

**Community/Cluster**

**Grandparent & Grandchild Day** at Hidden Acres Mennonite Camp on March 16<sup>th</sup> or 17<sup>th</sup>. Bring your grandchildren in grades 1-6 for an awesome adventure journeying around the world. We will be exploring culture, faith and unique aspects of a variety of countries. If you need a Brochures see Janet. For more information, visit [www.hiddenacres.ca](http://www.hiddenacres.ca), email [info@hiddenacres.ca](mailto:info@hiddenacres.ca), or call [\(519\)625-8602](tel:(519)625-8602).

**Mar. 20: St. Peter's LUNCHEON** beef stew, coleslaw, crusty bread, relishes, desserts, beverages. Adult: \$10, Child: \$3 11:30 -1:30p.m. see poster.

**Sat. Mar. 28: Rescue Junction in Concert** at PERC Banquet Hall Doors open at 6:30p.m. Concert at 7p.m. Opening act: Greenwood Hill. Tickets by donation [www.milvertonag.ca](http://www.milvertonag.ca) [info@milvertonag.ca](mailto:info@milvertonag.ca) See poster

**Cancelled to a later date: Sun. Mar. 29:** 3p.m. Waterloo North Mennonite Church (100 Benjamin Rd, Waterloo) – Join **Menno Singers** & artistic director **Brandon Leis** for a concert.

**Employment Opportunity:** Wellesley Mennonite Church is seeking a 0.5 FTE Associate Pastor who will focus on music, youth and children's programs.. For more information, please visit <https://www.wellesleymennonite.ca> or Mennonite Church Eastern Canada website: <https://mcec.ca/ministry-opportunities>

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# Poole Mennonite Church

## March 15, 2020

*Mission Statement: To plant seeds of love and nourish roots in Jesus Christ to grow and harvest the Kingdom of God.*

### Gathering to Worship

Welcome  
Announcements  
Call to Worship



Leader: Come, let's sing out loud to the Lord!

**People: Let's raise a joyful shout to the Rock of our Salvation!**

Leader: Come, you who are thirsty and can find no water in the desert.

**People: We bring our questions, our complaints, to the Rock of our Salvation.**

Leader: Come and see the One who speaks to us of living water.

**People: Show us who you are and who we are, O Jesus.**

**All: Let's raise a joyful shout to the Rock of our Salvation!**

Opening Prayer

Opening Song *Come, we that love the Lord* HWB 14

### In Praise of God in Song and Word

Psalm Reading Psalm 95

Songs of Praise *When we walk with the Lord* HWB 544  
*My hope is built on nothing less* HWB 343

Offertory Prayer & Offering

Worship with the Children Pastor Fred

Scripture Reading Romans 5:1-11

Message "Suffering, perseverance, character and hope"

Pastor Fred

Hymn of Response *'Tis so sweet to trust in Jesus* HWB 340

Sharing of Joys & Prayers

Pastoral Prayer & Lord's Prayer

### Blessing & Sending

Sending Song *God be with you* HWB 430

Benediction

"Each Sunday one of the lit candles will be extinguished until Jesus is on the cross."

Worship Leader: Krystal Richards      Scripture Reading: Cindy Schultz  
Song Leader: Sandra Kuepfer              Pianist: Wendy Dunn

**Ushers for March**

Jeff Scheerer, Don Roth, Gid Jantzi. Robert Schultz

**No Sunday School**

**Attendance: 105**

**OUR GIFTS: Budget \$3,637.00 PWIM \$40**

**PRAYER AND PRAISE**

- Poole People to remember: **Leona Erb**
- **Pray for the country** as it addresses the concerns around COVID-19
- **Pray for our church** as we worship differently. No handshakes & hugs.
- **Pray for front line** health workers.
- **Pray for Mabel Wagler** as she is still in hospital.

**The pastor and elders** are looking for two elders. Please pray and think about who might fulfill the obligations of being an Elder for Poole. We will vote on Sunday Mar. 22.

**Hidden Acres Mennonite Camp 38<sup>h</sup> Annual Fundraising**

**Bowlathon** Was held on Sat, if you still would like to support this cause see Janet. Thanks to all who supported this cause.



**This Week:**

**Pastor Fred** will be in the office Wednesday, Thursday & Friday.

**Sun. Mar. 22: Agape is not coming!** Worship Service - 10:00 a.m.  
– No Potluck at noon.

**Coming Events**

**Fri. Mar. 27: Last time at Barb's** restaurant at 7a.m.  
"It is the end of the age. Adapting to change"



**Calling all those who knit and crochet** – we would like to begin a "**Prayer Shawl**" ministry within our church family and beyond. All interested are invited to Wendy Dunn's home on **Fri. Mar. 27 @ 7pm** for a time of prayer and blessing and fellowship and bring your knitting/crocheting!



**Mar 29:** Pastor Fred

**Poole People Players** performance **April 2, 3 & 4.**

**Caught in the Act** by Pat Cook

- at the Wellesley Community Centre.



"Everyone wants to audition for a role in the next play chosen by the Theatre Committee. *"Hark, Hark, the Dumplings"* Just maybe the show will go to Broadway. There is a note for JD. But, who is JD? and where is he or she?" For Tickets see Janet.

Still room for you to Sign-up to help serve our guests.  
Sign-up sheet on Mission Bulletin Board  
All performances or contact: Catherine Reimer - 595-7642

**Apr. 5: Pastor Fred**

**Apr. 10: Good Friday Service** - foot/hand washing & communion  
At 10:30a.m.

**Apr. 12: Easter Sunday** – Pastor Fred

**Apr. 16: Church Council** – 7p.m. Reports due Apr. 9.

*Storms without*

*God will break you.*

*Storms with God*

*will build you.*

