

This Week

Today	9:25 am	Choir rehearsal.
	9:30 am	Adult Ed: <i>Politics & Religion: MCC's advocacy in Ottawa.</i> Guest presenter is Esther Epp-Thiessen.
	10:15 am	Children's Sunday School.
	11:00 am	Worship; Child dedication; Patrick Preheim speaking.
	Noon	Care Group #2; visitors are welcome to join us.
	2:30 pm	Classical Music Afternoon; please bring dainties for the fellowship coffee following the program.
Tuesday	10:00 am	Women's Bible Study.
Wed.	7:00 pm	Men's Study – Matthew Chapter 3.
Thursday	1:30 pm	Care and Share Group; East Sunday School room.

Coming Up

Next Sun.	9:25 am	Choir rehearsal.
	9:30 am	Adult Ed: <i>Politics & Religion: How is faith a part of what you do?</i> Stories from Paul Schroeder and Rachel Regier. No Children's Sunday School.
	11:00 am	Worship; Jordan Cantwell from St. Martin's United Church speaking.
	Noon	Care Group #3.
Nov. 11	2:00 pm	Remembrance Day Service at the Fellowship Centre at Bethany Manor: You are invited to attend a service of reflection, Scripture readings, and to hear the Doukhobor story of the burning of the guns. Participants will include Mae Popoff and Lois Siemens. Coffee and sweets served.
Nov. 12	1:30 pm	Women's Coffee & Conversation, lounge.
Nov. 15	7:30 pm	Musical Jam Session, lounge.
Nov. 16	10:00-3:00	Youth babysitting at church for young families for FREE. We will plan for crafts, big parachute games, baking, and some outdoor time if the weather allows. Bring a bag lunch, outdoor gear and toboggans. RSVP to Sarah at sarah@nPMC.net .
Nov. 17	Noon	Potluck: A-H, bring salad and dessert, help clean-up. I-Z, bring casserole, help set-up.
Nov. 23	9:00-4:00pm	MC Sask Leadership Assembly at NPMC -- see Announcements to help volunteer at this event.

Nutana Park Mennonite Church welcomes into fellowship and membership all persons who confess faith in Jesus Christ, without regard to their race, ethnic background, gender, age, sexual orientation, income, education, ability, and other factors that give rise to discrimination and marginalization.

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Gathered to Worship on Treaty 6 Territory

November 3, 2019
All Saints Sunday

Vol. LIV	11:00 a.m.	No. 44
	Worship Leader: Geraldine Balzer	
	Accompaniment: Sue Schellenberg	
	Special Music: Kathleen Regier and Mikayla Steadman	
	Greeters: Eldon & Rhonda Krahn	
	Ushers: Joan & Bob Sawatzky	
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Welcome, Greetings and Announcements		
Call to Worship		Psalm 149:1-4
Invocation		
Hymn of Praise	<b>Children Of The Heavenly Father</b>	HWB No. 616
Lighting the Peace Lamp		
Special Music	<b>You're Beautiful</b>	Kathleen and Mikayla
Children's Time		Anne & Tim Leis
Dedication of Children		
Parents share		
Questions of consecration		
Congregational response - insert		
Hymn	<b>Lord, We Bring To You Our Children</b>	StJ No. 90
Joys & Concerns		
Congregational Prayer		
Special Music	<b>Shepherd and Strength</b>	Kathleen and Mikayla
Scripture		Ephesians 1:11-23
Sermon	<b>Children and Sainthood</b>	Patrick Preheim
Hymn	<b>Like A Mother Who Has Borne Us</b>	StJ No. 91
Offering		
Sending Hymn	<b>Go, My Children</b>	HWB No. 433
Spoken Benediction		
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Announcements

Volunteers are needed for the MCSask Leadership meetings that will be held here at NPMC on Saturday, **November 23**. We are looking for volunteers in the kitchen as well as muffins for the morning coffee. There is a sign-up sheet in the Education Wing.

An invitation from MCC Sask: Micah Mission, one of MCC's local partners, is celebrating their **10th anniversary** this year. We are proud to have been able to walk alongside this amazing restorative justice organization since its inception and participate as it makes positive changes within our community. The Micah Mission AGM is scheduled for this Thursday, **November 7 at 10:30 am** at 226 Avenue V South. Please join us to learn more about our work.

