

# Sunday, July 1, 2018

Worship Service – 10 am

Worship Leader: Marla Dault Speaker: Alicia Good

Growing relationships, in Christ. NLUMC Vision Statement, 2011

# **Order of Worship**

Welcome HWB #1, What is this place Opening and prayer HWB #420, Heart with loving heart united Children's feature Offering with HWB #120, Holy, holy, holy! Scripture reading — Romans 13:1-10 Message — The Bible is in the News HWB #226, You are salt for the earth Sharing time and pastoral prayer HWB #322, For we are strangers no more Blessing

Please join us for coffee and fellowship after the worship service.

#### Next Sunday, July 8 —

**UMEI Pancake Breakfast & Worship Service.** Join UMEI for a delicious outdoor pancake breakfast from 8:30-9:45 am with an outdoor worship service to follow at 10 am, weather permitting. Admission is by donation. There will not be a worship service at NLUMC on July 8.

# Church Life . . .

◆ *Shipwrecked* Vacation Bible School, LUMC, July 9 - 13. For children moving into Grades JK - 6. Register at www.lumc.ca. Hosted by NLUMC, Faith and LUMC. Looking for adult volunteers to lead the JK, SK, and Gr. 2 classes. No prep needed. Leaders guide children through the activities. Please see June DeVries if you can help.

◆ Friday Fellowship at the Roma Club. People of all ages who are part of NLUMC (and friends) are invited to the Roma Club, 19 Seacliff Drive,

East, Leamington, to purchase your own pizza and have a chance to connect with your friends the fourth Friday of the month, from June through September, continuing **Friday**, **July 27**, at 6 pm. No RSVP is needed, just show up!

◆ **Sound Equipment.** NLUMC has some used sound equipment available. Please contact Justin Neufeld for a complete list or to purchase an item(s). A complete list is also on the bulletin board in the foyer. If there is no interest, we will advertise to the larger community.

◆ Extra Supplies are available from the church picnic. We have three boxes of assorted chips, frozen hotdog buns and some pop leftover from the church picnic. If you are interested in purchasing some of these items, please contact June DeVries.

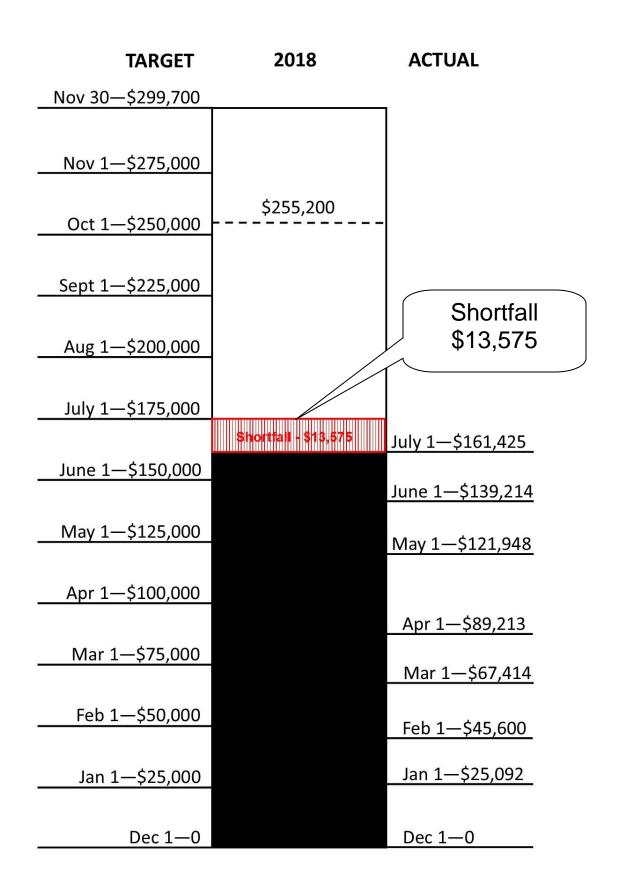
#### When you are on holidays remember "God goes with us!"

On a weekend get-away, a stay-cation, or an extended excursion, God goes with us! While camping, driving, sailing, flying, cruising, hiking or biking, God goes with us! This summer our church is launching our first social media campaign. Add this hashtag to your travel photos: #godgoeswithus Take a selfie photo of your family or group making the sign of a cross and share the photo on our North Leamington United Mennonite Church Facebook page. Pick up a rock to bring home (but not from a National/Provincial Park) and on Education Sunday, September 9, we will build a cairn of rocks from our collective journeys as a reminder of God's faithfulness on our journeys.

## Donations to NLUMC

Setting up an automatic transfer is a convenient way to make regular donations to the church. If you would like to participate in this program, please stop in at the church office to complete the necessary paperwork and provide a void cheque. These donations will be processed on the 15<sup>th</sup> of each month. Please contact Susan Klassen at the church office or the treasurer, Louise Neufeld, treasurer@nlumnc.com, if you have any questions.

◆ Budget Update, December 1, 2017 – June 30, 2018 (58.33% of year) \$161,424.87 (53.9%) of our \$299,700 unified church budget has been donated to date. Give prayerfully, joyfully and generously as God has given to you.



#### The church office will be closed Tuesday, July 3 for the Canada Day holiday.

We will re-open on Wednesday, July 4 with summer hours 9 am – 12 noon.

