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www.commonword.ca/go/133.

Mennonite Church Canada PrayerNet: Todd and Jeanette Hanson are long-term Mennonite Church Canada workers in China with their daughters Claire and Kate. In addition to Todd's English teaching ministry, and Jeanette's networking with Chinese church leaders, the Hansons conduct much of the in-country administration for Mennonite ministry through our partner Mennonite Partners in China. Pray for energy and wisdom for this work.

New in 2015: **Mennonite World Conference's Assembly** (July 21-26) will feature small groups! These multicultural groups will meet daily for conversation and prayer as we get to know our Mennonite brothers and sisters around the world. Find out more or give to the world scholarship fund at mwc-cmm.org/pa2015.

WIDER COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

- * **End of Life Discussions** at Gloria Dei Lutheran Church, 637 Buckingham Rd. Discussions on: *Legal Considerations: Wills; Power of Attorney; Medical Directives; Executors*. Tue., Apr. 21, 7:30 pm. *Grief Counselling and Conflict Resolution*, Mon., May 25, 7:30 pm.
- * Young United Church Coffee House presents two '**Old Tyme Radio Dramas**': *Colony* by Philip Dick and *Little Nell* by Jock Warriner. Fri., Apr. 24, 7:30 pm (doors open 7 pm). Tickets at the door: \$10, students \$5.
- * **Crisis Pregnancy Centre Spring Dinner:** May 8, 6:30 pm (mingling 6 pm); North Kildonan Mennonite Brethren Church. Call 204-772-1923; \$30/ticket. Reserve by May 5.
- * **Charleswood United Church Men's Dinner:** Wed., May 20, 6:30 pm. See poster for details.
- * **Gala of Hope Dinner** in support of Dignity House, helping sexually exploited women find hope, faith, love and dignity. Sat., May 30, 6:00 pm. See poster.

John's Office Hours: Tue-Fri mornings
 Jeff's Office Hours: Tue-Thur 9:00 am-2:00 pm
 Anita's Office Hours: Thur & Fri mornings

Please submit announcements/order of worship to Anita by **Thursday** morning at cwoodmc@mymts.net or 204-837-7982.

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CHARLESWOOD MENNONITE CHURCH

April 19, 2015

Education Hour 9:30

English Worship Service 10:45 am | Korean Worship Service 1:30 pm

Worship Leader: John Braun

Speaker: Paul Dyck

Song Leader: Bob Wiebe

Pianist: Verna Wiebe

Ushers: James & LeAnn Friesen & Family

Taste and See That the Lord is Good

Sisters and Brothers Let us Unite to Worship

Welcome
 Introductions
 Gathering Song

For indeed our Life-giving God is Great

Call to Worship
 Song of Praise

A Holy God who knows our Sins and Failures

Confession
 Song

A Forgiving God who pardons and encourages

Hearing
 Words of Assurance
 Song

A God who accompanies us through thick and thin

Story
 Song

A God known to us in ever new ways

Sermon
 Song

Therefore let us follow where our God leads

Sharing and Prayer
 Offering
 Song

Let us go on our way with joy

Announcements
 Benediction
 Sending Song

~ Please return hymnbooks to the shelves at the back of the sanctuary. Thank you. ~

Afternoon service: **Worship Leader:** Paul Kang
Song Leader: Sarah Bae

Speaker: John Braun
Pianist: SuBin Bae

THIS WEEK

- **Mon, 7:00 pm – All Prayer Shawl Crafters** are invited to gather at the home of SoYoun Han (130 Georgetown Dr; 204-219-6796). New knitters and crocheters are always welcome.
- **Sat, 9:30 am – The Trailblazers, Youth & Young Adults will meet for a joint breakfast and visiting time.** We will have our usual meal together.

UP-COMING EVENTS

- **NEXT SUNDAY, 9:30 am** – Catechism Class (John's office)
- **May 3 (Sun), 12:00 noon – Fellowship Potluck Lunch.** Families with last names beginning with:

A-I: Please bring a Salad

J-Z: Please bring a Sandwiches/Finger Foods

All: Dessert

Generous servings are appreciated. This enables us to invite everyone to stay, whether they have remembered food or not.

Group 5 is in charge of Set-up/Clean up (listed below & back of directory). If you are unable to be there, please a replacement.

Braun, John & Velma
Braun-Janzen, Colleen & Rick
Dirks, Doris & Otto
Dirks, Steven
Dueck, Janice & Friesen, Milton
Dyck, Hank & Ruth
Enns, Linda & Janzen, Gordon
Friesen, Bev & Cal
Friesen, Henry & Laura
Friesen, David & Seralyn
Hiebert, Eduard
Klassen, Jill

Klassen-Wiebe, Megan
Kwon, YoungWoo & Lee, YoungHee
Lee, Dongyong & Jinsun
Loewen Rudgers, Erna & Larry
Neufeld, Andrea & Justin
Neufeld, Doris
Neufeld, Doreen & Elmer
Peters, Kimberley
Smith, Michael & Val
Thiessen, Julia
Thiessen, Alvin & Shirley
Wiebe, Len & Phyllis