MCC Connects: Thank you so much to everyone who came out to our Buckets of Thanks event and helped pack 500 relief kits in under an hour! These will be used to provide valuable supplies to families whose lives have been disrupted by war or disaster. We couldn't do this without your support. If you weren't able to attend but still want to donate or pack a bucket, visit mccbuckets.ca or call our office at 306.665.2555.

MC Sask: Praying for Each Other: We rejoice with Kirsten and Ian Hamm-Epp on the safe arrival of Peter Isaac Epp on October 26th! Let's keep this family in our prayers as they begin this new chapter in their lives.

Conrad Grebel University College, a Mennonite institution affiliated with and connected to the University of Waterloo, is sending a representative to Saskatchewan. Rebekah will be here November 4th and 5th and would love to connect with prospective University of Waterloo/Grebel students. To book a meeting, she can be contacted best over text (519) 496-6102 or email ridejong@uwaterloo.ca. Rebekah will be visiting Centennial Collegiate on Nov 4 and RJC on Nov 5. If you know of students who should be connecting with Rebekah at either of these schools please connect them.

Bethany Manor Annual Craft Sale: November 16 from 10:00am-3:00pm. There will be multiple tables filled with handcrafted items; 110 LaRonge Road.

Rosthern Junior College Kielke & Sausage Fundraising Supper on **November 13** at Bethany Manor. First seating: 4:30 pm for Bethany Manor residents & guests; Second seating: 6:30 pm for all other friends & family of RJC. Admission by donation. **Everyone is welcome!** Please RSVP to 306-232-4222 or email alex.tiessen@rjc.sk.ca. Let us know if you are able to help out with this event (setting up, clearing tables, etc.).

Saskatoon Choral Society invites us to their Winter Concert on **November 24** at 2:30 pm at Grace Westminster United Church. Tea & Silent auction to follow. Tickets from McNally Robinson or from choir members.

Lighthouse Benefit Christmas Concert, December 1 at 7:30 pm at Cornerstone Church. The Saskatoon Symphony Orchestra, RJC choir, and Duff Warkentin are all involved, as well as inspiring stories from the staff and residents of The Lighthouse.

The Salvation Army is looking for volunteers for the Christmas kettle campaign. Funds are raised to support local children and families in need. If you can help, please call or text 306-713-0454.

Congregational Response:

Leader: You have offered Clementine and Arla to the strong and tender care of God.

People: We rejoice with you and give thanks for the gift of your child. With God as our guide, we will share in your child's nurture and well-being. We will support, by our example and words, your efforts to provide a loving and caring home where trust in God grows and Christ may be known. Our prayers are with you and for you. May our shared life and witness help you grow as a family in faithfulness and joy.

EGADZ is having a **Christmas Dinner** on Thursday, December 19.

They have a **Wish List** and will gratefully **accept donations by December 16**.

- Turkey and all the trimmings

- Stocking Stuffers: Deodorant (male and female)

Toothbrushes/toothpaste and dental floss

Toques, Gloves and Mini Mitts

Socks

Individually wrapped Christmas candy

20-25 Baby bags – items like receiving blankets, baby shampoo, lotion, baby bottles, thermometers, baby wipes, baby bath towels, teething, baby nail clippers, soothers

- Cash Donation so EGADZ is able to purchase gifts for each child and youth

Phone Geselle or Ashley at 306-931-6644 if you have questions.

Margaretha Zacharias has three kinds of homemade soup for sale: carrot, cabbage and summer borscht for \$5 a jar. You may contact her after church or call 306-716-5070.

November is Hospitality Month

As the board of deacons focuses on Visionary Intention #1 – "A Caring, Respectful and Inviting Culture," we would like to declare November as Hospitality Month.

As a way of fostering caring and connection in our church community, we encourage you to invite someone into your home that you have not seen at church for some time, who might be lonely, or who you've never hosted before.

If you have questions, please contact any of the deacons.

Care Group Potlucks and Church Potlucks:

Nov. 10: Group 3 **Nov. 17:** Church Potluck **Nov. 24:** Group 1

Dec. 1: Group 4--noon; Group 6--3:00 pm **Dec 8:** Church Potluck **Dec. 22:** Group 5

Food Bank (Blue Bin) Items: Soups (canned, dry), Canned fruit