NOVEMBER 1, 2026

OUR CHURCH

SERIES: “This is Us”
Week 5 Not About Me
Text: 1 Corinthians 9: 19-27; 10:23-11:1
Value: Worship
Big Idea: Freedom in Christ was never meant to be used for yourself alone — it's meant to be laid down for the sake of others.
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOR OUR NEIGHBOURS COFFEE - Over the last number of years Emmanuel has provided coffee for a community group in our city. On November 17th at 2pm we will be providing coffee break for the staff and volunteers from Central Station, The Pantry and the Food Cupboard. We are looking for people to bake cookies, make coffee and transport and serve coffee break! If you would like to help out please contact Connie in the office.

FALL MEMBERSHIP MEETING - November 17th at 6:30pm.

NEXT SUNDAY - On November 8th we will welcome the Men’s Faith & Life Choir to lead us in worship.

SAVE THE DATE! ADVENT is coming! November 28th will be the annual FAMILY ADVENTure! Stay tuned for more details.

2026-27 DIRECTORY - It’s that time of year, time to update the directory. It would be great to have some updated family pictures! If there are any changes to your information or your info is currently not in the directory, please contact the office at office@winkleremmanuel.com

CONFERENCE ANNOUNCEMENTS

MCC:

This November, MCC invites you to wear the peace button to remember all people who are affected by the atrocities of war. Bearing the simple message “to remember is to work for peace”, MCC’s peace button can be worn in addition to a poppy pin. Pick up your free peace button at MCC Manitoba (100-140 Bannatyne Ave., Winnipeg) or contact Ebony at 2024-261-6381 if you would like to place a bulk order.

Do you want to help spread the message of bread not bombs and bring people together to advocate for peace? This resource will help you gather a group to learn and reflect on peacemaking and take action for a more peaceful world. mcc.org/resources/bread-not-bombs-advocacy-resources

The annual Christmas Quilt and Craft Sale presented by Piece It Together will take place on Saturday, Nov. 21 at Fort Garry Mennonite Fellowship (150 Bayridge Ave., Winnipeg) from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Discover a treasure trove of beautiful handicrafts, lovingly made and donated by local volunteers. Your contributions will directly support Mennonite Central Committee's humanitarian relief efforts.

MCM:

Camps with Meaning Celebration Fundraising Banquets: People of the Project. Nov 7. 5:30pm. Morden Mennonite Church; Nov 8. 5:30pm. Bethel Mennonite, Winnipeg. Reserve your free tickets by calling or emailing the office (204-895-2267, camps@mennochurch.mb.ca); or visit www.campswithmeaning.org/events.

Imagine Together 2026: A church for all ages. Join us for this special MCM resourcing afternoon around intergenerational church. November 14. 1:00-4:00pm online only. Keynote speaker is Meredith Anne Miller. Nine breakout workshops are in place. More info, schedule, breakouts, and registration at www.mennochurch.mb.ca/events

CMU:

Bachelor of Education Information Session – Considering the CMU Bachelor of Education after-degree program? Join us on November 18 at 7:00 PM for a one-hour online information session. Visit cmu.ca/education-info-session to register.

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Winkler Area Youth Leaders Presents: WINKLER PARENT NIGHT - Social Media, Mental Health & Resilient Faith - Helping parents understand what's going on inside their kids, and how to build a resilient faith in an anxious, always-online world. SPEAKER : EBONIE DAVIS, Co-author of Grit and Joy. THURSDAY NOVEMBER 5 @7:00 PM GRACE MENNONITE CHURCH. COFFEE AND SNACKS TO FOLLOW

CELEBRATE WITH US! SALEMS 70TH ANNIVERSARY FUNDRAISING EVENTS
There are two events, one afternoon event, and one evening event. Come to one or join us for both on Sunday, November 8th at the Winkler Bergthaler Church for a special day of gratitude, fellowship, and celebration!
• 3:00 PM – Fellowship & Song, followed by refreshments (Free will offering)
• 5:00 PM – Celebratory Formal Dinner (Advance ticket purchase required) Tickets: $40 available until Oct 30,2026
Online ticket purchase on our website at: www.salemhome.ca Check under 'Whats Happening' Click on "Get Tickets".
Ticket Link: www.canadahelps.org/en/charities/salem-foundation-inc/events/salem-70th-anniversary-celebration-dinner/
Or drop off by Cheque or cash at Salem Foundation before Oct.30/2026.
All proceeds from the event directly support our Supportive Housing Project. Come sing, connect, and celebrate this incredible milestone with us!

SOUTHERN MANITOBA CONCERT season tickets are now available at Only Local in the Altona Mall, Janzen's Paint and Decorating in Winkler, or Morkler's in Morden. Season tickets, which include four concerts, may also be purchased at the first concert on **Sunday, November 8 at the Emmanuel Mennonite Church in Winkler**. This first concert features two choirs: Prairie Singers and Konektis. The concert starts at 3:00 and doors open at 2:30. Cash or cheque only for ticket sales.

You are warmly invited to a BENEFIT CONCERT FOR FRIENDS OF THE MENNONITE CENTRE IN UKRAINE (FOMCU).You will hear Tatiana Horbetska, resident of Kyiv, Ukraine share about life in the city that is under frequent attack, as well as updates on projects of the Mennonite Centre.
Musicians: Karl Stobbe, violin; Leanne Regehr Lee, piano.
Time: Saturday, November 14, 7:00 pm
Place: Fort Garry Mennonite Fellowship, 150 Bayridge Ave., Winnipeg
There will be a number of paintings by Ukrainian artists on display and for sale. Coffee and cookies to follow with opportunity for conversation with guests and board members.
Admission by donation.
Please see bulletin board for the poster.

WINKLER BIBLE CAMP PRESENTS A 55+ FUNDRAISING EVENT "TIMELESS CONNECTIONS" November 15th 1:30pm - 4:30pm. Join us for fun, food and fellowship. For more information go to winklerbiblecamp.com.

FREE GOSPEL CONCERT! Everyone is warmly invited to a gospel concert with **Rosemary Siemens, Eli Bennet & Family of SaxandViolin** on Friday, December 4th at 7:00pm at **Emmanuel Mennonite Church** in Winkler. 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.generationrising.org/events