### **Preston Mennonite Church**

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

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February 21, 2021 9:30 am Lent 1 – Called to Deep Relationship Mark 14:3-9



Worship Leader: Will Stoltz Song Leader: Muriel Bechtel Accompanist: Jack Wyndham A/V Technician: Chris Brown

Speaker: KyongJung Kim

We acknowledge that our church is located on the traditional lands of the Neutral, the Anishinaabe, and the Haudenosaunee peoples.

# GATHERING TO WORSHIP - BEGINNING WITH GOD!

Prelude

Welcome

Gathering Hymn: VT #62 God Is Here Among Us

Psalm 25:1-10

Hymn: VT #636 Spirit, Open My Heart

# Prayer of Self Reflection:

Here we are God finding ourselves feeling overwhelmed by countless unknowns, including all the "what if" fears in our lives. We forget, your deep unfathomable love is ready to seep deeper into our souls, dissolving all the fears and "what will they think if I" concerns that keep us from

living intentionally each day, as though it were our last. May we begin to forgive, let go of, all unresolved past hurts that block the flow of your "life giving" presence to others, and ourselves. We don't know the future, but we sense your saving presence is moving deeper into our hearts, to cope with whatever comes our way. That makes all the difference. Amen

#### WHAT IS GOD SAYING TO ME?

Bible Reading: Mark 14:3-9

Message: Called to Deep Relationship

#### WHAT AM I GOING TO DO ABOUT IT?

Hymn of Response: VT #610 Precious Lord, Take My Hand

Bible Presentation: Charlie Panning

**Prayer Time** 

#### **SENDING**

**Announcements** 

Sending Hymn: VT #601 Lead Me, Guide Me

Blessing

Postlude

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**Covid Update:** Now that we have moved back into the "red zone" we are able to have a few more people at the church. Attending the Sunday morning service will be by invitation only so if you would like to be added to the list, please contact the office.

### **ADULT DISCUSSION**

Read Mark 14 in preparation for Discussion time at 11am via Zoom. Link to Zoom: <a href="https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86005369574">https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86005369574</a>

**Danielle's Ordination is TODAY at 2pm via Zoom.** All are welcome to join and to celebrate this milestone with Danielle!

Join Zoom Meeting <a href="https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88351148925">https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88351148925</a>

Meeting ID: 883 5114 8925

### **MEETINGS & EVENTS**

TODAY	2pm	Ordination for Danielle
Wed Feb 24	9:30am	Connections meeting
Wed Feb 24	9:30am	Pastoral Care meeting
Thu Feb 25	1pm	Prayer meeting
Thu Feb 25	3pm	Book Club
Thu Feb 25	7pm	Joint Connection/Doors meeting
Sun Mar 21	1pm	Annual General Meeting

**New Office Hours**: starting next week, Danielle and KyongJung will be at Wanner on Tuesdays and Preston on Wednesdays. Cindy will be in the PMC office on Wednesdays and Fridays starting at 10am and at WMC on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

**New Hymnals have arrived!** To purchase your own copy or borrow a copy, contact Cindy at the office 519-653-5171 or preston.mennonite.church@gmail.com



# **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

In the mid 2000's, Breslau, Preston and Wanner worked together to sponsor **Mamduoh and Suad Saidam and family**, refugees from Iraq. They lived in Cambridge then Hamilton, where along with other family they had a restaurant until 2016, when it burned down. They just opened a Middle Easter bakery. We pray God's blessing on this new adventure. (<a href="www.znoudal-hamdani.com">www.znoudal-hamdani.com</a>)

World Day of Prayer Service: Travel to Vanuatu! The world is now joined in fighting covid-19 BUT this service emphasizes how the world can be joined in prayer, praise and service to our Lord. It is an inspiring and heartwarming experience. Your donations can be sent directly. Here is the link to watch the service: <a href="https://youtu.be/0rWE3TCR59U">https://youtu.be/0rWE3TCR59U</a>

"Lectio Divina Prayer Meeting" at 1:00 PM on Thursdays. Please let KyongJung know if you want to participate. All are welcome! The link to join the

meeting: <a href="https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88141967186?pwd=MjN0V107TkpUM2ZhcWRjZm03elY5UT09">https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88141967186?pwd=MjN0V107TkpUM2ZhcWRjZm03elY5UT09</a> Meeting ID: 881 4196 7186

Passcode: 085669

**Hidden Acres' Spring Seniors Retreat** is going Virtual on Wed March 10 starting at 10am. Topic: "The Transforming Power of Grief" with Resource speaker Marian Wiens. No cost to join. Register at <a href="mailto:info@hiddenacres.ca">info@hiddenacres.ca</a> For more details see: <a href="https://hiddenacres.ca/programs/seniors-retreat">https://hiddenacres.ca/programs/seniors-retreat</a>



# **OFFERING**

There are now **three** ways to give, even though we are not meeting on Sunday mornings:

- Cheque, either mailed to the church or dropped in the church mailbox beside the main entrance.
- Setting up automatic giving by arranging with
- E-transfer to <u>treasurer.pmc791@gmail.com</u>
  It has been confirmed with Fairview that residents are able to come to the church property to drop off their offering.

A special thanks to Vickie Robinson for collecting envelopes and making the bank deposits.

