

Sunday, March 7, 2021 Third Sunday of Lent

Please look to the Website, the Facebook group and your email inbox for any updates as well as the weekly online bulletin. If you know of someone from our congregation who does not have access to the internet and is socially isolated, please let the pastors know so that contact can be established.

Growing relationships, in Christ.

NLUMC Vision Statement

Order of Worship

Changing Sky

Prelude Announcement slides Welcome Land acknowledgement Other announcements VT #691, How Long, O Lord Call to worship VT #419, Great Is Thy Faithfulness Children's feature Prayer of confession and assurance Offering with VT #1016 VT #182, I Sing the Mighty Power of God Scripture reading — 1 Corinthians 1:18-25 Message Response ritual VT #49, All Who Are Thirsty Sending blessing Sharing and congregational prayer Benediction

Church Life . . .

♦ Jr. Youth! Connect, Jr.

Each Tuesday at 7 pm on Zoom for approximately 30-45 minutes - Connect with other Junior Youth and Pastor Charleen.

- a little fun (Whacky Auction, Scribl.io, Charades, and more)
- a little spiritual connection
- sending off with a bedtime prayer.
- RSVP to <u>charleen@nlumc.com</u> appreciated, but not required

The link will be posted on Facebook, Instagram and in the church email. Parents, we thank you in advance for helping your kids stay connected with the church, even in these strange virtual times. Developmentally, junior youth are ready to connect in deeper and new ways with God and the church. We can be a part of that spiritual growth each Tuesday, from January 19 - March 9 (8 weeks). At Spring Break we will re-evaluate.

- ♦ Sr. Youth! Virtual coffee time! Each Tuesday at 8 pm on Zoom for approximately half hour Join your North Church friends and Pastor Alicia to touch base about school stuff, and life! See you then! Please contact the church or Pastor Alicia if you need help with the Zoom link.
- ♦ **Prayer Time** each Wednesday evening 6:30 7 pm on Zoom.
- ♦ Financial Donations needed toward our 2021 operating budget
 - 1) Automatic transfers contact church office.
 - 2) E-transfer email treasurer@nlumc.com include donation # in the message.
 - 3) Leave donation in the nightly drop box at Kindred Credit Union labelled NLUMC. Please include your donation #.
 - 4) Mail donation to church address.

Contact office@nlumc.com or treasurer@nlumc.com with any questions.

Looking Ahead —
 Sunday, March 28 – Palm Sunday
 Friday, April 2 – Good Friday & Communion
 Sunday, April 4 – Easter Sunday

Community/Conference Events...

♦ Leamington Mennonite Home News

The Corporate Members Meeting is on **Tuesday, March 9** at 7 pm via Zoom. The Home reports will be emailed to the Corporate Members on Monday, March 1, 2021. Corporate Members should notify the Home 519-326-6109 with their attendance.

♦ Silver Lake Mennonite Camp (www.slmc.ca): Join us for a week of day camp in Leamington! Based out of Faith Mennonite Church, your time at camp will be full of exciting games, nature discoveries, new crafts, and lots of opportunities to connect with friends, new and old. We will spend time exploring the waterfront and Seacliff Park, connecting with the surrounding environment. Our activities will be outdoor and distanced! There will be active games and sports to keep you busy, as well as downtime for discussion, bracelet-making, and other quiet activities to keep you refreshed. We hope to see you here, and we're thrilled to be bringing the Silver Lake summer camp experience right to your door! All programming is COVID-19 dependent and no payment will be collected until we know that camps are running.

For children ages 5-15. \$195+tax. Click here for Silver Lake Day Camp Details and Registration

Prayer List ...

Neighbouring Congregation — Today area churches are praying for **North Leamington.** Let us remember all other area churches today.

Each week Mennonite Church Eastern Canada (MCEC) prays for one of our congregations. Today, we invite you to pray for **Breslau Mennonite Church** in Breslau, Ontario.

Please pray for *Jim & Lorna Wiebe* as they transfer their membership to LUMC, effective March 28, 2021. May God continue to bless them in their new church home.

Pray for Dave, uncle of Marge Friesen, who is in hospital recovering from an infection.

Pray for people in Windsor and Essex County experiencing homelessness, and the staff of the Windsor Downtown Mission and Salvation Army as they cope with covid outbreaks.

If you are aware of any needs within our congregation, please contact the church office so the Pastors and Caregiving Team can offer support.

We also invite you to let the church office know of any requests for visitation by phoning 519-326-7928 or emailing office@nlumc.com

In case of emergency, contact a Pastor listed below.

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