

Welcome to Leamington United Mennonite Church Sunday, February 16, 2020, 9:45am

Speaker - Erwin Tiessen, Worship Leader - Randy Lepp

Gathering Songs - Come, thou Almighty King #41
Seek ye first the kingdom of God #324

Call to Worship

Scripture Reading - Ernie Brown
Acts 13:16-22, Mark 1: 9-11

Giving our Gifts
Song - Jesus shall reign #319

Parent and Child Dedication Service - Lisa Heide
Mike and Brandy Williamson with Rebekah
James and Madeleine Dyck with Jasper
Song - I was there to hear your borning cry #89 STJ

Prayers of the People
Song - Come bring your burdens to God

Children's Story - Lisa Heide

Sermon - How would we elect David as King?
Show of hands? Or secret ballot?

Song

Sending Prayer
Benediction

Coffee and Conversation – all are welcome in the foyer
Adult Education (see page 2 for details)

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

Sunday School - Sunday, February 16 - Curriculum - Building on the rock

- If you are a family visiting our church today and you have children aged 3 - Grade 8, they are welcome to join the other children when they leave the Sanctuary and go to the Sunday School wing after the Children's Story.
- The children have Sunday School until 11:45am. If you are looking for your children after the church service, they can be found either in their classrooms in the Sunday School wing or in the gym.

Youth - Friday, February 21 - Youth Event at LUMC - 6-8pm

Education Hour - 11am - 11:45am

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

WALK

Information Sheet – Please help us update our database, mailboxes and phone directory. Information Sheets are available at the Welcome Center. This will help our secretary Jane Klassen to update our records in the church office. On the back of the sheet there is an opportunity to offer feedback and indicate where you might like to be involved in the work of the church.

LUMC AFT Donations for February

Automatic Funds Transfer is available from any financial institution for donation to our church (budget or building fund). Contact the church office to set up this convenient method of donating on a regular basis. We currently have 68 families/individuals enrolled in this program.

General Fund - \$13,970, Building Fund - \$790, Church Renovations - \$25

VBS - July 6 - 10, 2020 at LUMC

DVBS preparation has started! Vacation Bible School will again be a joint effort with Faith and NLUMC. It will take place the week of July 6 - 10, 2020. Many people assume serving in VBS means they have to teach kids. Not everyone feels equipped to teach, and that's OK. There are many ways to serve in VBS: snack coordinators and servers, set builders and decoration installers, greeters, worship leaders, registration helpers, and the list goes on. Everyone has a way to use their gifts during VBS. **There is an immediate need for 1 or 2 volunteers for Leadership rolls to help with planning.** Please contact Lisa Heide for more information.

WITNESS

UMEI Christian High School - See Bulletin Board for full details

- **Early Registration for 2020/2021** - sarahp@umei.ca or call 519-326-7448 ext 4.
- **New Student Pasta Fundraiser** - Friday, Feb 21, 5-7pm Admission by donation.
- **UMEI's 75th Anniversary Alumni Coffee House - Saturday, March 7, 7:30pm**
At The Bank Theatre - Purchase tickets at UMEI, The Bank Theatre, or online.

EKMHA News - Travelogues - Heritage Centre - 7pm - Admission by donation.

- **Friday, Feb 21: Canada's East Coast by Vic and Helen Huebert**

Men's Breakfast - Saturday February 29 at 8 am

- Join us for a look at the history of Mennonite Central Committee as MCC celebrates its 100th anniversary. Discussion will be led by Kendall Harder and Marvin Dueck.

Thrift on Mill - Wednesday February 26, 1 pm to 4 pm

- Come and celebrate the retirement of our store manager, Randy Lepp.

MEDA - Friday, March 6 @ 7 pm, Faith Mennonite Church - All are invited.

- Speaker - **Catherine Sobrevega**, Deputy Country Project Manager - Myanmar

SECC Chilifest - Wed. February 26 - Leamington Portuguese Club - 11am-1:30pm

- Tickets - \$8 advance at SECC, or \$10 at the door

JOYS AND CONCERNS

Pray For ...

- Fred Neufeld, son of Agatha Neufeld underwent surgery last Saturday to insert a mechanical, artificial heart. Continue to pray for Fred and Debbie and their family.
- We want to remember our young adults in their work and their studies. This week we pray for Meagan Braun who is studying Zoology at the University of British Columbia at their Kelowna campus.
- Our youth are at Hidden Acres this morning on their final day of a retreat. Pray for them as they worship together and deepen their faith and friendships. They will be car-pooling back to Leamington this afternoon.
- Praise God! At our Annual Meeting last Sunday our Finance committee reported that we met all of our financial obligations in 2019 and ended the year with a substantial surplus. It is a blessing to partner with God's generous work in our world.
- Our Church Council meets this coming Wednesday to begin a new church year. Pray for those who are returning, John Froese, Fiona Brown, Ken Tiessen, Ken Hildebrandt and the two new council members, Cheryl Taggart and Rudy Dyck.

Notice of Death ...

- Katharina Goertzen (104), passed away on Monday, February 10. Katharina was the mother of Katie & Guenter Froese, Elfriede Schartner, and Annie Schroeder, and grandmother of Carl & Cathy Schartner. Please keep this family in your prayers.

Remembering Our Neighbours ...

- It is good to remember that we are all part of the large Christian fellowship. This week, please pray for Leamington Church (Seventh Day Adventist) and their pastor Laurentiu Prelipcian.

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.

February Reminders

- Feb 18 - LUMC Office Closed
- Feb 18 - SWO Fundraiser
- Feb 19 - Church Council Meeting
- Feb 19 - Education Committee Meeting
- Feb 20 - Faith on Tap at Crave
- Feb 21 - Youth at LUMC
- Feb 21 - UMEI Pasta Fundraiser
- Feb 21 - EKMHA Travelogue
- Feb 25 - Last Kids Club for this session
- Feb 27 - Youth - Kingsville Event
- Feb 28 - Faith on Tap at Crave

Scripture Reading Guide

- Monday:** Psalm 119:9-16; James 1:2-8
- Tuesday:** Psalm 119:9-16; James 2:1-13
- Wednesday:** Psalm 119:9-16; Proverbs 2:1-15
- Thursday:** Psalm 2; Exodus 6:2-9
- Friday:** Psalm 2; Exodus 19:9b-25
- Saturday:** Psalm 2; Mark 9:9-13

Connecting

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Office Hours

9am-3pm Tues-Fri
Closed Monday

Morning Prayers
at LUMC

Tues - 9-9:15am

Wed - 9-9:15am

Thurs - 1-1:15pm

**Thanks for
making LUMC
scent free!**

Our worship service is
being recorded and
broadcast at LMH.

Offering - February 9, 2020

General	\$ 6,792
Church Renovations	\$ 30
Meat Canner	\$ 1,130
MCC General	\$ 100
Building Fund	\$ 600
Total	-\$8,652
Sunday School	-\$27.50