

This Week

Today	9:25 am Choir rehearsal.
	9:30 am Adult Ed ; <i>Politics & Religion: Becoming informed and deciding how to vote.</i> Dr. David McGrane facilitating.
	10:15 am Children's Sunday School.
	11:00 am Worship ; Susanne Guenther Loewen speaking.
	Noon Care Group #6 potluck following worship.
	2:30 pm RJC's Opening Program will be in the RJC gymnasium. Please join us as we gather to give thanks and ask God's blessings for the new school year.
Monday	7:00 pm Board Meeting ; the June approved minutes are posted on the bulletin board.
Tuesday	10:00 am Women's Bible Study , lounge.
Wed.	7:00 pm Men's Study , East Sunday School room.
Friday	7:30 pm Musical Jam Session , lounge.

Coming Up

Next Sun.	9:25 am Choir rehearsal.
	9:30 am Adult Ed ; <i>Politics & Religion: Pausing to reflect-what have we learned and how can we apply that?</i>
	10:15 am Children's Sunday School.
	11:00 am Worship ; camp sharing.
Sept. 26	1:30 pm Share and Care Group ; East Sunday School room.
Sept. 28 and 29	NPMC Church Retreat at Shekinah Retreat Centre. All welcome. More details to come!
Sept. 29	5:30 pm Movie Night ; bring finger foods to share, movie at 6:30 pm.

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.

NUTANA PARK MENNONITE CHURCH
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Gathered to Worship on Treaty 6 Territory

September 15, 2019

Vol. LIV	11:00 a.m.	No. 37
Worship Leader: Audrey Kampen		
Accompaniment: Susan Ens Funk		
Greeters: Carolene & Wally Funk		
Ushers: Pat & Kurt Sawatzky		

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| Welcome and Announcements  |                                           |                                                     |
| Gathering Hymn             | <b>Here In This Place</b>                 | HWB No. 6                                           |
| Lighting of the Peace Lamp |                                           |                                                     |
| Spotlight on Sunday School |                                           | Valerie Epp                                         |
| A Story for all Ages       |                                           |                                                     |
| Hymn of Praise             | <b>Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise</b> | HWB No. 70                                          |
| Joys & Concerns            |                                           |                                                     |
| Congregational Prayer      |                                           |                                                     |
| Hymn                       | <b>New Earth, Heavens New</b>             | HWB No. 299                                         |
| Scripture                  |                                           | Exodus 32:7-14<br>I Timothy 1:12-17<br>Luke 15:1-10 |
| Sermon                     | <b>God and Change</b>                     | Susanne Guenther Loewen                             |
| Hymn of Response           | <b>Great Is Thy Faithfulness</b>          | HWB No. 327                                         |
| Offering                   |                                           |                                                     |
| Benediction                |                                           |                                                     |
| Closing Hymn               | <b>Go, My Friends, In Grace</b>           | StS No. 57                                          |

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Announcements

MEDA Saskatoon Fall Dinner on Wednesday, October 2 at Bethany Manor. Doors open at 5:30pm and dinner at 6:00pm. Cost \$20 payable at the door. Meet the President & CEO, Dr. Dorothy Nyambi. **RSVP by Sept. 27 to Paul Tiessen** by phone 306-221-1223, email ptiessen@sasktel.net or msg 306-374-8161.

Mennonite Disaster Service invites us for the Annual Fall Supper and Information Night on Friday, October 25, 2019 at 6:30 p.m. at Hague Mennonite Church (202 3rd Street, Hague, Saskatchewan). Come fellowship over dinner and hear stories from guest speakers, Peter and Susan Thiessen, as they recount their experiences with the Grand Forks 2018 BC Flood rebuilding and more. Call Ike at (306) 342-4344 for more information and to reserve your seat.

Canadian Mennonite subscriptions: If you want to receive the Canadian Mennonite in print or email, please contact Helen in the new few weeks. All who attend NPMC may receive a subscription.

