

**NUTANA PARK MENNONITE CHURCH
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Gathered to Worship on Treaty 6 Territory

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10:00 a.m.

No. 27

Worship Leader: Geraldine Balzer
Accompanist: Jenn Attema
Special Music: Saskatune Singers
Greeters: Norma & Alvin Rempel
Ushers: Bea & Arnold Wichert

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Welcome, Greetings and Announcements

Call to Worship HWB No. 661

Hymn of Praise **I Owe The Lord A Morning Song** HWB No. 651

Lighting of the Peace Lamp

Special Music **Ain't No Grave** Saskatune Singers

Psalm Reading Psalm 19

Hymn **Beauty For Brokenness** StS No. 115

Joys and Concerns

Congregational Prayer

Offering & Offertory **Get Together** Saskatune Singers

Children's Time

Special Music **Love Is The Seventh Wave** Saskatune Singers

Scripture 1 Samuel 17:49

James 1:2-4

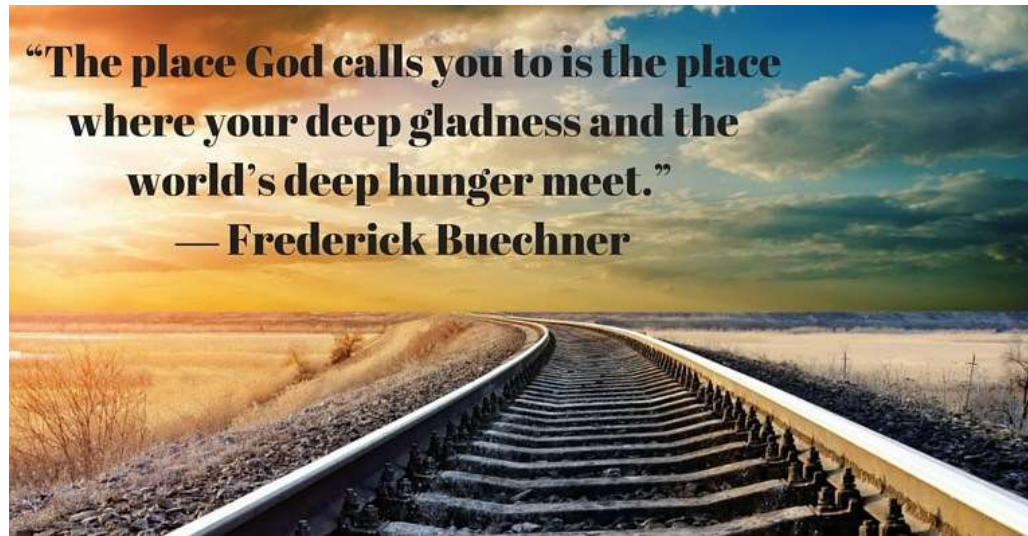
Sermon Ann Gyurmancki

Sending Hymn **How Can I Say** StS No. 117

Spoken Benediction

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Everyone is invited to join us for the potluck brunch following the service.



Spotlight on Christian Horizons

Christian Horizons is a non-profit, faith-based charitable organization whose mission is to work together with people who experience disabilities to accomplish their goals and nurture communities where everybody belongs. Christian Horizons has made a positive impact in the lives of over 300,000 people affecting over 60 communities globally.

This Week

- Today** **10:00 am** **Worship**; Ann Gyurmancki, executive director of Christian Horizons (formerly Menno Home) is speaking.
- 11:00 am** **Brunch potluck following the service**: A-H, bring rolls, muffins, bagels and fruit, help set-up. I-Z, bring rolls, muffins, bagels and cheese, help clean-up.
- 2:00 – 4:00 pm** **June Young** is celebrating her 90th birthday and invites friends to attend a come and go reception this afternoon in the education wing at NPMC.
- Tuesday** **10:00 am** **Women's Study Group**, lounge.
- Wed.** **7:30 am** **Men's Breakfast**; Grainfields Restaurant, 8th Street.
- Sat.** **3:00–9:00 pm** **Sparky and The Plugs** presents **Big Day On The Farm** Music Festival and CD release. Held at Seager Wheeler Farm, Rosthern. See posters on bulletin boards.

Coming Up

- Next Sun.** **10:00 am** **Worship**; Child dedication; Sarah and Mackenzie and Susanne and Kris speaking.
- July 29** **1:00-5:00 pm** **Nest Secret Garden Tour** in support of refugee settlement. Passports are \$20, see poster in ed. wing.
- August 11** **10:00 am** **The Spruce River Folk Festival** is a cultural event held annually to raise awareness of landless indigenous Bands in Saskatchewan. See www.spruceriverfolkfest.com. Volunteers are needed to help with set up on Thursday, August 9 at 10 am. If you can help, contact Ray Funk at rayfunk8@gmail.com or 306.764.7903.

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

Be a Summer Usher! Sign up on the foyer table.

Church Photo Directory: Howard Giles will be taking photos in the east Sunday School rooms next Sunday, July 15 immediately after the worship service. If you wish to send in your own photo, send to npmc@npmc.net by July 15.

Your NPMC Financial Statements are in church mailboxes.

MCC Connects: Volunteers wanted! MCCS is always looking for volunteers... Right now we are in need of a groundskeeper responsible for overseeing maintenance of our building exterior - including lawn care, weeding, watering and landscaping. Please contact Graham MacDonald at GrahamMacDonald@mccsk.ca or 306.665.2555.

Bethany has a townhouse unit available for occupancy July 27. See the poster in the education wing.

From Shekinah Retreat Centre: Our first cabin is nearly complete. Thanks to your generous donations, we have funding for another cabin, which will be built in August with MDS. We are also currently looking for financial partners to invest in our summer camp program. If you or your group believe in the mission of summer camp, we'd love to talk with you. Call or email Ron or Sue at Shekinah: 306-945-4929 or email director@shekinahretreatcentre.org.

1 Samuel 17:49

⁴⁹David put his hand in his bag, took out a stone, slung it, and struck the Philistine on his forehead; the stone sank into his forehead, and he fell face down on the ground.

James 1:2-4

²My brothers and sisters, whenever you face trials of any kind, consider it nothing but joy, ³because you know that the testing of your faith produces endurance; ⁴and let endurance have its full effect, so that you may be mature and complete, lacking in nothing.

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Greetings Congregation of NPMC,

As many of you know we have been dealing with roof issues for a while now at the church. So to ensure that we are open and transparent with communication to all, here is where we are at with solutions. Currently a small team/committee including our Finance Deacon, Finance Committee, Pastors and myself have met and decided on a short term patching solution for the leaking roof. The patching will be done as soon as it is dry enough to attend to by a service provider who has 60+ years of experience in flat roof maintenance. During this time the Building and Grounds Deacons have also been sourcing quotes for different new roof solutions. Once all the quotes are in, this committee will meet and decide on a recommendation to bring to the congregation. Our goal is to have a recommended decision to the congregation before the end of summer.

If you have further questions, please do not hesitate to call Tammy at 306-260-7765. Thank you for your patience and care for our church building and grounds.

Sincerely,
Tammy Forrester, Board of Deacons Chairperson
Patrick Fleury and Arnold Neufeld, Building and Grounds Deacons