

Leamington United Mennonite Church

November 18, 2018 - 9:45 a.m.

Speaker - Cathrin van Sintern-Dick, Worship Leader - Zach Charbonneau

'Therefore,
since we
are surrounded
by such a
great cloud of
witnesses,
let us
run with
perseverance
the race
marked out
for us.'
Hebrews 12:1

Songs - 'Great is thy faithfulness' #327
'Mountain of God'

Call to Worship - Psalm 145:1-10
Prayer

Song - 'By Faith'

Scripture Reading - Loretta Fast
Exodus 40:34-38, Hebrews 12:1-10

Giving our Gifts
Song - 'A wonderful Savior' #598

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.

Song - 'Felix Culpa'

Children's Story - Cathrin van Sintern-Dick

Sermon - 'The Next Chapter'

Song - 'I was there to hear your borning cry' #89 STJ

Benediction

Coffee and Conversation

11am - Adult and Youth Education

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. After the worship service please join us for coffee and fellowship in the foyer.



Sunday School News ...

Nov 18 - Promised Land Dreams

Practice for the Christmas Eve programme

begins. Please bring your children every Sunday. We want the children to become familiar with the music.

*Sunday School
Offering
Nov 11 - \$23.70*

Sunday, December 2 - The Sunday School will be collecting toys. Children will be able to bring gifts to the front of the sanctuary during the children's story. These gifts will go to the Salvation Army and will be distributed to needy families.

Fall Education Hour - 11am-11:45am

1)Unafraid – Living with Courage and Hope in Uncertain Times

Our guest today is Cheryl Taggart. She will be sharing about her work as a social worker helping people form supportive communities in response to anxiety.

2)Exodus: Liberating Love

Teachers – Mike Williamson, Erwin Tiessen

Memorial Sunday - Next Sunday, November 25

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 by Wednesday, Nov. 21st if you have a name that you would like to be included in our service. Only names that are requested will be added to this list. You would then also have opportunity to light a candle at the memorial Sunday service.

LUMC AFT Donations for November

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. We currently have 59 families/individuals enrolled in this program.

General Fund - \$11,945, Building Fund - \$790, Church Renovation - \$25

Sharing the Love of God this Christmas - During the Advent season we encourage you to think of friends, family, and neighbours to invite to our Advent and Christmas services. Invitations are available in the foyer. We also encourage you to think of those who are newcomers to Canada and who may be experiencing Christmas for the first time. Is there room at your table for an International student(s) this Christmas? The University of Windsor is looking for host families to invite international students who will be alone this Christmas. Contact the University of Windsor at host@uwindsor.ca for more information.

Jam Night - Thursday, November 22 at 7pm at LUMC in the Jr. Singing Room
Come bring your instruments and play with us. All are invited. See Pastor Zach for more information.

UMEI Christian High School News ...

Community Fundraising Lunch - Today, Sunday, Nov. 18 11:30 am –1:00 pm
Admission by donation. Take out is also available.

Pie Fundraiser - Contact UMEI students or the school office to order home-made frozen pies. Order by Wednesday, November 28. Pies will be here for Christmas.

Grade 11 Drama Class presents: A Christmas Carol on Friday, November 30th at 7pm and Sunday, December 2nd at 2pm.

Annual Chili Cookoff - Dec 2 from 12:00-1:30 – admission by donation.

Soli Deo Gloria Singers: Fall Concert - “To Everything there is a Season”

Sat, Nov 24 at UMEI at 7:30 pm, **Sun, Nov 25** at LUMC at 3:00 pm

Adults \$15 at the door, \$12 in advance, Students \$7 at the door, \$6 in advance

Available from KCU or choir members, Call UMEI: 519 326 7448 for more info

EKMHA News ... Travelogues - at the Heritage Centre at 7:00 pm

Everyone welcome: Admission by donation

Friday, November 30: Mennonite Heritage Cruise - by David & Nancy

Leamington Mennonite Home News ...

Ladies Auxiliary Christmas Bake Sale - Saturday, December 1 from 8am-?

Our Home invites everyone to the Annual Christmas Bake Sale at Leamington United Mennonite Church. All proceeds support the work of the Home's Auxiliary and our ministry of eldercare. Donations of raisin bread, Zwiebach, cookies and other pastries will be accepted on Friday, November 30 from 9 a.m. to noon.

Canadian Mennonite is hiring an Online Media Manager, a full-time position that can be worked remotely. Visit canadianmennonite.org/employment.

Joys & Concerns ...

Congratulations ...

Colt Gregory Brandon Janzen was born on Saturday, November 10.

Congratulations to parents Leonard & Ashley Janzen, and to grandparents Jake & Martha Janzen.

Thank You ...

Our heartfelt appreciation is extended to all who shared memories & condolences on the death of our father, grandfather, Opa and Opa-pa, Henry P. Epp. Thank you to all who participated in the Memorial Service, and preparation and serving of the meal. A special Thank You to the staff and volunteers of the Leamington Mennonite Home who so lovingly cared for Dad. The Family of Henry P. Epp

Pray For...

Pray for **Mary Raber** (MMN worker & MC Canada Witness partner) as she seeks temporary resident status in Ukraine. Pray that God will open the way for a document that gives her greater freedom for ministry.

Remembering Our Neighbours ...

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

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

Calendar of Events ...

See the November Newsletter for details

Nov 18 - UMEI Fundraising Lunch
Nov 19 -Heritage Choir practice Heritage-2pm
Nov 21 - Church Council Meeting - 7pm
Nov 22 - Jam Night - 7pm at LUMC
Nov 23 - Youth at LUMC - 6pm
Nov 24 - Men's Breakfast - 8am
Nov 24 - Soli Deo Concert - UMEI - 7:30pm
Nov 25 - Memorial Sunday at LUMC - 9:45am
Nov 25 - Soli Deo Concert - LUMC - 3pm
Nov 26 -Heritage Choir Practice:LMH-2:30pm
Nov 26 - Visitation Committee Meeting - 7pm
Nov 28 - Music Committee Meeting - 7:45pm
Nov 29 - Spiritual Council Meeting - 7pm
Nov 30 - Youth Coffee House:LUMC - 6:30pm
Nov 30 - EKMHA Travelogue - 7pm
Nov 30/Dec 2 - UMEI Gr. 11 Drama
Dec 1 - LMH Bake Sale - at LUMC - 8am
Dec 2 -1st Advent/Communion - 9:45am

Scripture Reading Schedule: Nov 19 - 25

Monday, November 19 - 1 Samuel 3:19-4:2
Tuesday, November 20 - Deuteronomy 26:5-10
Wednesday, November 21 - Mark 13:9-23
Thursday, November 22 - Acts 7:54-8:1a
Friday, November 23 - 1 Corinthians 15:20-28
Psalm of the Week - Psalm 23

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Office Hours

9am-3pm, Tues-Fri

Closed Mondays

Our worship service is
being recorded and
broadcast at LMH.


**Thanks for
making LUMC
scent free!**

Offering: November 11, 2018

General	\$ 6,480
Building Fund	\$ 120
Church Renovations	\$ 70
Total =	\$ 6,670