
Rosthern Mennonite Church

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Worship Service
August 23, 2015, No. 34

Worship Leader Margaret Watson
Pianist Irma Neudorf

- Prelude
Call to Worship
Prayer
Gathering Hymn God is here among us HWB #16
Welcome and Announcements
Hymn Come, gracious Spirit HWB #303
Sharing of Joys and Concerns
Congregational Prayer
Hymns Spirit of the living God HWB #349
Take my life HWB #389
Offering
Hymn Gracious Spirit, dwell in me HWB #507
Scripture Reading Galatians 5:13-25 Pew Bible p. 826
2 Peter 1:3-10 Pew Bible p. 860
Meditation "Freedom of the Spirit" Craig Neufeld
Sending Blessing
Sending Hymn When we walk with the Lord HWB #544

PRAISE AND CONCERNS:

During the month of August, the Rosthern Ministerial asks us to pray for Trinity Lutheran Church, and for the Rosthern Refugee Committee.

THIS WEEK:

Today - Following the service, all are welcome for coffee and fellowship in the lower auditorium.

Tuesday, 7:30 p.m. - Church Council meets

Wednesday, 10:00 a.m. - Coffee hour - invite a friend!

10:00 a.m. - The Alzheimer/Dementia Support Group will meet for coffee at Linda Bartel's. For more information, phone Linda at 232-5584

7:00 p.m. - Worship committee meeting

Thursday, 7:30 p.m. - Musical evening at Osler Mennonite Church, with a number of guest musicians performing - all are invited, admission by donation. Proceeds to benefit RJC Scholarship Fund and MCC projects - see the posted information

Next Sunday, 9:15 a.m. - Prayer time

10:00 a.m. - Worship service

11:00 a.m. - Coffee and fellowship time

1:00 - 5:00 p.m. - RJC registration day. Applications are still being accepted for the 2015-2016 school year at Rosthern Junior College! Please contact Valerie White in Admissions (306 232-4222 or val@rjc.sk.ca) if you would like more information and to arrange a tour. Classes begin Monday, August 31.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Do you like to assist children with reading, writing, speaking and listening? Do you enjoy bingo, card games, books, homework help and fun? If yes, then perhaps you would enjoy assisting with the weekly Children's Literacy Programme held in the RMC education wing, for local immigrant children between the ages of 4 and 16 years. The programme runs from mid Sept. to the end of the school year. Please pray about this, then let Marian Hooge Jones know if you are available to help as a regular volunteer, or as a sub, or part time volunteer. Email marianhooge@rocketmail.com or call 306 232 4238. Thank you in advance. The need is great, and we could easily expand to include more community children, should there be enough willing workers.

The Rosthern and District Food Bank continues to provide food to needy families each week. Right now they are in need of canned soup. Can we build a tower of soup cans in the foyer, during the month of August?

Mennonite Disaster Service in High River, Alberta has 2 homeowners that want to move into their homes by September 4. Please help us make it possible! Come for a week starting August 23 or 30. Or come for 2 or 3 days. People with limited &/or no carpentry skills and those with lots of carpentry skills are both needed and wanted. Call 1-800-241-8111.

COMING EVENTS:

Sept. 6, 10:30 a.m. - Family Fun Day at YFBC - worship service, noon meal, and afternoon games and activities - invitation to follow.

Sept. 13, 2:30 p.m. - RJC Opening program, in the school auditorium - join the faculty, staff and students to ask God's blessing on a new school year.

Sept. 25 - 27 - Quilting and Scrapbooking Retreat at Shekinah - also for knitters, calligraphers, painters, etc! See posted information.

Sept. 27, 3:30 p.m. - Grace Mennonite, Prince Albert - You are invited to the installation service of Ryan Siemens as Mennonite Church Saskatchewan Area Church Minister - Congregational & Pastoral Relations. Fellowship lunch will follow the service.

Oct. 2 - 4 - Singing with the Spirit, a weekend workshop for the congregational voice, led by Marilyn Houser Hamm, will be hosted by Nutana Park Church, Saskatoon - all welcome, see posted information.

Oct. 3 & 4 - SMYO Jr. High Retreat, at Youth Farm Bible Camp. See posted information.

Oct. 23 - 25 - Peace it Together Conference: Canadian Mennonite University will host a national youth conference on the theme **A Meeting Place: Hearing God in Indigenous Voices**. Speakers include Sue Eagle, Vincent Solomon, Christy Anderson and Steve Heinrichs. For info call toll-free 877-231-4570 or email pit2015@cmu.ca. To register: cmu.ca/pit.

Rosthern Mennonite Church Financial Report						
Worship service # 33						
August 16, 2015						
	Actual	Weekly Budget	Weekly Surplus/Deficit	Year to Date		
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Budget	\$ 1,400.00	\$ 3,970.25	\$ (2,570.25)	\$117,192.01	\$131,018.25	\$ (13,826.24)
Coffee fund	\$ 40.10					
TOTAL	\$ 1,440.10	\$ 3,970.25	\$ (2,570.25)	\$117,192.01	\$131,018.25	\$ (13,826.24)

Attendance last Sunday: 79

Welcome to:

Rosthern Mennonite Church

Followers of Jesus Christ

Called by God

Empowered by the Spirit

To Grow as a Community of Grace, Joy and Peace

So that God's Healing and Hope Flow through Us to the World

Worship Service 10:00 a.m.
Sunday School 11:15 a.m.
Office Hours Tuesday - Friday, 9:00 a.m.- Noon

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