

Coming Up This Week

Sunday, July 24 at 10:00 am: NPMC Worship on Livestream

Tuesday, July 26 at 10 am: Women's Bible Study at Bethany Manor

Sunday, July 31 at 10:00 am: NPMC Worship on Livestream

NPMC Staff Office Hours:

Thursday is Susanne's day off from NPMC; otherwise please contact her to arrange visits.

Patrick schedules NPMC visits M/W/F and as possible. Contact him through the office, email, or at home.

Gwen is in the office Monday – Friday from 1pm - 5 pm.



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Gathered to Worship on Treaty 6 Territory

July 24, 2022 at 10:00 am

In Person and Live Stream Worship Service

Worship Leader: Susanne Guenther Loewen

Song Leader Ron Peters

Accompanist: Teresa Koop-Hunter

Ushers: Anita Retzlaff and Ken Warkentin

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Treaty Acknowledgement

VT #878

Call to Worship

Hymn

Praise with Joy the World's Creator

VT #428

Lighting the Peace Lamp

"Unsettled" by Rebecca Seiling

Hymn

Father God, You Are Holy

VT #59

Joys and Concerns

Congregational Prayer

Time with the Children

Summer Theme Song

We Dream of a Turning

VT #209

Congregational Reading

Ecclesiastes 3: 1-8

Scripture

Ephesians 3: 16-21

Sermon

Ending Racism and Colonialism

Susanne

Hymn of Response

For the Healing of the Nations

VT #705

Offertory Prayer

Benediction

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.

Announcements

The NPMC Board of Deacons met and decided that masks would no longer be required inside the church. NPMC will continue to be a mask-friendly space and we would ask that congregants continue to be respectful of one another's comfort levels. We will maintain the expectation that those who are 12 years of age or older be fully vaccinated and we would ask you to remain at home if you are feeling unwell. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact Bob Neufeldt.

The Refugee Committee would like to thank everyone who has offered to donate items to the refugee family that is being sponsored by NPMC. We are close to having what we need to get them settled and we will contact you once we have housing secured for them. At this time, we are still unsure of when they might be coming but are hopeful it won't be too long. For now, if you are able, please store them at your home as we have very limited storage space available. Thanks so much!

We are looking for some volunteers to help out with some **general yard maintenance** around the church. Whether you want to just help once a month, or volunteer on a weekly basis, everyone is welcome. Please contact Zachary Janzen through text at 306-491-1087 or by email at zachary.janzen@sympatico.ca.

An outdoor **Women's Bible Study** gathering will be held in the Bethany Manor courtyard on Tuesday, July 26 at 10 am. For those who aren't residents, we can enter the East door on the new walkway to go directly into the courtyard. Visitor parking spots are available. Susanne will lead a devotional at the beginning. Lawn chairs and coffee, tea, and water will be provided. In case of rain, we will meet in the room that opens onto the courtyard (the old dining hall). All NPMC women are welcome! Looking forward to connecting.

Shekinah Summer Camp has started, and we need your help. For information about what's going on and how you can help, go to <https://shekinah.ca/news/2022/help-support-shekinah-summer-camp>

Pastor of Faith and Community (Greater Saskatoon Area). Osler and Nutana Park Mennonite Churches are seeking an enthusiastic, committed, creative individual to lead our children's, young families', youth and young adult programs. The Pastor of Faith and Community will inspire the congregations to build relationships within their churches, while focusing on the faith formation and pastoral care of children, young families, youth and young adults. Details and job description can be found at <https://mcsask.ca/resources/pastoral>

Mennonite Church Canada shares worship services again this summer. Waterloo North Mennonite Church will be sharing a service with our nationwide community of faith for this Sunday, July 24. The service will be available at www.mennonitechurch.ca/worshipservices.

Virtual We Declare registration IS NOW FREE! Register now to take part in Gathering 2022, July 29 to Aug. 1!

Due to a generous donor, registration for virtual We Declare: what we have seen and heard is now free. Register now to take part in our livestreamed worship sessions, participate in online workshops and connect online with both in-person and online Gathering 2022 participants: www.mennonitechurch.ca/gathering2022. Those who have already paid will be contacted for a refund.

Gathering 2022 Report Book is now available. Whether you're a delegate or not, the Gathering 2022 Report Book gives an expansive view of who we are as a nationwide community of faith. Don't miss out on reports from our nationwide ministries, organizational partners and what delegates will be discussing together about where we're headed. Available now through CommonWord: <https://www.commonword.ca/ResourceView/82/25677>.

MCC Thrift is celebrating 50 years! To help celebrate this major milestone, we encourage you to visit or donate to your local MCC Thrift shop this month. You never know what's in store!