

# Leamington United Mennonite Church

## Sunday, February 10, 2019 - 9:45 a.m.

**Welcome to UMEI Christian High School  
as they lead us in music today**

“My grace  
is sufficient  
for you,  
for my  
power  
is made  
perfect in  
weakness.”

2 Corinthians 12:9

Songs - ‘Guide my feet’ #546  
‘Christ is our cornerstone’ #43  
‘He came down’ STJ #31

Call to Worship - Zach Charbonneau  
Prayer of Invocation

Scripture Reading - Ruth Tiessen - Mark 10:46-52

Song - ‘Oceans’

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.*

Church Family Happenings  
Welcome to the IVEP participants

Giving our Gifts  
UMEI Choir - ‘Holy is the Lord’

Children’s Story - Andrea Warkentin

Sermon - ‘Sick Day Christianity’ - Mike Williamson

Song - ‘In Christ alone’

Benediction  
Song - ‘May the peace of the Lord Christ go with you’

Coffee and Conversation

Annual Meeting Begins at 11am in the Sanctuary

**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 ...**

February 10 - Come to the Banquet

*Sunday School Offering  
Feb 3- \$18.50*

### **LUMC Annual Meeting/Potluck Lunch - Today, Sunday, February 10**

Plan to join us for this important meeting. 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 and the work of the Pastoral ministry team.

The minutes from last year's Annual Meeting are posted on the bulletin board. Annual Meeting reports are available at the Welcome Centre and on the LUMC website at [www.lumc.ca](http://www.lumc.ca) - Members - Password is LUMC1929.

**Potluck Lunch** - Soup and buns will be provided. Please bring salad or dessert. After lunch, the meeting will resume in the sanctuary.

### **Deacon Commissioning Service - Sunday, February 17**

Henry & Nettie Bergen have accepted the invitation to become deacons at LUMC for a 3 year term. We are thankful for their commitment to this important role in our congregation. Join us on February 17 for a commissioning service for all of our deacons.

**Church Membership - February 24** - Have you thought about becoming a member of LUMC? If you have any questions, please call one of our pastors. A service to welcome new members is planned for Sunday, February 24.

**Parent - Child Dedication & Grandchild Dedication - April 7** - 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.

### **International Volunteer Exchange Program (IVEP) Worship Festival**

Today, Sunday, February 10 at 7:30pm at NLUMC - Join us for an international evening of celebration with songs, music, cultural dance and worship. This program is a Mennonite Central Committee program that connects Christians from around the world for service and international bridge-building.

### **MCEC Annual Church Gathering 2019 - April 26 & 27, 2019**

Steinmann Mennonite Church, Baden, ON - Deepening our Relationship with God

### **MC Canada Gathering 2019 - June 28 - July 1, 2019**

Abbotsford, BC - Igniting the Imagination of the Church

*Mark your calendar with these important events. Consider participating in these gatherings. If you would like to go as a delegate, please see Ken Hildebrandt.*



## **VBS - July 8 - 12, 2019 at LUMC**

Hosted by NLUMC, Faith & LUMC. For Children moving into Grades JK - 6. This year's theme is "Roar". Children will discover that God is good through all of life's challenges.

They will participate in memorable Bible-learning activities, awe-inspiring worship music, teamwork-building games, imaginative craft activities, and an amazing Hungry Herd snack centre.

## **Centering Prayer Introductory Workshop - Saturday, February 23**

9:30am - 3pm at St. John the Evangelist Anglican Church, Leamington

See Bulletin Board for more information and how to register.

**THRIFT ON MILL has a full time job opening - Thrift Team Associate.** It is for a number of all-around tasks at the store. All applying is all done online at [mcccanada.ca](http://mcccanada.ca) Please consider working for your local MCC store or tapping the shoulder of a good candidate. Applications must be in by Feb 24.

<https://mcccanada.ca/get-involved/serve/openings/thrift-team-associate>

## **Meat Canner Thank you...**

Dear friends, a special thank you to the many volunteers who made our Meat Canner Luncheon fundraiser at UMEI a success. To everyone who prepared the meal, helped set up, serve and clean up, to those who greeted and those who invited, thank you. A great lunch and wonderful fellowship was had by all. To everyone who attended this luncheon, thank you. Your generosity and support helped raise \$13,920.22 for the 2019 Meat Canner Leamington project.

**Leamington Mennonite Home News ...** As we continue to move through these winter months our Home remains very fortunate to not have any significant illness or sickness. However, please continue to be mindful of flus and colds that surround us as you come to visit your loved ones.

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

Admission by donation. All are welcome!

Friday, **Feb 15:** Mediterranean Cruise by Ken and Rita Enns

Friday, **March 1:** Planning for Europe, Berlin – Milan by Vic & Marilyn Winter

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

**Early Registration for 2019/2020** - We are now accepting registrations for the 2019/2020 school year. Registration packages can be downloaded from [umei.ca](http://umei.ca) or picked up in the office. Get your Grade 9 Application forms in by February 28th and receive a \$200 tuition credit and a UMEI T-shirt!

**Ground Beef** - Orders are due in the office by noon **Wednesday, February 13<sup>th</sup>** and will be ready to pick up Thursday, February 21<sup>st</sup>.

**Student Soup Lunch & Silent Auction** – Sunday, Feb. 24 - 11:30 am – 1:30 pm  
Come out and enjoy a soup lunch in the auditorium prepared by the students – admission by donation. Students will provide items / services to be auctioned off. Funds raised go toward school trips.

## Joys & Concerns...

### Pray For ...

Pray for our Annual Meeting as we look back on another year of ministry and look forward to where the Spirit is leading in a new year.

### Pray For ...

Pray for our LUMC Children's Ministry as plans are underway for Daily Vacation Bible School in July. Our church will again be hosting DVBS this summer, giving us the opportunity to invite many children in our immediate neighbourhood. Pray for our Children's Pastor, Frieda Lepp as she begins to plan for this large undertaking.

### Pray For ...

Let's remember the 56 IVEP participants on retreat in Leamington this weekend. International Visitor Exchange Program is a ministry of Mennonite Central Committee. They will all be travelling back to their assignments on Tuesday.

### Remembering Our Neighbours ...

It is good to remember that we are all part of the large Christian fellowship. This week, please pray for the new churches in Leamington.



### Salvation Army Food Bank

Items needed in February:  
Pancake Mix & Syrup

### Calendar of Events ...

See the Winter, 2019 Newsletter for details

Feb 11-Heritage Choir Practice:Heritage: 2pm

Feb 12 - Agriculture Day at LUMC - 7pm

Feb 13 - Church Council Meeting - 7pm

Feb 15 - EKMHA Travelogue - 7pm

Feb 17 - Deacon Commissioning

Feb 15-17 - Youth Retreat

Feb 19 - LUMC office is closed

Feb 23 - Centering Prayer - St. John's

Feb 24 - Church Membership

Feb 24 - UMEI Soup Lunch/Silent Auction

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### Office Hours

9am-3pm, Tues-Fri  
Closed Monday

Morning Prayers  
at LUMC

Tues - Fri  
8:45am - 9am



Thanks for  
making LUMC  
scent free!

Our worship service is  
being recorded and  
broadcast at LMH.

### Offering: February 3, 2019

General \$ 8,282

Meat Canner \$ 570

Youth \$ 120

Sunday School \$ 100

Total = \$ 9,072

Coffee Fund Donations - \$ 43.85