

Welcome to Leamington United Mennonite Church Sunday, January 5, 2020, 9:45am

Speaker - Mike Williamson, Worship Leader - Zach Charbonneau

See,	Gathering Songs The Lord is King #69 Shine Jesus Shine
the former	Call to Worship Prayer of Invocation
things have	Song - The Sun has now Risen
come	Scripture Reading - Audrey Festeryga Isaiah 42:1-4, 42:5-9
to pass,	Giving our Gifts Song - The Lord is my light #97 STJ
and	Church Family Happenings Prayers of the People
new things	Song - Jesus be the centre
I now	Children's Story - Ken Tiessen
declare;	Sermon - 'A New Word'
before they	Introduction to Sunday School, Education Hour & Youth Class
spring forth,	Benediction
I tell	Coffee and Conversation
you of them.	Adult and Youth Formation - see insert for details
Isaiah 42:9	

We **Worship** a trinitarian God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit

We **Walk** in the way of Jesus, both Saviour and Lord

We **Witness** through the power and the presence of the Holy Spirit

WORSHIP AND EDUCATION

Baptism and Church Membership - On February 2 we are accepting some new members into our LUMC family. If you are interested in becoming a member of our church please let one of the pastors know and we will include you in this service.

Faith Exploration and Catechism - 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? Classes begin Sunday, January 12th and will be held during the Education hour time slot. Let the pastors know if you are interested.

Sunday School News

Sunday, January 5 - Curriculum - Escape to Egypt

Youth - Jr. Youth Parent's Meeting - Thursday, January 9 - 6pm - at LUMC

Education Hour - 11am - 11:45am - See Insert for details

1) Vintage Saints: Stories of Experiencing God

Teacher - Mike Williamson - Jr. Singing Room

2) Half Truths: God Helps Those who Help Themselves and Other Things the Bible Doesn't Say

Teacher: Erwin Tiessen- Sr. Singing Rm

3) Youth Class - Youth class in the youth room

Next German Service - Sunday, January 12 - Join in the sanctuary for a German service. The service begins immediately following Family Worship.

WALK

LUMC Annual Meeting & Potluck Lunch - Sunday, February 9

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 2019. 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 the 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 by January 17.

WITNESS

UMEI Christian High School

- **Summer Camps Coordinator** - Looking for a university student to coordinate the school's summer day camps; specifically Camp Explore U - grades 3-6 students as well as Rockets & Robotics - grades 4-8. The successful candidate will be proactive in planning and developing the 3 week-long camp programs. The position runs May 25 – July 31 and offers 30 hours/week. For details contact Sonya Bedal at principal@umei.ca.
- **Lightning Live: Grade 7&8 Shadow Day! Friday, January 17, 2020**
Calling all Grade 7 & 8 students! You are invited to experience a typical day in Grade 9 at UMEI Christian High School! Get ready for high school by shadowing interactive and fun classes with your friends! Lunch is provided. Check-in at 9:30 am and the day runs from 10:00 am - 2:30 pm. Pre-register at sarahp@umei.ca or call 519-326-7448.
NOTE: New students who register for the 2020-2021 school year by February 28th will receive a \$200 tuition credit and a free t-shirt.

Mennonite Burial Society AGM - Saturday, January 11, 2020 - 2pm, St. Catharines.

Mental Health Seminar Series - Check bulletin board for places and details.

EKMHA News

- **Travelogue:** Friday, Jan 10: The Holy Land - Hugo & Linda Tiessen - Heritage Centre - 7pm - Admission by donation
- **Super Soup Night:** Saturday, Jan 18 at UMEI at 6pm / Admission by donation.
- **EKMHA membership cards** \$15 will be available here

Leamington Mennonite Home - We continue to welcome family, friends and visitors to visit at the Home. Please continue to remember if you are feeling ill or have symptoms of flu and cold to delay your visit until you are feeling better. This will help to keep our Home outbreak free.

JOYS AND CONCERNS

Thank You ...

I would like to say a huge thank you to LUMC for the love, support and encouragement during my time doing Children's Ministry. Thank you to the children, their parents, the many volunteers, the PMT and everyone else. I felt that I was doing God's work with so many partners. We are blessed to have families who want to pass on their faith to their children. A special thank you to the children who presented the Nativity story in such an enthusiastic and joyful way on Christmas Eve! Thank you all for the Christmas cards, gifts and well wishes! I have been blessed! Frieda Lepp

Welcome

Welcome to our Guests!

We are delighted that you have joined us. We want to get to know you! In the pews are welcome cards. Fill one out and put it in the offering plate or drop it off at the Welcome Center. We've got something for everyone. Check out our children & youth programs. For any questions, visit the Welcome Center. Our people would be happy to assist you.

January Reminders

- Jan 7 - Mission Hub Meeting - 6:30pm
- Jan 9 - Jr. Youth Parent's Meeting - 6pm
- Jan 11 - Mennonite Burial Society AGM
- Jan 12 - German Service after Worship
- Jan 15 - Education Committee Meet-6:30
- Jan 16 - Faith on Tap at Crave
- Jan 17 - LUMC Annual Reports Due
- Jan 17 - Lightning Live at UMEi

Advent Scripture Reading Guide

- Monday - Matthew 2:1-12
- Tuesday - 1 Kings 10:1-13
- Wednesday - 1 Kings 10:14-25
- Thursday - Ephesians 3
- Friday - Isaiah 60
- Psalm of the Week - Psalm 72

Connecting

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Office Hours

9am-3pm Tues-Fri

Closed Monday

Morning Prayers
at LUMC

Tues - Thurs
8:45am - 9am

Thanks for
making LUMC
scent free!

Our worship service is
being recorded and
broadcast at LMH.

Offering: December 29, 2019

General \$9,937

Total - \$9,937