



Sunday, August 16, 2026

10 am

Worship Leader – Lindsey Ecker

Speaker – Chris Hutton

*With voice and heart we worship God together at NLUMC.
We strive to be a welcoming community who live our faith
in active and practical ways of discipleship and service.*

Order of Worship

Welcome and Announcements

Lighting of the Justice and Peace candle

STJ #96 I'm Pressing on the Upward Way

VT #282 Come and See (3 verses)

Call to worship

Children's time

Offering and Prayer

Scripture - Philippians 3

Message - Think Different 3:

VT #570, When We Walk With The Lord

Sharing time and prayer

VT #837 Lead Me Forth

Benediction

Please bring your own coffee to enjoy on Sunday for the Summer

Church Life . . .

◆ **Next Sunday, August 23**, join us for worship at 10 am when Chani Wiens leads worship and Chris Hutton brings the message.

◆ Giving to NLUMC. Donations are accepted by:

- 1) Automatic transfers – contact Gwyneth;
 - 2) E-transfer – email treasurer@nlumc.com - include member # in message;
 - 3) Offering plate on Sunday morning
- ▶ Your donations help to support the work of our church - both, in our building and in our community!
- ▶ Your donations to NLUMC can also be offered through Abundance Canada if your family is setting up a Gifting Fund through charitable stocks and bonds in-kind. Visit <https://abundance.ca>
- ▶ Contact Gwyneth Howell, office@nlumc.com; or Joel Epp, treasurer@nlumc.com with any questions.
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Community/Conference Events . . .

◆ Blessings at Sunset - Carolinian Wild Church

Worship outdoors with creation and people who are seeking restorative solitude and community. Meeting at Northwest Beach Point Pelee Park **August 16, 7:30 pm**, free admission, call Ruth Boehm 519-990-2869.

◆ Leamington Mennonite Home News

The Leamington Mennonite Home (LMH) is hiring! If you or someone that you would recommend is interested please see the current job posting:

Dietary Aide (Part-Time, Permanent), Dietary Aides play an important role in supporting residents' health, comfort, and quality of life by assisting with meal preparation, service, and sanitation. Working alongside a dedicated team, you'll help create a welcoming dining experience while ensuring residents receive safe and nutritious meals.

More details and to apply online:

ca.indeed.com/job/dietary-aide-3ce47a5832b0e1f1

Or apply directly by sending your resume to:

info@mennonitehome.ca

◆ ALPHA at The Salvation Army Leamington Community Church and Community and Family Services

Weekly on Thursdays from beginning **September 3 through to November 5, 2026**, Alpha, a welcoming, 10-week course designed to create a safe and open space where people can explore life's biggest questions and the basics of the Christian faith, will be taking place at **2:00pm at The Salvation Army Leamington Community Church and Community and Family Services located at 88 Settrington Street, Leamington, ON**. Through engaging video content and honest, judgment-free conversation, Alpha invites participants to share their thoughts, ask questions, and discover who Jesus is in a real and meaningful way. Additional Holy Spirit Mid-Week Session: Wednesday, October 14, 2026 at 2:00 pm

◆ UMEI Christian High School News

It's that time again, the UMEI Lightning Bolt is back! Join us as we celebrate the 10th Anniversary of this fun, active event for the whole family on **Saturday, September 26th** at Point Pelee National Park. Choose from a 5K or 10K Walk/Run, a 1K Kids' Run, or a 400 m Kids' Dash. Registration includes park admission, a race shirt, awards, and door prizes. The early bird registration deadline is **September 10th**. Register today at:

<https://raceroster.com/events/2026/114582/10th-annual-umei-lightning-bolt>

Thought for the Day

“But whatever were gains to me I now consider loss for the sake of Christ. What is more, I consider everything a loss because of the surpassing worth of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord, for whose sake I have lost all things.”

Philippians 2:5-11

Prayer List . . .

Neighbouring Congregation — Today, in our cycle of prayer, we are remembering **Deer Run Church** and their pastors Ike Unger, Peter Klassen, Quentin Unger, Annie Bergen, Jona Neufeld.

To view more information from MCEC go to [News & Events - Mennonite Church Eastern Canada \(mcec.ca\)](#)

Missions — see Mennonite Central Committee (MCC) for giving opportunities, www.mcc.org

Connect . . .

- Check out our church website at nlumc.com, including YouTube videos of our past services.
 - Watch our Sunday morning service via YouTube livestream at <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCCdn1sLuXDZYqHsEyd92k0g/featured>
 - Get updates on our ministries by joining our Facebook group.
 - See photos of what we are doing on our Instagram page.
 - Contact the church office, pastor or Council members for information.
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Care . . .

If you are aware of any crisis needs or visitation needs within our community of faith, please contact the church office or Terri Hamm, Caregiving Team chairperson, terriynnhamm@gmail.com.

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Summer Office hours: Tuesday – Friday, 9 am – 12 pm.