

Preston Mennonite Church

*Being transformed by and extending God's love
through worship, hospitality and service*

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Worship Leader: Alexis Simmons

Song Leader: Laverne Martin

Accompanist: Brooke Brenneman

Praise the Lord

Welcome

Hymn: STJ #1 "We sing to you, O God"

Call to worship – see back of bulletin

Opening Prayer

PRAISE ONE

Scripture: Psalm 147:1-11

Reading: Praise book #586

Hymn: HWB #100 "Praise him, Praise him!"

Reading: HWB #721

Hymn: HWB #102 "To God be the glory"

PRAISE TWO

Children's Time

Scripture: Matthew 19:13-15

Hymn: HWB #341 "Jesus loves me"

Prayer: STS #152

PRAISE THREE

Scripture: Isaiah 40:21-31

Hymn: HWB #584 "They that wait upon the Lord"

Poem: *Wings* by Laverne Martin

Hymn: HWB: #590 "The care the eagle gives her
young"

Sharing Time

Prayer

Offering

Announcements

Hymn: HWB #433 "Go, my children"

Sending

Welcome to our visitors!

We hope our time of worship has been encouraging to you.

Please sign our guest book in the front foyer!

God bless you and we hope to see you again!

COFFEE FELLOWSHIP IN THE FOYER—ALL WELCOME!

Your Pastoral Care Team needs your help. If you know of anyone who is ill or in need of anything, please call: Barb D 519-653-5099, Elsie & Laverne 519-653-0296, or Marg M 519-653-6804.

Adult Discussion Class: we will discuss the column in the current issue of Canadian Mennonite called “Salty language and coming to faith”. Read and bring your copy to discuss what Ryan Jantzi has to say and what should be our attitude and response to “salty language”.
Next Sunday: Come and hear from those involved what Relearning Community and Huddles are all about.

WIDER CHURCH & COMMUNITY EVENTS

Menno Youth Singers in a great Christian choir for teens and young adults. Rehearsals begin Feb 6 at Stirling Ave MC. Register at www.mennosingers.com/mys

Practices to Nourish our Wintry Spirits: a day apart to sustain our wintry spirits. Facilitated by Pat Wagler on Wed Feb 7 from 9 am to 3 pm at W-K United Mennonite Church in Waterloo.

Indigenous Human Rights Act: on Feb 7 it will be voted on and if passed will move on to a Parliamentary Committee for further discussion. We must keep the pressure on and make sure the Government of Canada votes in support of Bill C-262. Email you Member of Parliament to encourage them to stand up for justice. Also CC the Minister of Justice Jody Wilson-Raybould as she is responsible for this file.

Worship Come to its Senses: a workshop to explore songs and texts to communicate our worship. Facilitator is Don Saliers, on Sat Feb 10 from 9 am to 12:30 pm at Waterloo North MC. Fee is \$25. Call 519-885-0220 or contact congreb@uwaterloo.ca to register.

The Grand Philharmonic Choir presents “Gloria” on Sat Feb 10 at 7:30pm at St Peter’s Lutheran Church in Kit. Tickets at CITS box office 519-578-1570 or www.grandphilchoir.com

Seeking Clarity: A Workshop on Discernment, on Sun Feb 11 from 2-6pm at Erb St Mennonite Church, Patricia Wagler facilitating. Join PiE for an afternoon learning about the Quaker discernment tool known as a “Clearness Committee.” Cost \$25, RSVP to Tamara at tamara@pastorsinexile.org

House of Friendship Potato Blitz: check out the poster on bulletin board for ways to get involved or more info available at www.houseoffriendship.org

Heifer Sale on Fri Feb 16 at 11am. To sponsor or donate a heifer, contact MCC at 519-745-8458. More info at www.mcco.ca/heifer-sale

Mennonite Marriage Encounter Fundraiser: on Sat Feb 17 at Waterloo North Mennonite Church. Refreshments at 6 pm followed by a roast beef dinner. Entertainment is provided by the music group *Stand Firm*. Tickets are \$45 at 519-656-2005 or denise_bender@yahoo.com

Family Day Open House at Hidden Acres Mennonite Camp on Feb 19 from 10am to 3:30pm. Come for a fun and relaxing day with your family! Hot lunch available for \$3/person or bring a bagged lunch. More info and to RSVP: info@hiddenacres.ca or 519-625-8602

Addison Women’s Choir Western Theme Entertainment at 3:30pm followed by Chili Chowdown Dinner on Sat Feb 24 at King St Baptist Church in Camb. Adults \$30, children \$15. Tickets will not be sold at the door. More info contact Darlene at 519-623-2369

“The Mouse that Roared” presented by students of Rockway Mennonite Collegiate, on Fri Mar 2 @ 7:30pm and Sat Mar 3 @ 2pm and 7:30pm. Ticket information is available at www.rockway.ca

Grandparent & Grandchild Day at Hidden Acres Mennonite Camp on March 12. Bring your grandchildren in grades 1-6 for an awesome day of playing, singing, learning and worshipping together. More info visit www.hiddenacres.ca or call 519-625-8602

Fraser Lake Camp has positions available for this summer. Interested? Contact camp director Kristen Berg: kberg@fraserlakecamp.com

Silver Lake Mennonite Camp registration is open for summer 2018 for campers age 6-16. Space is limited to register early. More info at www.slmc.ca or contact the camp office at fun@slmc.ca or 519-422-1401

