

SUNDAY June 14, 2015

Worship Leader Ted Giesbrecht
Chorister Eric Hiebert Rempel
Accompanist Carolyn Strathdee
Violin Mark Rempel

GATHERING

Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship

God of the prophets, call to us today.

Call us into your ways of love, justice, and righteousness.

God of the poets, remind us again how much you love us.

Sing to us your ways of love, justice, and righteousness.

God of the disciples, teach us how to follow you.

Teach us your ways of love, justice, and righteousness.

God of all creation, help us to know your ways.

We gather to hear your call, to sing your praise,

to teach each other, to pray and worship as the Body of Christ.

Prayer

Hymns

Holy God, we praise thy name #121 HWB

For the beauty of the earth #89 HWB

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Giving Our First Fruit Offerings to the Lord

Children's Offering: Mary's Place – Emergency Shelter

LISTENING

Children's Story

Ingrid Neufeld

Scripture

Daniel 5:1-9, 25-31

Sermon – Daniel and the handwriting on the Wall

Al Rempel

Mennonite Church Eastern Canada Regional Minister

Hymn

Lord, you sometimes speak #594 HWB

RESPONDING

Sharing Our Joys and Concerns

Praying Together

Hymn

Bless'd be the tie that binds #421 HWB

Benediction

Postlude

We welcome all to our church community.

Following the worship time, you are invited to enjoy coffee, juice and conversation in the foyer.

Educational Classes for all ages at 11:00am

Age 2-3 – JK - Sharla Braun, Kerri Burt, Angela WiseDownstairs

SK-Grade 1 – Krista Burkhardt, Giselle Maerz, Jeremy Wiebe.....Downstairs

Grade 2-5 – Giselle MaerzRoom 203

Jr. & Sr. Youth – Ingrid Neufeld.....Room 208

Adults enjoy fellowship time.

Ushers Lily Hiebert Rempel, Reg Good, Joel Klassen, Jonathan Klassen

Greeters: Art and Janice Klassen

Nursery: Sherrie Tiessen and Alex Charette

Offering Counters: Art Klassen and David Romagnoli

\$ Stewardship & Finance Update:

June 7 Attendance 116 Budget Givings \$3646.00

Calendar of Coming Events

June 21 Sun 9:45 am Worship – Baptism Sunday & Celebration of 18 yr old Birthdays

June 21 Sun 10:45 am Jr. Sunday School games

June 21 Sun 11:00 am BMC Annual General Meeting – All are welcome

June 21 Sun 12 noon Guelph/Woolwich potluck—room 100

June 23 Tue 7:30 pm Health Cabinet Library

June 26 Fri 2-4 pm Seniors Event Library

Birthdays

June 14 John Jonas June 15 Brayden Beatson

June 14 Nathan Rowe June 19 Debbie Dettweiler

Joys and Concerns

• Those preparing for baptism and church membership on Sunday June 21st – **Jessa Braun, Josh Gingerich, Serena Gingerich, Joel Klassen, Jonathan Klassen.**

• **Murray Wideman** is recuperating following heart surgery at St. Mary's Hospital. www.caringbridge.org

• **Lynne Hoffman** is at St. Joseph's Hospital in Guelph, for rehab following recent knee surgery.

• **About 30 BMC folks** along with **Pastor Eleanor Epp-Stobbe** at the BMC Fraser Lake Camp this weekend.

• **Dan and Laura Shantz** would like to thank BMC for the generous gifts and wonderful baby shower for **Emma**. A special thanks to Alex Charette for the delicious treats. Thank you!

• **Jenn Toews, Scott Bauman, and big brother Charlie** celebrate the birth of **James Edward Bauman** on Saturday June 6.

• **Darrel and Lucille Toews** and family grieve the passing of Darrel's father **Henry Toews** on Sunday June 7. A funeral service was held on Thursday June 11 at the Winkler Evangelical Mennonite Mission Church, Winkler MB.

• **Church Council** is pleased to confirm, an announced to the congregation, that **Pastor Sara Erb** has accepted our call to Part Time Pastor commencing August 4, 2015.

Announcements

• **Seniors' Party** on Friday June 26 from 2 to 4 pm in the library. Come for fun, food and fellowship!

• **Creative Hands** potluck Mon. June 29, 6:00pm at Lynn Romagnoli's home.

