Osler Mennonite Church

A Welcoming Community for Peace Following Jesus on the Path of Reconciliation

10:00 a.m. Worship Service

July 3, 2022

"Sending"

Gathering Hymn: VT #37 "Be Still and Know"

#606 "Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah"

Welcome and Call to Worship from #97 Words for Worship

Leader: The Lord is in his holy temple;

let all the earth be silent before him.

People: God is here among us and within us. We await God's word.

Leader: God's greatness fills us with wonder and with awe.

People: Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts;

the whole earth is full of his glory.

All: We worship a holy God, who inhabits our world and lives within use.

Prayer of Invocation

Offering Prayer/Music for Meditation

from #207 Words for Worship

Leader: Give to the Lord the glory due his name;

Bring an offering and come before him.

People: We will sacrifice a thank offering to God and call the name of the Lord. We will fulfill our vows to the Lord,

in the presence of all God's people.

Leader: Let watch of us use whatever gift we have received,

faithfully sharing God's grace in many forms.

People: Freely we have received; freely we will give.

Sharing and Praying for the Work of the Church

- -Pastors Patty on her MDS vacation
- -Nora and others who are traveling to the World Conference
- -pray for safe vacations for all

Hymn: VT #152 "God, Whose Purpose Is to Kindle"

Scripture Reading: Luke 10:1-11

After this, Jesus appointed seventy-two others, and sent them on ahead in pairs to every town and place he intended to visit. He said to them, "The harvest is rich, but the workers are few; therefore, ask the overseer to send workers to the harvest.

"Be on your way, and remember: I am sending you as lambs in the midst of wolves. Don't carry a walking stick or knapsack; wear no sandals and greet no one along the way. And whatever house you enter, first say, 'Peace be upon this house!' If the people live peaceably there, your peace will rest on them; if not, it will come back to you. Stay in that house, eating and drinking what they give you, for the laborer is worth a wage. Don't keep moving from house to house.

"And whatever city you enter, after they welcome you, eat what they set before you and heal those who are sick in that town. Say to them, 'The reign of God has drawn near to you.' If the people of any town you enter don't welcome you, go into its streets and say, 'We shake the dust of this town from our feet as testimony against you. But know that the reign of God has drawn near.'

Leader: For the Word of God in Scripture, For the Word of God among us, For the Word of God within us.

People: Thanks be to God!

Hymn: VT #707 "Dona nobis pacem"

Sermon: "I Am Sending You"

Hymn: VT #813 "Heart with Loving Hear United"

Benediction: (Rev. Heather A. Moody)

Go forth from this place refreshed and empowered to do the ministry to which God calls you: Travel lightly, for you carry within you all that you need. Notice God's presence in everyday experiences. Whenever opportunity arises, labor for the good of all. And the blessing and joy of God, our Creator, Healer, and Life-Giver go with you today and always. Amen.

TODAY'S WORSHIP July 3

Speaker: Nora Pederberg (read by Matt Pederberg)

Worship Leader: Terry Stefaniuk Song Leader: Kevin

Accompanist: Melanie Sound: Ushers: Harold & Lloyd

*Offerings can be done via e-transfer to osler.mc.treasurer@gmail.com

Office Hours: 8:30 am – 12:30 pm Wednesday and Friday

Patty's Weeks: July 1-10 MDS, Monte Lake, BC (vacation time)

Nora's Week: Nora in Indonesia June 28th-July 16th - will return to

OMC office July 20th.

For emergencies July 1-10 while Pastor Nora and Pastor Patty are away, please call Lois Siemens, 306-250-7362.

Birthdays this week: 2-Vanessa Stefaniuk, 6-Morrison Bird, 9-Joanne

Feick & Kathy Braun

Church Yard Maintenance: Carl Martens Funk & the Bornes'

NEXT SUNDAY WORSHIP July 10

Speaker: Ed Olfert Worship Leader: Henry Funk Song Leaders: Loretta, Ben Accompanist: Naomi

Children's Time: Wilf Sound: Doug Ushers: Harold & Lloyd

OMC CALENDAR

July 3 10:00 am Nora Pederberg read by Matt Pederberg

July 10 10:00 am Ed Olfert

July 17 10:00 am Patty Friesen Mary, Martha & MDS

July 24 10:00 am Campers/Patty Friesen

July 31 10:00 am Stories & Song

*Today's Service will not be livestreamed on Facebook.

