

Poole Mennonite Church

May 15, 2022

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

“Being a Faithful Church”

Prelude
Welcome & Announcements
Call to Worship & Prayer



Opening Songs: *To the River I am Going* on screen

Be Thou My Vision VT 549

Offering Prayer (the plate is at the back in the foyer)

Children’s Time: Rule of Life

Scripture Reading: Exodus 20: 12-17
 Colossians 3: 1-11

Sermon: **“Getting To Maybe”** **Pastor Fred**

Song of Response: *God of the Bible* VT 420

Sharing Time
Pastoral Prayer & Lord’s Prayer

Sending Song: *Go Now in Peace* VT 835
Benediction

Thanks to Connie G., Wendy and the **Audio-Visual booth** for their roles in the service.

Today’s service is the third in a four-part series on the Compassionate Church. I am calling it “Being a Faithful Church”. Next week: Colossians 12-17, “Wrap it in a Bow of Love “. If you have a chance, read the letter to Colossians.

Welcome to all who are here in person & those listening on.

There will be Sunday School today.

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Last Sunday Attendance: 64

Poole Mennonite Church **NEW** Address: 6475 Perth Rd 121
Poole, ON N0K1S0

The Loaves & Fishes Food Bank



Your generosity has kept the shelves at the food bank well stocked. We recently have had more people attending the food bank and are currently in low supply of food. Please check the insert for the list of needed items. Many thanks for your generosity! There will be a donation box at the back of the church. God Bless
Food Bank Committee

PRAYER AND PRAISE

- Poole Person to remember: **Selina Jutzi**
Happy 86th Birthday to Selina. Her birthday is today.
- **Pray for Vernon Brenneman.** He has contracted Covid. He is in Stratford Hospital. Pray for his recover. Pray for Bonnie (his daughter) & Murray Zehr who have been taking care of Vernon for the last year.
- **Pray for our** farmers as they finish planting.
- **Pray for Ontario** as it moves to an election in June
- **Pray for Clarence Catchagee** as he prepares his message for us on May 2
- **Pray for the Elders.** They meet on Tuesday.
- **Pray for the people** living with homelessness in Stratford.
- **Pray for the places** of conflict.
- **Remember the Palestinians.** A Palestinian journalist was shot dead in the West Bank.
- **Enjoy the sunshine**

If you would be interested in taking a class for baptism, let Fred know.

If you are interested in leading worship or reading Scripture, please contact Rebecca Byers at 519-949-8712 or rebecca_ropp@hotmail.com

We need to hire a coordinator for the ESL program at Poole. The expected hours of work fluctuate from season to season and we hope to begin classes in the early fall. More information about this position please contact Janet.

Coming Events

Sun. May 15: 7:30pm. Please join us for an evening concert of harp and keyboard with the Klassens at Maple View MC.

May 18: JONAH ZOOM Bible Study Starts at 7:30. A zoom invite will be sent to the prayer list. Read Jonah 1

Sat. May 28: Millbank Community GARAGE SALE 8-2pm. Visit the Food Booth -sponsored by Millbank Heritage and Arts Society

MCC's looking for auction items for the New Hamburg relief sale please contact barryroth@nhmrs.com if you would like to donate.

May 27-28: New Hamburg Relief Sale – Sale & Quilt Auction



There is a box for your coins at the back of the church and the front entrance.



Contact Erb Street if you want to volunteer at the Relief Sale Hamburger & Hot dog Booth. 519-886-3570.

May 29 - Clarence Catchagee will be our guest speaker. He is from Cree First Nation.

Sunday May 29: Memorial Service for Mildred Brenneman @ 2p.m. We need 20 dozen cupcakes for the luncheon. If you are willing to make cupcakes, please contact Janet.

Gift Cards – If you are needing to buy groceries, gas, or are heading out to a restaurant soon, or doing home renovations we have a gift card for you. Please consider purchasing a gift card to make these purchases. There is no extra cost to you, and we help out the various mission projects that Poole supports. Get your co-workers, neighbours, friends in on this too – see if we can submit the largest order yet!! Order forms are available today, with orders needing to be given to Connie Jantzi by June 12. Gift cards will be here in time for Father's Day on the 19th.

The Board of Directors at Tri-County Mennonite Homes is looking for new Board members. If interested more information is available on our website (www.tcmhomes.com) or by emailing Nomination & Governance Committee Chair, Stephen Yantzi (syantzi@tcmhomes.com).

Silver Lake Mennonite Camp:

The Grand Paddle & Hike 2022: A heartfelt thank you to all participants and donors for your support of this important SLMC fundraiser. Due to technical issues with the CH site last weekend, the fundraiser has been extended and donations will be accepted until Sunday, May 15. We're so close to the reaching the \$50,000 goal – you could help us get there! To make a donation visit our [Fundraising Site!](#)

SLMC Online Campfire: May 29 at 7pm. For all ages. Visit our [homepage](#) for campfire link! Volunteers needed at SLMC this summer! Go to slmc.ca/camp/volunteers for more info and to apply. Spots available in many overnight camps, out-trips and off-site day camps. Go to www.slmc.ca to register!

New Hamburg Thrift Store is in major need of Volunteers!!



With society opening up and the busy spring season ahead, we are looking for people available through the week during regular business hours. Please reach out to Jennifer Woolner at jenniferwoolner@mcco.ca or 519-662-2867. You can also go to newhamburgthrift.com and fill out a Volunteer application. Thank-You

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