- **May 5 (Tue), 12:00 noon - Ladies' Lunch Out** at The Wood's Bistro (Unit 1 - 6500 Roblin Blvd. Call Marlene (204-895-7686) or Wendy (204-896-5057) to tell them you plan to be there! All ages welcome.
- **May 30-31** – Church Retreat at Camp Assiniboia

CHURCH FAMILY NOTES

Sympathy Notes:

- * **Margaret Loewen**, the mother of Les Loewen, has passed away Monday, April 13. The funeral took place at Altona Bergthaler Mennonite Church yesterday. We wish the Les, Deb, Amber and Dustin the comfort of the Holy Spirit.
- * **Harvey Zacharias**, the brother of Al Zacharias, died this past Monday, April 13. The funeral will take place Wednesday, April 22 at Altona Bergthaler Mennonite Church. We wish Al the nearness of God.

Church Library News:

- * Some of the unused or damaged books have been culled from our library in the last few weeks. Discarded books are available on the table outside the library for anyone to pick up. The remainder will be recycled or donated to thrift shops.
- * A summary of the results of a library survey done this spring is posted on the library wall. See Ron Dueck for more information.

POWER of CHANGE: Next Sunday is the last Sunday of the month. Bethel Mennonite Church had an unusual offering last month. Let's be competitive this month. Global Family will benefit. Thanks.

Looking to sublet for May 1! A two-bedroom apartment; \$1018/mo. You pay hydro (~\$20/mo). If interested, contact **Kris or Susie Guenther Loewen** or caretaker at 204-488-8463; <http://www.sussexrealty.ca/ViewListing.asp?ListingID=4842>

Financial Update as of March 31, 2015	Income	Expenses	Difference
Actual to date	82,612	107,793	- 25,181
Budget to date	98,284	101,366	- 3,082
Difference	- 15,672	6,427	- 22,099
Annual Budget	386,904	386,904	0

(NOTE: Data includes both General and Building Fund income and expenses)

YOUTH Announcements

YOUTH, YOUNG ADULTS & TRAILBLAZERS will have brunch together this Saturday, 9:30 am.

CAMPS WITH MEANING (895-CAMP or www.campswithmeaning.org)

- * Camps with Meaning still looking for summer support staff. Health officer for Camp Moose Lake: June 15-19, Camp Koinonia: August 3-8, Camp Assiniboia: Aug 3-8; kitchen help/maintenance help: numerous weeks still available at all three camps. Call Eva at the office for more info.
- * **Camp Moose Lake Spring Workday:** May 8-9. Call Scott (204-437-2091, email mooselake@campswithmeaning.org by May 4 if you would like to participate.
- * **Camp Assiniboia 7th Annual Mother's Day Fundraising Lunch:** Sun., May 10, 12:00. Choose between an Indoor Banquet: \$15 adults, \$5 children (5-10 yrs) or an Outdoor BBQ: \$12 adults, \$5 children (5-10 yrs). Dinner Music featuring Paul Dueck on Paraguayan Harp. For reservations call Camp Assiniboia at 204-864-2159 ext 104. If you are unable to attend, your donations are still welcome.
- * **Birding Retreat:** Camp Moose Lake, May 29-31. Registration information can be found at www.campswithmeaning.org/retreat or call 204-895-2267.
- * Campership assistance from the Dale Heinrichs Memorial Fund is available for Camp Koinonia campers. Contact the Camps office at 204-895-2267 for info.

MENNONITE CHURCH MANITOBA/CANADA & COMMUNITY

Counselling for children, adolescents, and their families is now available with experienced clinicians at **Recovery of Hope**. To learn more, call 204-477-4673 or visit www.edenhealthcare.ca.

Mennonite Economic Development Associates Lunch (MEDA): “A Peek into the Pipeline” with Wally Kroeker & Bob Kroeker. What’s the latest at MEDA? Thur., Apr. 30 at 12:00 noon at Bergmann’s on Lombard. RSVP by Apr. 23 to Brent Kroeker (brent.kroeker@investorsgroup.com or 204-943-6828). \$20, payable at the event. For more information visit www.meda.org/winnipeg.

Faith and Life Choirs Spring Concert: May 2, 7 pm at Bethel Mennonite Church.

Bethania Mennonite Personal Care Home Spring Tea: Sun., May 3, 2:00 pm. 1045 Concordia Ave. Join us for worship & fellowship

CANADIAN MENNONITE UNIVERSITY (www.cmu.ca)

