

# Preston Mennonite Church

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

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*Preston Mennonite Church strongly encourages everyone attending the in-person worship services and church events to be fully vaccinated. If you are not fully vaccinated, are feeling unwell or have a change in your health, we encourage you to participate in our worship services via the livestream link.*

# **PRESTON MENNONITE CHURCH**

**Sunday November 14, 2021 @ 10 am**

Worship Leader: Ellen Kim   Song Leader: Marg Martin  
Pianist: Katherine Rochester   A/V Technician: Brandon Pace  
Speakers: Bock Ki Kim and Sook Kyoung Park

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

## ***GATHER TO WORSHIP***

Prelude

Welcome

Gathering Hymn: VT #84 To God Be the Glory

Call to Worship

Introduction to Ministry in South Korea

Psalm

Hymn: VT#391 Ososo (Come Now O Prince of Peace)

## ***WHAT IS GOD SAYING TO ME?***

Bible Reading

Message

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

Song: VT #394 God Calls Us

Prayer Time

Offering

## ***SENDING***

Announcements

Sending Hymn: VT #813 Heart with Loving Heart United

Blessing

Postlude

FEEL FREE TO USE THE HYMN BOOKS TO JOIN IN WITH THE READINGS  
AND HUM ALONG WITH THE HYMNS  
BUT WE ASK THAT YOU **PLEASE DO NOT SING.**

**Coffee will be served in the foyer and our fellowship will take place outside on the driveway in order to maintain social distancing.**

**Nurture Hour:** no discussion this week.

### **EVENTS & MEETINGS**

Sun Nov 14	7pm on Zoom	This Is My Story
Thur Nov 18	9:30am	Church Council
Thurs Nov 18	1pm to 2pm	Prayer meeting

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- This is the last Sunday of our **Witness Worker Series**. Make donations to this joint project with Wanner to support the work in China, the Philippines, Thailand and South Korea.
- **This is My Story** is on Sun Nov 14 at 7pm. Our new pastors, Ken and Dawne Driedger will be the speakers. The Zoom link is [here](#). Meeting ID: 845 5404 0429 Passcode: 300855
- **Over the course of Danielle's leave**, she and Justin will continue to worship with Preston and Wanner as regular congregants when they can. There will be no expectation of them to attend and likely we won't see a lot of them. Danielle is excused from all pastoral duties so please reach out to KyongJung or others as needed.
- **Lectio Divina Prayer meeting** is taking place on Thursdays from 1-2 pm. The Zoom link to join the meeting is [here](#). Meeting ID: 875 3755 0024 Passcode: 931300. Let KyongJung know if you want to join in person.
- **Eternity Sunday** is Nov 28 when we will remember those who died in the past year, from our church as well as your friends and family. Please send names and a digital photo, year of death and relationship to you, to the office email ([preston.mennonite.church@gmail.com](mailto:preston.mennonite.church@gmail.com)) ASAP. There will be a PowerPoint presentation during the service.

- **Calling Our Cookie Makers:** We need your help! Pastoral Care would like to put together small gift boxes of homemade cookies again this year and we are hoping our great church bakers can help. We ask that you make 2 dozen cookies (no nuts or peanut butter) and bring them to the church by Wed Dec 8. Pastoral Care will be packaging and delivering on Dec 8 & 9. Thanks for your help! Barb, Elsie, Laverne, Marg, & KyongJung.
- **The Mitten Tree** will be located in the foyer from Nov 28 until the week before Christmas. Donations of new knit or purchased waterproof mittens of all sizes are very welcome. You may put them on the tree or leave them in the baskets. This year the mittens will be taken to The Healing of the Seven Generations, a centre in Kitchener for First Nations people suffering the effects of the residential school systems, or facing barriers when trying to access services.
- **Volunteer Co-ordinator needed** for the IMPACT program, from our church, preferably with life skills and sees the value of conversations between the residents at the recovery homes and students in South Korea and Kyrgyzstan. Contact pastor KyongJung for details or if interested.
- **Addison Choir Poinsettia Fundraiser:** White, Pink or Red in sizes 4.5in (\$6), 6in (\$10), 8in (\$20) and 10in (\$29). To order call 519-219-2506 or email [judyhiggins@rogers.com](mailto:judyhiggins@rogers.com) by Nov 21. Pickup is on Dec 3 at PMC from noon to 2pm.
- **Note from Marg Gerber:** Thanks to KyongJung and Danielle for their visits and prayers. Thank you for the prayer shawl, the visits, good wishes, the cards and the good food we have received. It is all greatly appreciated. Having Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis has changed our lifestyle. I miss church and I miss you all.
- **Bulletins** are finished and printed by Friday afternoon. Please have submissions in by noon on Fridays. Also, please use the email address [preston.mennonite.church@gmail.com](mailto:preston.mennonite.church@gmail.com) instead of [office@prestonmennonite.com](mailto:office@prestonmennonite.com) as it will expire soon.

## OFFERING

There are **three** ways to give: **Cheque** (mail or drop off at church), **Automatic giving** (set up with Dave Rorke) or **E-transfer** to [treasurer.pmc791@gmail.com](mailto:treasurer.pmc791@gmail.com)



## **Singing Together:**

Church Council has decided to invite the congregation to sing (with masks and distancing) starting November 28, the first Sunday of Advent, as long as there are no new public health restrictions to the contrary. We recognize that some are eager for this change while others may be more cautious.

Here's what you can expect:

- We will open a few windows slightly for ventilation so be prepared and dress accordingly.
- Our intention is to provide options that will respect each other's preferences. E.g. Those who are more cautious but still want to attend may feel safer toward the back of the sanctuary without people singing behind them.
- When greeting each other, we encourage asking about the other person's comfort level. A slight bow, bumping elbows, a handshake or warm words and smiles are some of the options.
- We continue to encourage vaccinations as an important way to protect each other.
- For those who aren't ready to come back, please continue to participate through the livestream link in the weekly bulletin in order to remain connected virtually until such time as being together in person is possible for everyone.