

# Sunday, June 3, 2018

Worship Service – 10 am

Worship Leader: Sandra Warkentin Speaker: Alicia Good

Growing relationships, in Christ.

NLUMC Vision Statement, 2011

# **Order of Worship**

Thelma & Bertha return Hymn #1, *What is this place* Call to worship & gathering prayer Announcements Children's prayer Worship music — *In Paradisum* from Fauré's Requium Offering & hymn #89, *For the beauty of the earth* Scripture reading — 2 Corinthians 4:1-12 Message — Broken and Beautiful STS #115, *Beauty for brokenness* Congregational sharing and prayer Hymn #420, *Heart with loving heart united* Words of blessing

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

#### Next Sunday, June 10 —

— 10 am, Outdoor worship service and church picnic, weather permitting. Pastor Charleen will bring the message: God loves the Sparrow.

— 11 am, lunch. We are asking the congregation to bring a dessert or fruit tray to feed 10 people. We are having special guests attending our picnic. Some may have two legs, some may have four legs and some may have no legs. Children please bring friends to join us. Donations will be accepted to support SECC and The Bridge.

# Church Life . . .

♦ Welcome Home Fiesta is rescheduled to Saturday, June 9, 6:30 pm at the home of Fred & Linda Driedger. If you are a busy millennial looking to relax and connect with friends, this event is for you. Come enjoy Mexican food around the campfire. Please contact Pastor Alicia to RSVP.

### ♦ Father's Day, Sunday, June 17

► We will be celebrating the **dedication of children** at NLUMC. If you would like to participate in child dedication, please contact the church office at office@nlumc.com or 519-326-7928.

► The **Sunday School invites fathers** to join their children during Sunday School time. We will have a Sidewalk Drawing contest and just a special time for all.

#### ♦ Shipwrecked Vacation Bible School, LUMC, July 9 - 13. Go to

https://vbspro.events/p/events/dvbs2018 or www.lumc.ca and click on the shipwrecked logo to register. Lots of volunteers are needed. For information, contact June DeVries.

► Music CD's of the DVBS songs will be available for \$10 each. If you would like to pre-order a CD of the DVBS music, please contact the church office at office@nlumc.com or 519-326-7928.

► Would you have any of the following items that you would be willing to lend to DVBS for that week? Artificial tropical plants, old suitcases, or wooden crates, or a treasure box, stuffed toy animals/birds – we are looking for parrots, leopards, lizards, iguanas, sloths, and stingrays and small anchor, or boat oars are all needed. If you have any of these, please label everything clearly with your name, and leave at the church office. For more information on decorating items, please contact Judy Koop.

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

♦ 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, starting Friday, June 22, at 6 pm. No RSVP is needed, just show up!

◆ **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 if you have any questions.

♦ Budget Update, December 1, 2017 – May 31, 2018 (50% of year)
\$139,213.55 (47.5%) of our \$299,700 unified church budget has been donated to date. Give prayerfully, joyfully and generously as God has given to you.

# **Community/Conference Events...**

- ♦ Heritage Choir News
- ► Spring Program, Sunday, June 3, 7 pm at the Heritage Center.
- ► Choir practice, Monday, June 4, 2:30 pm at the Learnington Mennonite Home.

Essex Kent Mennonite Historical Association News Annual Membership Meeting, Friday, June 8 at 7 pm at the Heritage Centre. Coffee and dessert to follow. All are welcome!

# ♦ UMEI Christian High School News

► Graduation and Alumni Banquet, Saturday, June 23. Come and join in the celebration of the Class of 2018 and a reunion for the Class of 1968, 1993, 2008 and 2013. Refreshments and pictures at 6 pm, dinner served at 6:30 pm. Please call 519-326-7448 or email office@umei.ca to reserve your ticket by Monday, June 4. Cost is \$30/person.

Graduation Ceremony. Everyone is welcome to join the staff and students at the Graduation Ceremony on Sunday, June 24 at 2:30 pm at LUMC,
 78 Oak Street East, Leamington. Refreshments to follow.

► Camp Explore U - July 16 - 20

► Rockets & Robotics July 16 - 20 for grades 7-8,

July 23 - 27 for grades 4-6. For more information on Camp Explore U and Rockets & Robotics, or registration, visit umei.ca/camps.

# Learnington Mennonite Home News

**Home Visiting.** With the nice weather beginning, families and visitors are invited to visit residents on the various terraces or in the park. Please contact the registered staff when taking residents for visits in these areas or for a walk outside. A sweater or jacket for residents is recommended when going outside.

◆ Meat Canner Leamington, 19<sup>th</sup> Annual Canning Project. We are still short \$8,000 to cover the cost of canning. Please consider making a donation at a participating Church or to the Meat Canner Leamington Fund at Kindred Credit Union. Thank you for your continued support.

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

- Mennonite Disaster Service, May 23 update
- Mexico Cultural Celebration, July 18, LUMC

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

- The Marketplace, MEDA, May June 2018
- Breaking Bread, Canadian Foodgrains Bank, Spring 2018
- Grebel Now, Spring 2018

# Youth . . .

#### Cancelled - Team building and ropes at Gesstwood camp.

Friday, June 29, Summer wrap-up pool party is in need of a pool. Please contact Pastor Alicia if you are available to host.

#### **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.

# Prayer List . . .

**Neighbouring Congregation** — Today area churches are praying for Learnington United Church and their pastor Paul Rodey.

Please pray for John & Susan Kroeker as their stepmother, Justina Kroeker, passed away Sunday, May 27. They are relatives of Marge Friesen.

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.

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