 5 - Daylight Saving Time Ends  
Remember to turn your clocks back 1 hour.**

## Joys & Concerns ...

### Notice of Death ...

Elisabeth Epp (85), passed away on Tuesday, October 24, 2017. Elisabeth was the mother of Gerhard & Elizabeth Epp and Werner Epp. Visitation is at the Reid Funeral Home today, October 29 from 2-5pm. A service to celebrate Elisabeth's life will be held at LUMC on Monday, October 30 at 11 am. Please keep this family in your prayers.

### Baby Boy ...

Calvin Jacob Suta was born on Friday, October 20, 2017. Congratulations to parents Mathew & Jill Suta, and to grandparents Walt & Suzanne Balzer, and great grandmother Alvena Sawatzky.

### Pray For ...

Let us pray for all victims of the terrorism of the war in the eastern part of the Democratic Republic of the Congo, and especially for those who have died, who have been forcibly displaced, and for refugees, for orphaned and abandoned children, for women who have been raped, for the victims of contagious epidemic illnesses, for the unemployed, and those robbed of their goods.

We pray that people will be freed from the chains of violence and terror and that the Lord will shorten the sufferings of his people and his creation, in answer to our daily lamentations! (Habakkuk 1)

### Remembering Our Neighbours ...

It is good to remember that we are all part of the large Christian Fellowship. This week, please pray for St. Michael's Parish Roman Catholic 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.*



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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: October 22, 2017

General	\$ 5,210
Building Fund	\$ 80
Church Renovation	\$ 530
Maintenance Reserve	\$ 200
Other Designated	\$ 50

Total = \$6,070