



# Leamington United Mennonite Church

## Sunday, December 30, 2018 - 9:45 a.m.

Speaker - Glenn Sellick, Worship Leader - Eleanor Groh

Praise  
the Lord  
from  
the earth,  
you sea  
monsters  
and  
all deeps.  
Psalm 148: 7

Call to Worship - Psalm 148:1-7

Song - 'Angels from the Realms of Glory'

Prayer

Song - 'We three kings'

Scripture Reading - Mary Tiessen

Psalm 148:7-14, Romans 8:22-23, Luke 2:15-20

Song - 'Let the whole creation cry'

Giving our Gifts

Song - 'As with gladness men of old' #218

Children's Story - Ken Hildebrandt

Sermon - 'Creation Redeemed'

Song - 'By gracious powers'

Benediction

Adult and Youth Education resume January 6, 2019

W O R S H I P

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W I T N E S S



**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.



**Sunday School News ...  
December 30**

Family Worship at 9:45am.  
Worship Bags are available for the children.

*Sunday School Offering  
Dec 23 - \$34.30*

**Faith Exploration** - Classes will begin January 13.

Are you interested in going deeper in your faith and exploring what it means to be a follower of Jesus? Do you wonder why our church baptizes adults and what baptism is all about? Have you ever thought of becoming a member of LUMC? Let us know if you are interested.

*Your Pastors at LUMC - David Dyck, Mike Williamson, Zach Charbonneau, Frieda Lepp*

**Parent - Child Dedication & Grandchild Dedication**

We are planning a child dedication service in the near future. This is a service of commitment where parents/grandparents declare their intention to raise their children/grandchildren in the knowledge of God's love and salvation. If you have any questions about this service please call one of our pastors.

**LUMC Annual Meeting & Potluck Lunch - Sunday, February 10, 2019**

Plan to join us for this important meeting. The minutes from last year's Annual Meeting are posted on the bulletin board for your viewing.

During Adult Education time, you are invited to join the Pastoral Ministry Team in the Sanctuary as they reflect and share on the work of the church in 2018. This is a time to learn more about what happens here at LUMC on Sunday and throughout the week, the work of the Pastoral ministry team and also an opportunity to ask the Pastoral staff questions, offer feedback, and discuss together ministry of LUMC. Your presence and input matter, so please join us!

Please email committee reports for this year's meeting to [office@lumc.ca](mailto:office@lumc.ca) by January 18.

**Morning Prayers at LUMC - Tuesday - Friday from 8:45 - 9am.**

*'Devote yourselves to prayer, being watchful and thankful.'* Colossians 4:2

It is a great privilege to pray together as God's people. Everyone is invited for morning prayers in our prayer room, Tuesday to Friday, from 8:45-9:00am. We gather for the reading of scripture, for silent prayer and for intercessory prayer. If you would like us to pray for a special need, please write out your prayer request on the welcome card in the pew and place it on the table in the prayer room.

## **Education Classes and Children's Sunday School**

Begin January 6, 2019

### **Next German Service - Sunday, January 13**

Join in the sanctuary for a German service. The service will begin immediately following Family Worship.

### **Missed a Sunday? Would you like to hear the Sermon?**

Even if you are far away, you can keep in touch. Each of our sermons is recorded by Bill Cornies and is made available for you. Here are two ways to get the weekly sermon:

1. Go to our website (lumc.ca) on your computer and click on the sermon you want to listen to. In the "Sermons" section of the website there are also past sermons to choose from.
2. Or, go to itunes - the Podcast section or any another podcast provider. Do a search for "LUMC Media Initiatives" and you'll find the audio sermons there.

### **UMEI Christian High School News ...**

#### **Job Posting: Summer Camps Coordinator**

UMEI Christian High School is looking for a university student to coordinate the school's summer day camps; specifically Camp Explore U for grades 3-6 students as well as Rockets and Robotics for grades 4-8 students. The successful candidate will be proactive in planning and developing the 3 week-long camp programs. The position runs from May 27 – August 2 and offers 30 hours/week. For more details contact Sonya Bedal at [principal@umei.ca](mailto:principal@umei.ca).

#### **SAVE THE DATE - UMEI Open House**

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

### **Mennonite Burial Society Annual General Meeting - January 12, 2019**

2pm - Pleasant Manor Oakview Chapel, Virgil - [info@mennoniteburialsociety.com](mailto:info@mennoniteburialsociety.com)

**EKMHA News ...** Admission to all events by donation. All are welcome!

**Travelogues: Friday, Jan 11:** Travelogue at 7pm at the Heritage Centre  
Camping through Iceland by Larry and Nancy Burgess  
**Friday, Feb 1:** *China* by Ed and Helen Brown

**Saturday, Jan 19** - 6:00 at UMEI - Super Soup Night

**Job Openings at Thrift on Mill** - P.T. Relief Manager & F.T. Warehouse/  
Receiving Support Worker. Details at [mcccanada.ca](http://mcccanada.ca): Current Openings: Leamington.

## **Joys & Concerns ...**

### **Pray For ...**

Pray for our International Witness workers who will celebrate this Christmas season apart from their families (including adult children and grandchildren) during the holiday season: Bock Ki Kim and Sook Kyoung Park; Mike and Cheryl Nimz; Dann and Joji Pantoja; Tom and Christine Poovong and George and Tobia Veith. Pray that each worker couple/family will experience Emmanuel, God with us, this year.

## **Calendar of Events ...**

*See the December Newsletter for details*

- Jan 1 - LUMC Office closed
- Jan 6 - Education Hour/Sunday School Begin
- Jan 11 - EKMHA Travelogue - 7pm
- Jan 13 - Baptism/Church Membership
- Jan 13 - German Service following Worship
- Jan 16 - Church Council Meeting - 7pm
- Jan 18 - Annual Meeting Reports Due
- Jan 19 - EKMHA Soup Night at UMEI - 6pm
- Jan 23 - Jam Night at LUMC - 7pm
- Jan 27 - UMEI Community Lunch
- Jan 29 - Worship Committee Meeting - 7pm
- Jan 30 - UMEI Open House

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### **Office Hours**

9am-3pm, Tues-Fri

Closed Monday

Our worship service is  
being recorded and  
broadcast at LMH.



*Thanks for  
making LUMC  
scent free!*

## **Offering: Dec 23 & 25, 2018**

General	\$ 38,387
Building Fund	\$ 1,700
Other Designated	\$ 270
Total	=\$ 40,357

Thank you very much for the \$48,000 donations this past week. That leaves us \$10,000 short of our 2018 budget. Cheques can still be dropped off at the office, dated no later than December 31, 2018. Thank you very much for your support.