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## WELCOME

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**Scripture Reading:** Romans 13: 8-12

**Message:** "Who is My Neighbour" - Canadian Mennonite University

### THIS WEEK

<b>Sun (8)</b>	<b>9:00am</b>	Adult Formation
	<b>10:15am</b>	Worship & EK
<b>Mon (9)</b>	<b>7:00am</b>	Men's Prayer & Bible Study
<b>Wed (11)</b>	<b>10:00am</b>	Coffee Time
	<b>6:30pm</b>	Worship Committee meeting

### UPCOMING EVENTS

<b>March 23</b>	<b>6:30pm</b>	<b>Emmanuel Annual Congregational Meeting</b>
<b>April 4</b>		<b>Good Friday Service &amp; Communion</b>

### OUR CHURCH

**EMMANUEL KIDS**— Emmanuel's version of Sunday School. Emmanuel uses a strategy for Family Ministry called Orange. Children will be dismissed to their classes in the fellowship hall during the sermon slot. A check-in person will greet you at the entrance.

**CHILD PLAYROOM**— Children are always welcome in our sanctuary during our service but if they require a separate space to play there is a playroom located through the back north door of the sanctuary and to your left.

**ADULT FORMATION**— Sundays @9am in the Multi-Purpose Room. March 15—Join us for the continuation of our series on forgiveness.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

**CMU CHOIR**— Welcome to the CMU Choir along with the conductor, Janet Brenneman and Anneli Loep Thiessen. They will be leading us in worship and reflection this morning.

**SUNDAY MORNING VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**—We have a spot for you! Whether your gift is greeting people, tech, teaching children, leading worship, music - we need you! Training is provided. Feel free to contact the office, Pastor Corey or any committee member for more info!

**HOSTS NEEDED** - We rent our church occasionally to family groups, organizations, choirs, wedding parties etc. We need hosts to help guests get acquainted with our building and to make sure they have good experience. We have a list of duties in the office. Compensation is provided. Please consider signing up for this opportunity to help out our church. On behalf of Facilities committee .

## CONFERENCE ANNOUNCEMENTS

### MCM:

**Young adults - Registration is open.** You can expect games, good conversation, time outside and even a night game! You can arrive anytime after 7:00pm on Saturday March 21st, festivities beginning at 7:30. We will head home at 3:00 on Sunday afternoon! We can't wait to see you there! Camp Assiniboia March 21 evening until March 22 afternoon. Visit [www.mennochurch.mb.ca/events](http://www.mennochurch.mb.ca/events) for info and online registration.

**(Note new livestream link) MCM Gathering worship service:** All in MCM are welcome to this year's Gathering Friday evening service, no registration needed. March 6, 7:00pm at Bethel Mennonite Church in Winnipeg. Can't be there? Livestream link at [www.mennochurch.mb.ca/gathering](http://www.mennochurch.mb.ca/gathering)

**55+ Day Away @ Camp Assiniboia** – March 24, 9 am – 3 pm. Enjoy lunch and a day of hiking, fireplace conversations, music, games and more. \$20. Call Elisabeth at 204-895-2267 by March 18 to reserve a spot.

**Join Mennonite Coalition for Indigenous Solidarity as we learn more about the impact of residential school denialism.** Hear from speakers Niigaan Sinclair and Sean Carlton as well as the work of the National Indigenous Residential School Museum. March 10, 7-9pm at Charleswood Mennonite Church.

**Light the Fire Party with comedian Matt Falk.** April 19, 2026. 7:00pm. Caboto Centre, Winnipeg. Come out and support your Camps with Meaning Capital Campaign by enjoying the "effortlessly funny" comedian, Matt Falk. Free tickets are available at [www.lightthefire.ca](http://www.lightthefire.ca)

**MCM Monday. March 9, 7:30-8:30pm** – Interview with Jonathan Neufeld, MC Canada Indigenous Relations Coordinator. Bring your questions for Jonathan as we seek to understand how we are organizing across our regions. [www.mennochurch.mb.ca/mcmmondays](http://www.mennochurch.mb.ca/mcmmondays) for the the Zoom link.