Note from Worship Committee: During the summer months, not every service will be livestreamed on Facebook because our sound techs are on vacation. We will maintain regular microphones etc. in the sanctuary, but will not always have volunteers available to run the livestream. If any of you would like to learn how to run the livestream and sound during worship, we are looking for more volunteers! You can do it with a buddy or on your own. Please talk to Melanie Boldt.

Announcements

*MCC Connects: MCC Canada is joining the Humanitarian Coalition appeal for the hunger crisis in sub-Saharan Africa. Until July 17th, donations made will be matched (up to 5 million dollars) to provide emergency food for children and families facing extreme hunger in places like South Sudan. Donate today: https://donation.mcccanada.ca/hunger-crisis/

*RESPONDING TO THE HUNGER CRISIS You can provide food for families on the brink of starvation You may have heard a hunger crisis is looming. Families in places like South Sudan are on the brink of starvation if they don't get urgent, life-saving assistance. MCC is responding and we need your help. The Government of Canada has just announced matching funds, so donations from individual Canadians will be matched, up to \$5 million, until July 17. mcccanada.ca/hunger-crisis

A Time to Strengthen & Renew- Couples Canoe Trip July 8-11, 2022 Couples therapy on the water as you spend time in nature. Adventure guides with the Youth Farm Bible Camp, will teach you what you need to know to paddle as a team and navigate the river in this unique couple's adventure. Dwight & Wendy Eisler with Sparrow's Life Counselling will facilitate relationship building discussions & activities. Link for more information or to register: https://sparrowslifecounselling.ca/workshops

- *Shekinah was able to open up spots for more campers, so we need volunteer cooks for the following weeks: Children's 1, July 10-14; Intermediate, July 17-22; Children's 2, July 24-29. We'll put you up at the Timber Lodge and guarantee a high energy week! We can accommodate you, even if you just have a day or two to offer. Please call 306-945-4929 or email reno@shekinah.ca.
- *Bethany Manor, Food Services Department is hiring Casual Assistant Cooks. Please call Jennifer Bulka at 306-380-7920 if interested in learning more about this opportunity.
- *Mennonite Church Canada shares worship services again this summer This Sunday, July 3, Sherbrooke Mennonite Church, part of Mennonite Church British Columbia is sharing the service. The services and a schedule are available at mennonitechurch.ca/worshipservices.

*July 3: Forest Church at Shekinah - 3pm. Communion service with outdoor worship. All are welcome!

Harry has moved to Transitional Care at City Hospital #6357

Friendship Inn Saturday, July 16, 11:00-1:00 Please sign up on bulletin board or call Adeline.

- *All are invited to come to Susan Bueckert's 97th Birthday Party @ the farm north of Neuhorst on Friday, July 15, 1:00 p.m.
- *Osler and Nutana Park Mennonite Churches are seeking an enthusiastic, committed, creative individual to lead our children's, young families', youth and young adult programs. The Pastor of Faith and Community will inspire the congregations to build relationships within their churches, while focusing on the faith formation and pastoral care of children, young families, youth and young adults. This is a full-time position shared between the Osler Mennonite Church (Osler) and Nutana Mennonite Church (Saskatoon). See the full job description at www.npmc.net or www.oslermennonitechurch.org. Please send your resumes to Ben Buhler at blbuhler@hotmail.com by July 31, 2022. The position may be filled before the July 31 date if a suitable candidate is found.

Pastor Nora is at MWC in Indonesia! The total Youth Conference and General Conference take place June 30 - July 10th, and the General conference can be attended online, so check out https://event.mwc-cmm.org/event/8c9c9576-4a3d-4ab2-a486-fc5024defbf6/summary if you are interested in attending some of the event for yourself!

FYI – one of the Sunday School rooms is being used for private office space for the month of July.

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