

Welcome to Nith Valley Mennonite Church

“Love God with all our being and love others as ourselves”

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Worship Leader: Lois Cressman Pianist: Susan Cressman
Speaker: Matthew Isert Bender

Gather to Worship

Prelude

Welcome

Time of Anticipation

Call to Worship

Invocation

Hearing God's Word

Hymn # 26Holy Spirit, come with power

Hymn # 71Joyful, joyful, we adore thee

Old testament readingPsalm 34

Children's TimeKathryn Cressman

Hymn # 362Help us to help each other

New Testament ReadingEphesians 4: 25 – 5:2

Sermon ‘Be angry --- but --- do not sin’

Turn to Jesus

Hymn # 411I bind my heart this tide

Offering

Announcements

Sharing Time and Prayer of the Church

Go with the Spirit

Hymn # 383God, whose giving

Benediction

Time of Reflection

Postlude

The Isert Bender family will be on holidays from Monday, August 13 until Tuesday, September 4. If you require pastoral care during this time, please contact one of the elders: Lois Cressman, Stephen Hoke or Donna Hartzler.

Next Week – August 19

Outdoor Evening Service at the Cressman pond (2881 Bridge St)

4:00 pm – Swimming & visiting

5:00pm – Potluck supper

6:00pm – Worship service

In the event of bad weather, come to Nith Valley at 5:00 pm.

Financial Update:

26/52 of 2012/13 Budget: \$ 81 450.00

Budget givings to July 31/12: \$ 57 298.28

Shortfall: \$ 24 151.72

Nith Valley Events:

- Mon. Aug. 27. Blood Donor Clinic at W-O, hosted by Nith Valley. Volunteers are needed for set-up (12 noon) and tear-down at 9:00 pm. and refreshment servers 2:00 pm through 8:30 pm. Please check on sign-up sheet on bulletin board in foyer. Questions ask Donna H.

From the Christian Ed. Ministry Team:

If you feel called to teach Sunday School this fall, please contact Hendrike or Susan Cressman. Spots are open for grades 1-5, grades 6-12 and Sermon Discussion classes. It is always rewarding to prepare and share lessons with our church family. If you have taught before or if this is a new experience for you, we encourage you to participate in this way. We have ordered new resources this year and are looking forward to a rewarding learning experience in our classes.

Community Events:

- TODAY, 2:30-4:30 pm. Hymn Sing from Sing the Story & Sing the Journey at Detweiler Meetinghouse, led by Mark Diller Harder. Freewill offering to support the Meetinghouse.
- Sat. Aug. 18, 11:30 am. Single or Single Again Group will be going on a Grand River Boat Cruise. Cost is \$44, including lunch. Deadline to sign up is Aug. 1. Please email christian_singles@live.ca or call 519-634-8311.
- Tues. Aug. 21, 7-9 pm. WO's Youth for Christ group (Crusaders with a Cause) is hosting a BBQ for those entering grade 9 at 282 Good St., New Hamburg. Please bring a lawn chair. If you can come, please email Jodi at jodi.v@yfcwaterloo-oxford.com or call her at 519-662-1830.