**Camps with Meaning summer staff: all positions and programs are still open!** Please apply at [www.campswithmeaning.org/staff](http://www.campswithmeaning.org/staff)

### CMU:

**Face2Face at CMU: Being Peacemakers for a World of Surging Polarization** – You are invited on March 11 at 7:00 PM to Marpeck Commons or via livestream for an opportunity to explore how faith-driven empathy can bridge deep cultural divides with Dr. Chris Rice and faculty from CMU. Visit [cmu.ca/face2face](http://cmu.ca/face2face) for more information and the livestream.

**Living Resistance** – CMU faculty member Karen Ridd will lead a hands-on, non-lecture-based event where participants will learn to respond thoughtfully in moments of tension and risk through actively practicing nonviolent resistance techniques. In-person only at 7:00 PM on March 9, 16, 23, or 30. Register at [cmu.ca/events](http://cmu.ca/events).

**21st Annual Verna and Peter Janzen Music Competition** – CMU's 21st annual event showcasing the work of CMU music students takes place Thursday, March 19 at 7:00 PM at Laudamus Auditorium. The concert will feature competition finalists Emily Adams, Lauryn Edel, Jacob Kenny, Bella Rogers, and Larry Ruffin.

**CMU Employment Opportunities** – CMU invites inquiries and applications for the positions of Human Resources Generalist (full-time, one-year term contract), Custodian, Campus Receptionist, and more. Visit [cmu.ca/employment](http://cmu.ca/employment) for more information.

**CMU Discover Weekend – Do you live outside Winnipeg and want to learn more about CMU?** Come to Discover Weekend on March 26-28. You'll experience all the excitement of Discover Day, plus two nights in residence and an off-campus excursion to get to know Winnipeg. Visit [cmu.ca/experience](http://cmu.ca/experience) for more information and to register. Space is limited.

### MCC:

**The MCC Manitoba Volunteer Portal is the place to find opportunities to serve your community.** Whether you're helping in a Thrift shop or at the MCC Manitoba office, your work helps serve those in Manitoba and around the world. Find opportunities to get involved today!

**We are delighted to welcome Chris Rice to Manitoba in March.** Chris Rice is an MCC alumnus, co-founding director of Duke Divinity School Centre for Reconciliation, writer, and global networker. Join us at these events to hear him share about "**Reconciling All Things**".

#### **Being Peacemakers for a World of Surging Polarization**

Wednesday, March 11, 7 p.m.

CMU Marpeck Commons, 2299 Grant Ave., Winnipeg

#### **Stories of Hope for Justice and Healing**

Thursday, March 12, 7 p.m.

MCC Manitoba, 100-140 Bannatyne Ave., Winnipeg

#### **Building the Beloved Community in a Time of Division**

Saturday, March 14, 7 p.m.

Neubergthal Commons Barn, Neubergthal

## COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

**WINKLER BIBLE CAMP PRESENTS A FUNDRAISING DINNER THEATRE** entitled 'Mystery at Crossview Manor' March 20-22 at 6:30 p.m. To purchase your tickets, please visit our website or call the office at 204-325-9519.

**FREE GOSPEL CONCERT!** Everyone is warmly invited to a Gospel concert with **The Fehr Family Band** on Friday, March 27th at 7:00pm at Emmanuel Mennonite Church. No tickets required to attend, and there will be a freewill offering to support children's education in Latin America. For more information, please contact GENERATION RISING at (204) 415-6836 or visit [www.genrising.org/events](http://www.genrising.org/events).

**ONE HOPE CANADA** - April 14th @7pm at the EMM Church, Winkler. Join us for a fun evening of Gospel music with The Giesbrecht Family, and stories highlighting how God is at work through Bible camp ministry across the country. This event is free to attend, a free-will offering to support the work and ministry of One Hope Canada will be collected during the evening.

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