

Coming Up This Week

Sunday, Nov 14 at 11:00 am: NPMC Worship on Livestream
Monday, Nov 15 at 7:00 pm: Board Meeting
Tuesday, Nov 16 at 10:00 am: Women's Bible Study on Zoom- Luke 8
7:00 pm: Adult Ed via Zoom
Wednesday, Nov 17 at 7:00 pm: Men's Study Group on Zoom
Thursday, Nov 18 at 6:30 pm: Peace Club
Sunday, Nov 21 at 11:00 am: NPMC Worship on Livestream: Memorial Sunday
and Communion

NPMC Staff Office Hours:

Thursday is Susanne's day off from NPMC; she is otherwise available
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
November 14, 2021 at 11:00 am**

In-Person and Live Stream Worship Service

Worship Leader: Ken Warkentin
Accompanist: Joanne Ewert
Song Leader: Ron Peters
Ushers: Wally and Marg Krause

Prelude		
Gathering Song	Move in Our Midst	VT #827/ HWB #418
Welcome and Announcements		
Call to Worship		
Quiet Ourselves		
Hymn	Praise with Joy the World's Creator	VT #428/ StJ #16
Children's Time		Susanne
Lighting the Peace Lamp		
Joys and Concerns		
Congregational Prayer		
Finance update and offertory prayer		
Scripture	Revelation 21: 1-4 Luke 4: 16-30	
Message	Just Living	Susanne
Hymn	Will You Come and Follow Me	VT #540/ StS #39
Benediction		
Hymn	Go, My Friends, in Grace	VT #810/ StS #57
Sending		
Postlude		

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

NPMC CHRISTMAS COFFEE HOUSE - Sunday, December 19th - 3:30 & 6:30! Are you interested in putting together a small group and sharing your talents on stage surrounded by friends and family? Details regarding the NPMC CHRISTMAS COFFEE HOUSE event will be forthcoming. However, set the date aside, start brainstorming and plan to participate or spectate!

CHURCH DIRECTORIES- updated copies of the church telephone directory are in the church mail slots. If you need your copy to be mailed, contact the church office.

If anyone is interested in a Heintzman upright piano, please contact George Enns and Joyce Tremmel. They have one available.

Men's Study Group: Chapter 6: The Universal Christ by Richard Rohr. If you have not received an email copy please contact the church office.

Tuesday, Nov. 30 at 7 pm, Zoom: First Advent Adult Ed. session on the theme of "The Pandemic Christmas that Was," reflections on what Christmas 2020 was like for us. More information coming next week.

Mennonite Church USA has produced an Advent at Home Devotional for 2021 on the theme of "Dare to Imagine." It contains devotional ideas for all ages as we prepare our hearts and minds for Advent, Christmas, and Epiphany. Please download at <https://www.mennoniteusa.org/resource-portal/resource/advent-at-home/> or pick up a printed copy at the church building.

Mega Menno Games Night – Friday, Nov. 19, 7:00pm, Mount Royal Mennonite Church. Join us for a night of fun and games, and connecting with other youth! Free event, open to youth in grades 6-12. Masks will be mandatory, contact Kirsten for more information, youthminister@mcsask.ca

MCC Connects: The annual MCC Saskatchewan Quilt Sale is back! To view this year's selection of quilts, visit www.mccskquiltsale.com. Quilts can be purchased online through that website or by calling the office at 306-665-2555. Alternatively, feel free to stop by the office to look at and purchase them as well. The money raised from these beautiful quilts will turn into hope and comfort for those experiencing devastating situations around the world.

RJC Spend-A-Day - November 24: If you are a prospective student in grades 8-11 and want to see what RJC is all about, come spend-a-day with us! Register by email to admissions@rjc.sk.ca or call (306) 232-4222.

Host families needed for RJC International students. Would you like to support RJC in a different way? RJC is looking for individuals, couples, or families who would be open to hosting an International student during closed dorm weekends or extended

holidays. If you are interested please email deansoffice@rjc.sk.ca or call (306) 232-4222.

Saskatoon Public Schools Foundation is looking for volunteers to assist at Mayfair School and W.P. Bate School to support their lunch nutrition program and their literacy programs. You may volunteer daily, weekly, or once per month. The schools will work with you to find opportunities that fit within your schedule. Each volunteer will be required to attend a 30 minute training session and will be given an opportunity to "observe" prior to being scheduled. There is no obligation should you not feel comfortable after these sessions. SPSF will provide each volunteer with a letter to get a free Criminal Record Check and a Vulnerable Sector Check which must be completed prior to volunteering. All volunteers must provide proof of double vaccination as per Saskatoon Public Schools guidelines. Please fill out this form <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeQDAX8UfBICWBmPBgA7O467ItySYcI0LjB345pUQKGf5iwXw/viewform> if you are interested, and we will be in touch to discuss the opportunities available.

As temperatures drop the poor, and especially the homeless, find themselves vulnerable. **Friendship Inn** is looking for gently used or new mittens, and gloves as well as new socks to give out to those who come through their doors. The **Saskatoon Foodbank** lists the following as their "most wanted" food items (see insert). We will collect these items at the church building aiming for delivery after Sunday, December 5th. Material donations will be received on Sundays, and other days staff is available to receive them. The service committee is also willing to do pickup deliveries. Both institutions also take financial donations. Let us be mindful of those of our city who are hurting.

Mennonite Central Committee Manitoba is offering two webinars for Domestic Violence Awareness Month. "Behind Closed Doors: The Church and Domestic Abuse in Christian Homes" is on Wednesday, Nov. 17 from 10:00 – 11:15 am CT, and the second, "Opening Closed Doors: The Bible, Pastoral Care, and the Challenges of Domestic Abuse" is on Wednesday, Nov. 24 from 10:00 – 11:15 am CT. For more information or to register, visit: <https://mcccanada.ca/get-involved/events/domestic-violence-awareness-month-webinar-series>

Ryan Siemens is resigning his position as Mennonite Church Saskatchewan's Executive Minister as of January 31, 2022 to take on the position of Executive Director of Mennonite Central Committee Alberta. The MC Sask council has begun the process of planning for the interim and for the search for a new Executive Minister.

Mennonite Church Saskatchewan is seeking an **Interim Youth Worker** to fulfill a one-year parental leave beginning January 17, 2022. Averaging 10 hours/week, this position will focus on coordinating Mega Menno events, including travel to the 2022 MC Canada Youth Gathering. Contact Ryan Siemens, minister@mcsask.ca, for more information.



SASKATOON FOOD BANK
& LEARNING CENTRE

MOST WANTED FOOD ITEMS

Your donations nourish our community

Baby Food & Formula



Canned Vegetables



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Whole Grain Pasta



Whole Grain Cereal



Canned Protein



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