

PRAYER AND PRAISE

Poole People to remember: **Ralph Kropf**

Remember Ralph's celebrating his 95th birthday on June 22.

Let's shower him with cards, wishes and/or phone calls to brighten his day. His address is River Gardens Retirement Residence, 409-10 Romeo Street, North, Stratford, Ontario. N5A 5M7 His phone number is 519-276-3513.

Pray for Waterloo Region as it lives through a large outbreak of the Delta Variant.

Remember Mennonite World Conference as it tries to connect with all its member churches during the pandemic.

Glenda Byrd will be moving to Milverton Place on August 1. Pray for a sense of peace for Glenda

Wear your mask, and a smile. Be safe and keep well. Get vaccinated.



Wedding Bells: We wish God's blessings upon Krystle Jantzi and Curtis Priestap will be celebrating their marriage vows next Friday.

Pastor Fred is on vacation from Friday June 18 through Thursday July 1. If you have pastoral concerns or Prayer Chain alerts, please contact Wendy Dunn.



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Poole Mennonite Church

June 20, 2021

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

Prelude

Announcements

Call to Worship

Songs:

- Here I Am to Worship VT 227
- My Hope is built VT 621
- Teach Me Oh Lord To Number My Days (sheet music)
- Precious Lord Take My Hand VT 610

Children Time

Sandra Kuepfer

Songs:

- We Dream of Turning VT 209
- In Christ Alone VT 332
- Be Thou My Vision VT 549
- Victory In Jesus (sheet music)
- Lord You Have Come to the Lakeshore VT 283

Sharing and Pastoral Prayer

Wendy Dunn

Sending Song:

- Alleluia, Alleluia (sheet, acapella)

Benediction

Thank you to the Singers – Bonnie Ropp, Austin Schultz, Donna Schultz, Jim Brenneman, Sandra Kuepfer and Wendy, and to Jason in the sound booth for their part in today's service.



Church Re-Opening Plan

Poole Mennonite Church Council discussed the path forward to re-opening to live Sunday worship services. We acknowledge the importance of accommodating those who desire to come to the church building for worship as well as the safety concerns that some may have where participating in zoom meetings and listening to worship services online is preferred.

For this reason, motions were moved and passed to re-open the church for live Sunday worship services once the province has reached stage 2. In the meantime, we would also like to welcome up to a maximum of 10 families to attend the taping of services which will be held on Thursday evenings at 7pm at the church.

If you wish to attend the taping, please ensure that you RSVP to Janet at poolemen@perth.net or call the church office. We will also follow the same safety protocols of wearing a mask and social distancing in the sanctuary which were put in place as before to ensure that this is done safely.

It is our hope that you will find this direction is in the best interest of everyone in our congregation and we pray that it won't be long before we can all worship together on Sunday.

Blessings, Church Council

Contributions for June 7 to 17
OUR GIFTS: Budget: \$2,590.00 Celebration Jar: \$105.00

The Worship Committee is looking for members of our church family to share a personal story, journey or testimony that has deepened their relationship with Jesus over the summer months. We would encourage you to share them yourself or if you do not feel comfortable speaking, we would ask you to write your reflections and one of us will "speak" on your behalf. We would love to fill some of our Sunday's that Fred is needing some much-deserved rest, with getting to know each other better! Please contact one of us if you are interested.

Ramona Albrecht, Wendy Dunn and Wanda Hagen



Coming Events:

Be a delegate for Tri-County Mennonite Homes Annual General Meeting! Happening Wed. Jun. 30 from 6 to 8 PM on Zoom, the AGM will bring you up to date on Aldaview Services, Greenwood Court, Nithview Community, and much more. For details on how to join the meeting, call 519-662-2718 ext. 5103 or email eshannon@tcmhomes.com. Please contact Janet if Interested.

Hidden Acres Mennonite Camp will host its **54th ANNUAL CHICKEN BARBECUE** as a **DRIVE THRU EVENT** on **Tuesday, June 22nd, 2021** from **4:30 to 6:30 pm**. All proceeds support Hidden Acres' summer camp ministry to children, families and individuals. Individual Meal \$15.00; Family Meal (4 people) \$55.00. Additional pieces of chicken will be available for purchase for \$4/piece. **ADVANCE TICKETS ONLY**. Purchase tickets at www.hiddenacres.ca

Milverton Fellowship Church: We are excited and grateful to be able to offer an in-person VBS this Summer for the week of August 9-13th, 9-11:30 a.m. Our theme this year is Rainforest Explorers!

At Rainforest Explorers, we'll learn about Jesus, our Saviour, through five Bible stories, meet new friends, do fun activities, sing great songs, make crafts, play games, eat snacks, and more! Kids learn how Jesus is our ultimate guide in the rainforest and in life. Some days we might feel lost, but He'll show us the way. He leads us to the treasure of eternal life, and He'll never leave us alone!

This Camp is open to children who have **finished Junior Kindergarten** (born 2016) to kids who have **finished Grade 8** (born 2007). Be sure to bring your water bottle, sun screen and anything else you might need for the morning. It's completely **FREE** so we hope to see you there!

Registration is open at our link: <https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/mcf-presents-rainforest-explorers-vbs-2021-registration-159164801205> or at our website: www.mcfchurch.net/events-1 or call 519-595-8762.