- * CMU invites inquiries and applications for the full-time salaried position of **Groundskeeper/Volunteer Coordinator**; full-time seasonal position from May 1-Sept 30. Applications should be submitted immediately and will be accepted until this position is filled. Direct inquiries to Dianna Robson, Director of Human Resources at drobson@cmu.ca.
- * **CMU Choir & Bands Spring Choral Concert:** Apr. 25, 7:00 pm, Loewen Athletic Centre, 500 Shaftesbury Blvd. Note start time updated from 7:30 to 7 pm.
- * **Pilgrim Year Concert & Day Conference** with Steve Bell: May 8-9, CMU Chapel. Explore the tradition and spirituality of the Christian calendar year alongside ancient psalms and prayers, and corporate worship based on Is. 6:1-9. Concert: May 8, 7:30 pm; Day Conference: May 9, 8:30 am-4:00 pm. Registration: pilgrimyear.stevebell.com.
- * It’s not too late to come and learn about youth activism, human rights, women & peacebuilding, train the trainer, indigenous peacebuilding, peace psychology, and theological questions regarding justice at the **Canadian School of Peacebuilding**, June 15-19 & 22-26. More info at csop.cmu.ca or by e-mailing csop@cmu.ca.
- * **CMU Blazers Summer Sports Camps 2015!** Aug 10-14 Youth (grades 9-10) volleyball and basketball camps; Aug 17-21 Junior (grades 5-8) soccer, Junior & Youth ultimate (grades 7-10), and Junior High (grades 6-8) volleyball and basketball camps. Visit athletics.cmu.ca; 204-487-3300; sportscamps@cmu.ca.
- * **Deep Down on the Edge Study Tour** to United Kingdom led by Irma Fast Dueck, Aug 19-Sept 2, 2015. The study tour will explore wild, physical, social and theological Christian landscapes in Great Britain including the Isle of Iona in Scotland (iona.org.uk/island-centres/) and the Greenbelt Christian Arts Festival in England (greenbelt.org.uk/). This tour available for both Undergraduate & Graduate course credit. For details visit: cmu.ca/academics.php?s=deepdown or contact Irma Fast Dueck (ifdueck@cmu.ca). Only a few spaces left so apply soon!

WESTGATE MENNONITE COLLEGIATE (86 West Gate; 204-775-7111)

- * **Westgate Senior High Musical, *The Music Man*** by Meredith Willson: Apr. 30 to May 2, 7:30 pm at Tec Voc Theatre (Wall Street & Notre Dame). Contact Edith Epp (204-775-7111; epp@westmennonite.ca). Tickets: Premium \$20 (rows 2-7)/General \$12.
- * **Westgate Spring Bursary Banquet:** May 5, Canad Inns (Polo Park). Support our broader Westgate community and enjoy an evening of fine food, warm fellowship and inspiring entertainment by Westgate’s concert choir and band. Ticket-less event. Please RSVP to Edith Epp at 204-775-7111; epp@westgatemennonite.ca.

MCC - MENNONITE CENTRAL COMMITTEE MANITOBA/CANADA

- * **Sargent MCC Thrift Shop:** The Executive is pleased to announce that Laura Dyck (Home Street Menn Church) has been hired as new manager beginning May 11 and Wendy Giesbrecht (Fort Garry Menn Fellowship) has been hired as the assistant manager and has begun her assignment.
- * **MCC’s Annual SpringFest:** May 22-24 at 134 Plaza Dr. Come on out for the Plant Sale, Quilt Show & Sale, BBQ, Walkathon, and a come-and-go Sunday lunch (lunch held at Fort Garry MB Church).
 - MCC Manitoba’s annual **Plant Sale:** May 22-23. We need everything from bedding plants to flowers, vegetables, herbs, perennials and landscaping plants. Contact Ron Dueck 204-896-5057 or e-mail ronwendy@mymts.net for info.
 - **Attention quilters!** MCC Quilt Show & Sale is looking for quilts to showcase on May 22-24. Deadline for quilt registrations: May 15. Phone Sophia at 204-261-6381 or register online at mccmanitoba.ca/quiltshow.
 - **Walkathon:** Bring your whole family to MCC Manitoba’s Annual Walkathon, May 23, in support of education programs in Uganda! Meet at 134 Plaza Dr at 9:00 am and join the walk through St. Vital Park. Pledge forms available at MCC offices and online at mccmanitoba.ca/springfest.
- * **Sam’s Place Event:** What are people in Manitoba doing to fight racism against Indigenous people? What can you do? Hear from artist KC Adams who is behind the "Perceptions" project and Staff Sargent Bob Christmas of the Winnipeg Police Service as well as MCC Manitoba staff. Tue., Apr. 21, 7:30 pm. For further info contact StevePlenert@mennonitecc.ca or call 204-925-1918.
- * MCC Canada welcomes applications for **Eastern Canada Coordinator**. Contact Maria Figueroa by email at mariafigueroa@mennonitecc.ca with a cover letter and résumé by May 1. View the complete description at <http://content.mcc.org/get-involved/serve/openings/mcc-eastern-canada-coordinator>.
- * **Cycle Clear Lake:** Enjoy a beautiful trail ride in Riding Mountain National Park in support of MCC’s food security work in Lebanon. Sat., July 4. Registration deadline: June 16. Register online at mccmanitoba.ca/cycleclearlake or phone Reinhold at 204-729-8335.
- * **MCC Golf Tournament:** 13th Annual: July 8. This event has sold out for the past 10 years, so don’t miss out! Register today to secure your spot. Early-bird: June 12. Register online at mccmanitoba.ca/golf or call 204-261-6381.