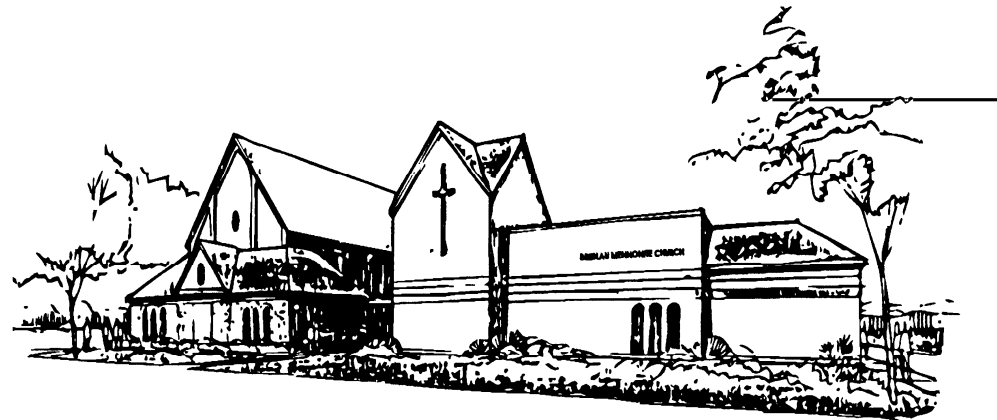
• **Volunteer** to share your time at **BMC Summer Camp** the week of **August 17 - 21**. Questions: julia.eld24@gmail.com

• Registration forms for **BMC Summer Camp** are available in the foyer or register online at <http://www.breslaumc.ca/ministries/summer-camp>

- **BMC Seniors' Picnic** is scheduled for Tuesday noon, July 28 at Riverside Park, Cambridge, at the Dolph Pavilion.
- If you are interested in working with children, being a positive role model and providing a fun learning environment, please consider **teaching Sunday School** in the upcoming year. Feel free to contact any of the members of the Children's Ministry Team if you have any questions about this great opportunity. (Carolyn Snider, Krista Burkhardt, Jillian Burkhardt, Keri Burt)
- **Laptop computer needed!!** – if you have a fairly new laptop computer that you don't have use for (around the house, office, shed, barn or shop) we could certainly use one here at BMC for our pending pastoral staff. Ideally, it would be a system that's one year old or less, and running Widows 8.1, but 'less than ideal' may be fine too. Please contact Karl Braun.
- **Projector Fund** – We are still in need of designated offerings to cover the cost of the new projector. So far we have raised \$9,300 including \$6,000 from bequests and memorial funds, and \$3300 from designated offerings. We still need to raise another \$2,700 to cover the \$12,000 total cost. Please keep this in mind, along with your continuing generous support for our annual operating/missions budget.

Beyond the Congregation

- **Youth Leadership Opportunities at Fraser Lake Camp** - Are you 15-16 years old and looking for an adventure this summer? Fraser Lake's LIT program offers leadership development and a 9 day canoe trip through Algonquin Park! Our CIT program trains youth to become camp counsellors in a beautiful Canadian Shield setting. For more info contact the FLC Director, Kristen Berg, kberg@fraserlakecamp.com
- **Silver Lake Mennonite Camp has asked our church to supply 5 volunteers** August 9-15 during their summer camp program. Primarily they are looking for people to help prepare meals in the kitchen and help with various maintenance tasks. If you are interested in being part of the BMC volunteer team, look for more information on the bulletin board.
- **MCC Ontario Annual General Meeting** Thursday, June 18 Sommerfeld Mennonite Church, Aylmer with a 3:30 pm - tour of the local Low German Community; 6-6:45 pm - Supper served (no charge, but advance registration is required); 7:00 pm - Worship, speakers and business meeting. <http://mcccanada.ca/get-involved/events/annual-general-meeting-mcc-ontario>
- **MEDA Waterloo Chapter Breakfast** - Come join us at Stone Crock in St. Jacobs on Thursday, June 18th from 7:30-8:30am. We are excited to have Jane Snyder as guest speaker. www.meda.org/waterloo
- **Fairview Strawberry Social**, Wednesday June 24 at 2:00 pm and 7:00 pm. Vocal and Handbell Choirs Present: "All Things Bright and Beautiful; God Made Them". Refreshment tickets \$5/adults and \$3/children under 12.
- Thank you to everyone who supported the **New Hamburg Mennonite Relief Sale** as volunteers, donors and buyers. People enjoyed the auctions and lots of fellowship over favorite and new relief sale food. Over 200 quilts were sold in the arena, with the feature quilt raising \$42,000. In total, the Sale raised just over \$365,000.00 to forward to MCC. We were truly blessed. -- NHMRS Committee



Breslau Mennonite Church

We strive to be a welcoming community of faith and worship
 Supporting each other as we learn and grow
 Extending Christ's love, peace, and justice
 With our community
 With the world

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