## **Community/Conference Events ...** • UMEI Christian High School News

► Pancake Breakfast & Worship Service – Sunday, July 8. Join us for a delicious pancake breakfast from 8:30-9:45 am with a worship service to follow at 10 am. Admission is by donation.

► Camp Explore U - A fun filled day camp with activities like basketball, science, cooking, water games, and much more, July 16 - 20, 9 am – 3 pm for grades 3-6 (entering September 2018), co-ed. Cost: \$100 and \$85 for each subsequent sibling, includes t-shirt and two daily snacks.

► Rockets & Robotics - Rockets & Robotics is a hands-on science camp for students who are passionate about building and programming robots and learning the physics behind rocket design and launching, July 16 - 20 for grades 7-8 (entering September 2018) has limited spaces available and July 23 - 27 for grades 4-6 (entering September 2018) is full; 9 am – 3 pm. Cost: \$300, includes t-shirt and rocket materials. For more information and to register for either of these camps, visit umei.ca/camps.

▶ Join us for UMEI's 7<sup>th</sup> annual Surf & Turf event Friday, August 10 at Mastronardi Estate Winery in Kingsville. Appetizers at 6 pm followed by dinner, silent auction and entertainment. Tickets are available for \$125 and must be purchased by August 1. Vegetarian and other dietary meal options available upon request by August 1. For more information or to get your tickets, contact Bonnie Jadischke, Caroline Hamm-Driedger or the UMEI office at 519-326-7448. Tickets are also available for purchase online by going to www.umei.ca. Proceeds this year will help us "pave the way" at UMEI.
 ▶ Save-the-Date — The UMEI Lightning Bolt. On Saturday, September 22 at 9 am, UMEI will host the second annual 5/10 K Run, 5 K walk and 1 K Kid's Dash at Point Pelee National Park. Registration online at raceroster.com. Register now for an early bird discount!

The Abner Martin Music Scholarship (\$4,000 value last year) is awarded annually by Menno Singers to one student who:
1) will be enrolled in a full-time music major or minor program at the

undergraduate or graduate level in 2018-19;

2) is affiliated with an MCEC congregation;

3) has demonstrated involvement and proficiency in musical activities in church and community. Application deadline is September 15, 2018. For more information and/or an application form contact Lewis Brubacher at lbrubacher@sympatico.ca.

## Employment Opportunities

► The Leamington Mennonite Home invites more applications for the parttime Activity Helper position which has enriched the lives of our seniors and the youth who provide assistance. This position should be of interest to young people who enjoy interaction with the elderly. Interested applicants should submit their resumes by July 3 to Judy Ferrari, judy@mennonitehome.ca or Linda Tiessen, lindatiessen@mennonitehome.ca.

► It's Not Too Late to join the Hidden Acres Mennonite Camp summer staff team. We still need a few young people to serve in an exciting and meaningful role for a few weeks or the whole summer. If you or someone you

know is interested, please contact the camp for more information, 519-625-8602, chrispot@hiddenacres.ca, hiddenacres.ca

#### See bulletin board for the following . . .

- Mennonite Disaster Service, June 20 update
- Summer Student Lunch Program, United Way

#### See brochure rack for the following . . .

- Essex-Kent Mennonite Historical Association Historian, Summer 2018
- Mennonite Historian, June 2018
- The Blazer, Canadian Mennonite University, Spring 2018

#### **Photography and Media Policy**

North Leamington United Mennonite Church (NLUMC) takes photographs/videos of participants at various church services and events. NLUMC may use any photos/videos taken from any service and events for promoting, publicizing or explaining NLUMC and its activities in the form of print, broadcast, website and social media, or in any manner deemed appropriate without prior notification to the participants. Photos could be used in these public forums without consideration and/or compensation.

If church members/or participants consent to the use of their photo/or their child's photo to be included in any church broadcasts, they are asked to contact the church office and sign the appropriate Photography and Media Consent Form. The NLUMC Photography and Media Policy has been implemented to inform church participants that NLUMC is committed to a safe environment for all.

# Youth . .

Stay in touch for upcoming events.

# Prayer List . . .

**Neighbouring Congregation** — Today area churches are praying for First Baptist Church and their pastors; Michael Sealy and Jason Peasley.

Congratulations to Andrew & Jennifer M<sup>c</sup>Keown on the birth of their second child, *Ephraim Thomas M<sup>c</sup>Keown*, born on Saturday, June 23, 2018. Thankful grandparents are Harold & Susan Klassen and great-grandparents Walter & Lydia Warkentin.

Our prayers go out to the family of John Dick, husband of Erna and father of Kevin & Carmen Dick and Virginia Stevenson, who passed away Tuesday,

June 26, 2018. The funeral was held on Friday, June 29 at Reid Funeral Home, Leamington.

All are invited to an Open House celebrating the 90<sup>th</sup> birthday of *Irene Froese* on Sunday, July 8, 2 - 3:30 pm, at the J.C. Neufeld Place of Fellowship at the Leamington Mennonite Home. Best wishes only.

Please pray for Peter (& Marie) Epp who is slowly recovering.

Please remember to pray for all those experiencing physical or mental illnesses and the people who support them.

We invite you to let the church office know of any requests for visitation you might have by calling or emailing the church office, 519-326-7928 or office@nlumc.com, Tuesday, 9 am through Friday, 3 pm. In case of emergency, contact Pastor Alicia at 519-819-3772, Pastor Charleen at 519-457-8308 or Pastor Kendall at 519-643-8308.

#### Pastors