

**Welcome to
Leamington United Mennonite Church
June 30, 2024 9:45am**

Speakers - Cathrin van Sintern-Dick, Annika van Sintern-Dick
Worship Leader - Victor Winter

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| Praise | Welcome Gathering Song – Praise the Lord, Sing Hallelujah VT 95 |
| the | Call to Worship Opening Prayer |
| Lord, | Church Family Happenings |
| my soul; | Giving our Gifts Song – Why Should I Feel Discouraged (His Eye is on the Sparrow) STJ 103 |
| all my | Children’s Story |
| inmost | Prayer Song – Be Still & Know VT 37 Prayers of the People Prayer Song – Be Still & Know VT 37 |
| being, | Scripture – Psalm 103 |
| praise | Sermon – Unravelling Life Song of Praise – 10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord, O My Soul) VT 111 |
| his holy | Sermon – Unravelling Life Song of Response – Great is Thy Faithfulness VT 419 |
| name. | Sermon – Unravelling Life Song of Response – Great is Thy Faithfulness VT 419 |
| Psalm 103:1 | Sending Prayer/Benediction Sending Song – Rain Down VT 703 |

Worship

Walk

Witness



This week we begin our summer sermon series, Summer Psalms in Stereo! We look forward to hearing from multiple voices (in stereo!) each week as we study the Psalms.

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

We meet for 45 minutes. Everyone is welcome.

July 2

The office will be closed July 2 for the Canada Day holiday and open July 3.

Friendship Circle

The Friendship Circle will be getting together on Wednesday July 3 at 10:00 in the LUMC auditorium. Come and enjoy a time of conversation, refreshments and fellowship! Bring a friend and join us.

Essex County MCEC Cluster

On Sunday, July 7, we will worship together with our Essex County Mennonite Church Eastern Canada Cluster of churches at LUMC. After the service, you are invited to the UMEI Pancake Brunch at 11:30am, with a robotics demo and Mr. Fittler's final launch following at 12:30 and 1:15pm.

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.

Canadian Foodgrains Bank

The Rollkuchen and Watermelon event at the Tiessen farm last Sunday raised \$22,400 for the Canadian Foodgrains Bank...a Christian response to hunger. Thank you to all who support this effort to reduce world hunger all year long, from our local Sunparlor Growing Project committee.

LEVITES

Calling all Singers for our Levite Choir

Save the dates: 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.



SUNDAY SCHOOL

This morning, **Ken Hildebrandt** will be leading a Children's Feature. Following that, the children will be spending time with Mary Tiessen. We are looking forward to VBS, July 8-12. The theme is Scuba: Diving into Friendship with God. There are still a few more spots if anyone else would like to register to attend. Feel free to invite others! Volunteer staff orientation will be Wednesday, July 3, at 7 pm. Thank you to everyone who is supporting this program!

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/leamingtonvbs> **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!



BASEBALL

Sunday pickup baseball!

We are playing Sunday afternoons at 2pm at the UMEI diamond, until 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.

NOTICES OF DEATH

Please keep these families in your prayers as they mourn.

Henry Penner passed away peacefully on Saturday, June 15, 2024. Beloved husband of the late Valerie (Wally) Penner and father of John (Linda), Henry (Darlene), Vern (Carole), Helga Enns (Dennis). Brother-in-law of our member Jake Lehn, and sister-in-law of Mary Penner and Teresa Penner. The funeral was held on June 20 at Reid's Funeral Home

Harold Enns passed away peacefully on Saturday June 22, 2024 at 91 years of age. Beloved husband of the late Beverly Enns (2022) and father to Scott Enns (Paula) and Laurie (Tim Kuli). Brother to John (Anita) Enns and Ron (Pat) Enns. Grandfather to Mallory Schwengsbier and Cameron Schwengsbier. A service of remembrance was held at LUMC on Thursday June 27.

JOYS AND CONCERNS

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

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.

The 8th Annual **Lightning Bolt** You are invited to an active event for the whole family, Saturday, September 21 at Point Pelee National Park! The UMEI Lightning Bolt consists of a 5k / 10k Walk or Run, a kids' 1k run and a 400m kids' dash. Registration includes free entry into the park, race shirt, awards, and door prizes. Early bird registration deadline ends September 8, visit <https://raceroster.com/events/2024/88570/8th-annual-umei-lightning-bolt> to register today!

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Scripture Reading Guide
June 30 - July 6, 2024

Sunday - Mark 5: 21-43

Monday - Isaiah 32: 1-8

Tuesday - Habakkuk 1

Wednesday - Habakkuk 2

Thursday - Habakkuk 3

Friday - Psalm 48

Saturday - 2 Corinthians 12: 1-10