

**Welcome to
Leamington United Mennonite Church
June 16, 2024 9:45am**

Speaker - David Dyck Worship Leader - Victor Winter

	Prelude – Becky Harback and Louise Harback
Give thanks	
to the Lord,	Songs of Praise Praise to the Lord, the Almighty 37 WH Come People of the Risen King
for	Call to Worship Prayer of Invocation
he is good;	Gospel Song – Praise Him, Praise Him 100 VT
his love	Children’s Story
endures	Giving our Gifts Song - Speak O Lord
forever.	Church Family Happenings Prayer Song – Beautiful Things 551 VT
Let the	Prayers of the People Prayer Song – Beautiful Things 551 VT
redeemed	Scripture Reading – Acts 3:1-26, Psalm 107:1-3
of the Lord	Sermon – A Testimony - You Make Beautiful Things Out of Dust
tell their story.	Hymn of Response – And Can It Be
Psalm 107:1-2	Benediction Sending Song – Doxology Praise God from Whom 118 WH

Worship

Walk

Witness

Gratitude and Appreciation Sunday

Today we want to share our gratitude and appreciation for David. Please join us as David shares a sermon with us and leads the Levite Choir – practice begins at 8:30am Sunday morning! Following the service, we will enjoy a potluck meal together and a Sunday afternoon program. Please bring your potluck contribution and a card for David, sharing how his ministry has impacted you.

Our hosting committee will provide chicken, meatballs, buns and cake. Please bring a potato/pasta dish or a salad/vegetable dish. Potato salad, scalloped potatoes, hashbrown casserole, mashed potatoes, bean salad, coleslaw, tossed salad, a hot veggie casserole, crunchy raw veggies, mac 'n cheese, cold pasta salad, pizza casserole, pasta alfredo, a family favourite, or try something new; we can't wait to eat and fellowship together!

Prayer Gathering, Wednesdays 8:00-8:45am

We meet for 45 minutes. Everyone is welcome.

Young Adults Worship Night: Where's Your Heart?

June 22, 6:30 pm at Meadowbrook Church, for young adults aged 18-24

Canadian Foodgrains Bank – Watermelon & Rollkuchen Lunch!

June 23 we will hear from Tom Neufeld and Henry Reinders from the Canadian Foodgrains Bank during our worship service. We invite everyone to join us for a fundraising lunch of rollkuchen and watermelon from 11:30-1pm at Tiessen Acres: 1316 Mersea Road 1 in Leamington.

Thank You

Many thanks to the hosting committee for preparing and serving a wonderful time of food and fellowship last Sunday! And also, a special thank you to Nou and Tou Cha, for providing us with their delicious spring rolls, truly a labour of love for their congregation! How wonderful to see our church family enjoying each other's company over hotdogs and spring rolls.

Save the Date for our upcoming Women's Retreat!

Friday, November 8 at 5:30pm – Saturday, November 9 at 4pm, in Oxley at Holy Family Retreat House.

Carolinian Wild Church

June 16, 2024 at 4pm Harrow Mennonite Church 3167 Walker Road. An outdoor service of worship with creation with personal time for wandering and reflection. Meet behind the church. Rain or shine.
Email carolinianwildchurch@gmail.com

SUNDAY SCHOOL

This morning, **Mary Tiessen** will be doing a Children's Feature. Following that, all children, age 3-grade 8, are invited to the Sunrise Chapel for a short Bible story/activity and to make cards for David. Thank you to everyone who participated and volunteered last week—each one is important!

Children's Church and **Vacation Bible School (VBS)**: On Sunday mornings during June, July and August, all of the children will be together for "Children's Church." To sign up to volunteer, see Valerie K. or use this link: <https://tinyurl.com/lumc5>

Vacation Bible School (VBS), a joint effort of LUMC, NLUMC and FMC, will be held at LUMC July 8-12. The theme is Scuba: Diving into Friendship with God. **To volunteer**, see Valerie K. or use this link <https://tinyurl.com/learningtonvbs>

To sign up your child (those who have completed JK-grade 5), use this link <https://forms.gle/ZgKQWccJHHDY7MSH6> or this QR code.



Thanks to everyone for your support, whether in person or in prayer. Let's dive in!

NEW GEN

Sunday pickup baseball update!

We are planning to play Sunday afternoons at 2pm at the UMEI diamond, from June 23 to August 11th. Ages 16+ are welcome to play, and all ages are encouraged to come and watch! It's free to play, but we will be accepting donations at the games to help cover the costs. Any money received above the rental and insurance costs will go towards our New Gen budget to help fund more exciting events. If you are interested in more information and updates, add your information to our sign-up sheet in the lobby.

LEVITES

Calling all Singers for our Levite Choir

Save the dates: June 16, July 14 & August 18. We will meet in the sanctuary at 8:30am to learn and present new songs from the hymnal (or other sources) each time. Music unites us. All ages welcome!

Junior and Senior Youth Coordinator

A warm welcome to our newest staff member: **Sam Dyck**! Sam has been hired as the Junior and Senior Youth Coordinator at LUMC. He looks forward to working with the youth and using the skills he has acquired this year. Sam will begin his duties in September. LUMC looks forward to working with Sam!

JOYS AND CONCERNS

Thank you, David. Your pastoral leadership has blessed the membership of our church and surrounding community through the years that you've ministered to us here. We pray for God's continued hand in your life!

Essex Kent Mennonite Historical Association is rapidly approaching a crisis in lack of volunteer board members. With exciting times ahead in the area of digitization and information growth, help is needed in steering the organization into the preservation of our rich history in Essex and Kent counties. Are you able to help us preserve that rich history? Please contact Jill Nicholson, curator at info@ekmha.ca

UMEI

UMEI Graduation & Awards Ceremony is Saturday, June 22nd at 2:30pm at NLUMC. Join us in celebrating the Class of 2024 as they transition from high school students to young adult "doers of the word" in our community and beyond.

Save the Date for the **Rocket Launch and Pancake Breakfast!** On July 7, after the joint worship service at LUMC, join us for the Pancake Brunch followed by Mr. Fittler's last Rocket Launch and Robotics Demo! See student projects, our competition robots, and last year's Grade 12 Physics class launch their rockets. Fun for the whole family!

Camp ExploreU for kids entering Grades 3-6! July 29 - August 2. There are still spots in this fun-filled camp that has a little bit of everything - sports, games, arts & crafts, drama, science, photography and so much more! Register today at umei.ca/camps.

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Scripture Reading Guide June 16-22, 2024

Sunday - Mark 4: 21-34
Monday - Proverbs 10: 1-19
Tuesday - 1 Samuel 17: 1-19
Wednesday - 1 Samuel 17: 20-40
Thursday - 1 Samuel 17: 41-58
Friday - Job 38: 1-18
Saturday - Job 38: 19-41