The NPMC Telephone Directory is posted on the movable bulletin board in the foyer. Please make appropriate changes or check off your name if all is correct.

MCCSask Board of Directors is holding the MCCSask Annual General Meeting on Saturday, September 28 from 1:30-4:00 pm at the MCC Centre. We are encouraged to send delegates from NPMC; **please let Helen know if you wish to be a delegate.**

From Mennonite Church Saskatchewan:

**** Continuing Educational Event** with Tom Yoder Neufeld on October 17 and 18, 9:00am-3:00pm. MCC Centre, cost \$100 (lunch included). Deadline is Oct. 11. Register online at www.mcsask.ca/registrations or phone 306-249-4844.

**** Equipping Day 2019:** October 19, 9:00am-4:30pm at Rosthern Junior College. Registration forms on bulletin board listing workshops or register at mcsask.ca.

**** MC Sask** invites us to come and meet Doug Klassen, the new Executive Minister of MC Canada. He will be in the chapel at Bethany Manor on October 16 at 9:30 am.

****Orange Shirt Day: Every Child Matters // Mon, Sept 30 //** Wear your brightest orange shirt to remember the many things that were stolen from Indigenous children and communities by the Indian Residential School system and to celebrate the hope that persists in the face of evil. More info at orangeshirtday.org.

****MC Sask: Praying for Each Other: Eyebrow Mennonite** is so thankful for is the number of children we have in our congregation. And we are blessed to have community children coming to our Sunday School. Even although it can be noisy at times, we are so thankful and feel so blessed for our children and how they contribute in our worship services!! A challenge we continue to face is how to live as people of the kingdom of God and share the good news of Jesus Christ in our community.

****Kirsten's last day in the MC Sask office** before taking some holiday time and starting her maternity leave is Sept 20. MC Sask is pleased to announce that **Scott Feick** has been hired at ¼ time as Interim Youth Worker and **Sarah Unruh** has been hired as the Youth Retreat Planner.

From Rosthern Junior College:

**** RJC Alumni Soccer & Volleyball, October 4 & 5** - Every year RJC Alumni organizes and hosts a homecoming weekend featuring friendly competition in volleyball and soccer. If you are an alumnus (or friend or spouse of an alumnus) or if your child is playing in the tournament, come join in the fun. Soccer will be Saturday only - meet in the Rehearsal Hall at 10:00 and bring a white and dark t-shirt and \$5.00. Email Denelda at deneldafast@hotmail.com to register for volleyball by October 1st or for more information. A delicious lunch will be available in the Rehearsal Hall between 11:00 and 1:00. Don't miss out on seeing some old friends!

**** We invite all alumni and supporters to join us for RJC's annual Homecoming & Fundraising Dinner on Saturday, October 26th at RJC.** Doors open at 5pm with dinner and the show starting at 6pm. This year we present "Gymn Sing - A Celebration of the Music Legacy of RJC!". The evening will focus around a variety show format featuring many performers and will be a nod to the TV show "Hymn Sing". Live and silent auction will occur throughout the evening. Tickets are \$15 and can be reserved by phone 306.232.4222 or by email office@rosthernjuniorcollege.ca. We expect a sold out event once again so get your tickets early! We hope to see you there!

From Bethany Manor: An Evening in the Courtyard – join us for a BBQ in support of the Bethany Manor Personal Care Campaign, Thursday, September 19. Tickets (\$75/per person, \$50 tax receipt issued) available from Bethany at 306-242-9019.

Ride for Refuge is on October 5, 2019. Join friends and families across Canada to bike or walk and raise financial support for ministry around the world. Support a Mennonite Church Canada International Witness Worker. For more information, visit the MC Canada website at <http://home.mennonitechurch.ca/Ride2019>.

A request from the Mother's Centre at Station 20 West: there are several families arriving in Saskatoon over the next months with 6 or 7 children each. They are looking for household items and specifically, twin and double beds. If you can help, please call Lori W-T at 306-933-0285.

Food Bank (Blue Bin) Items: Infant formula, Baby food