



ington United Mennonite Church
Sunday, April 7, 2019 - 9:45 a.m.
Fifth Sunday of Lent



WORSHIP

WALK

WITNESS

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.

Child Dedication - Pray for the parents that have come this morning to present their children in dedication to God and pray as they commit themselves to the call of nurturing their children into faith.

Jonathan & Sandra Dick with Joshua

Kevin & Melissa Hopper with Keith

Jason Hillier & Malloreay Derksen with Everett

Santino & Jenny Melatti with Stella

Jason & Caroline Warkentin with Rylee

Welcome to our Families ... Check out our Children's Programs.

Worship bags - Please help yourself to these activity bags which are available in the lobby.

Nursery Room - Parents with young children are able to watch the service in the nursery room, while having room for their children to play. There is an attached room for nursing moms or sleeping babies.

After Children's Story ... Off to the Sunday School Wing

Toddlers (with or without parents) - Meet in Classroom #1

Ages 3-5 - Meet in the Singing Room

Gr 1-8 - Meet in the Sr. Singing Room for Jr. Worship.

10:45am - 11:45am - Children will be with their teachers for stories, snacks, crafts, and gym time. Parents can pick up their children from their classrooms. The Sunday School hosts are available to help answer any questions.



Sunday School News ...

April 7 - Jesus' Arrest

Sunday School Offering
Mar. 31- \$50.35

Palm Sunday, April 14 - Parents please bring your children to the Sunday School area at 9:35 next Sunday morning. We will be entering the church waving palm branches. The children will sit with you after the opening song. Please feel free to join the procession.

Winter Education Classes - 11:00 - 11:45 am

Encountering God: Reading Scripture Together - Board Room

Teachers: Mike Williamson, Paul Dyck

Can I get a Witness? Faith, Hope & Justice in our Communities: Sr. Singing Rm

What does God's work look like in our local and global communities?

Today the presentation will be by Randy Lepp from Thrift on Mill.

Catechism and Faith Exploration - 11am-12noon - Jr. Singing Room

Teacher - David Dyck

Easter at LUMC

Friday, April 19 - Good Friday & Communion Service - 9:45 am

The Vigil of the Final Hours

During Communion there will be a children's activity in the library.

Sunday, April 21 - Easter Sunrise Service - 6:15 am

You are all welcome to attend this special service of resurrection and hope. We will be meeting at the Faith Mennonite Church woodlot area behind the church.

Sunday, April 21 - Easter Sunday Service - 9:45 am

We celebrate the Heart of our Faith - the resurrected Christ! There will be no Sunday School or Education Hour. Children will sit with their parents.

Invitations for our Easter Services are available at the Welcome Center. They include a devotional guide that explains the meaning of Easter in our lives. Let's all consider who we would like to invite to this joyful celebration of HOPE & LIFE.

Meat Canner Leamington - April 29th – May 2nd, 2019

Please see the April Oak Street Leaves for full details

SOLI DEO GLORIA SINGERS Choral Concert

Saturday, May 4 at UMEI at 7:30 PM, **Sunday, May 5** at LUMC at 3:00 PM

Tickets: \$12 for adults, \$6 for children in advance

\$15 for adults, \$7 for children at the door

Available from Choir members, KCU or call UMEI 519 326 7449

EKMHA News ... Everyone welcome.

Friday, April 12: Annual General Meeting at the Heritage Centre at 7:00 p.m.

Saturday, May 11: Spring Dinner at UMEI at 6:00 p.m.

Speaker: Ken Neufeld, former ambassador to Afghanistan

UMEI Christian High School News ... See April Oak Street Leaves Register for the 2019/2020 School Year - There are still spaces at UMEI for the 2019/2020 school year, and we'd love to have you join us. Book a tour today by emailing abbynd@umei.ca or calling 519-326-7448.

UMEI Watermelon Open Golf Tournament - Saturday May 25 at 8:00 am at Erie Shores Golf Club. Register by May 3 to get an early bird discount - \$130/golfer. Registration between May 4-17 is \$150/golfer. Call the UMEI office at [519-326-7448](tel:519-326-7448) for more details. Register today at umei.ca/watermelon-open/

Leamington Mennonite Home News ...

Ladies Auxiliary Yard and Bake Sale - Saturday, May 4 from 8 am – Noon. The Home will pick up larger, local items on Thursday, May 2. Call Judy Ferrari at 519-326-6109 to make these arrangements. Donated baked goods will be thankfully accepted on Friday, May 3. All proceeds support the work of our ministry of eldercare.

Southwestern Ontario Gleaners News ...

Fundraising Dinner & Auction - April 13 - 5:30pm - Leamington Portuguese Club. Tickets are \$45 and are available at the SWO Gleaners or at the LUMC office. For information call 519-326-SOUP(7687).

Joys & Concerns...

Thank You ...

Thank you from the Taves & Dyck Families for all the kindness shown to us by way of phone calls, cards, and kind words of encouragement. And to all those who helped make the service so special and memorable. Your kindness will not be forgotten.

Pray For ...

Plans are underway for an exciting week of Vacation Bible School this summer. Pray for the coordinators from NLUMC, Faith Mennonite and LUMC.

Pray for our teachers and administrators in our public schools and at UMEI. They carry a heavy load of responsibility for the academic and mental health needs of their students.

Many of our college and university students are completing their studies for another year. Let's pray for them as they write exams and find work for the summer months.

Remembering Our Neighbours ...

It is good to remember that we are all part of the large Christian fellowship. This week, please pray for Calvary/St. Mary's Anglican, Pelee Island Church & their pastor Ed Healey.



Salvation Army Food Bank

Items needed in April
Pancake Mix & Syrup

Calendar of Events ...

See April, 2019 Newsletter for details

Apr 8 - Heritage Choir Practice:Heritage: 2pm

Apr 13 - Women's MCEC Enrichment Day

Apr 13 - Gleaners Fundraising Dinner

Apr 13 - Windsor Symphony at LUMC

Apr 14 - Palm Sunday

Apr 15 -Heritage Choir Practice:Heritage:2pm

Apr 19 - Good Friday/Communion Service

Apr 21 - Easter Sunrise Service - 6:15am

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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: March 31, 2019

General \$ 6,320

MCC \$ 345

Total - \$ 6,665

Coffee Fund Donations -\$38