

## Welcome to Nith Valley Mennonite Church

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

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Worship Leader: Tricia Cressman

**Pianist:** Bonnie Stemmler

**Chorister:** Jeannette Cressman

**Speaker:** Hendrike Isert Bender

### Gather to Worship

Prelude

Welcome

Hymn # 651 .....I owe the Lord a morning song

Call to Worship

Invocation

Hymn # 39 (S the S) .....Will you come and follow me

Scripture Reading .....Acts 11: 19-30, Galations 2:11-14

Hymn # 489 ..... O little children, gather

### Hearing God's Word

Children's Story .....led by Diane Traendlin

Hymn # 311 .....The church's one foundation

Sermon ..... 'Early church, our church'

### Turn to Jesus

Hymn # 366 .....God of grace and God of glory

Offering

Announcements

Sharing Time & Prayer of the Church

### Go with the Spirit

Hymn # 306 .....In Christ there is no East or West

Benediction

Time of Reflection

Postlude

### Coming Up:

#### Sunday, June 29

The Youth Ignited congregations will be gathering together to worship at Wilmot Mennonite Church. The service begins at 9:30 am.

#### Sunday, July 6

We will join with the Nithview Community for our worship service.

The service begins at 10:30 am.

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### Nith Valley Events:

- Wed. June 25, 9 pm. Nith Valley Jays vs West Hills G Rays at Baden.
- Tues. July 1, 10:30-12:30. Canada Day Brunch is being hosted by Nith Valley Church at the New Hamburg Community Centre. Volunteers will be needed by 9:00 am and some for set-up at 8:00 am. Thanks to all who have volunteered to help. The pay is the same as last year.

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### Community Events:

- Thurs. June 26, 6:30 pm. Grebel presents 'Our Present Future: Being an Intercultural Learning Community. See poster for details.
- Fri. June 27 – Sun. June 29. Family Camping at Hidden Acres. See brochures on bulletin board.

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### Call to Worship:

Leader: All who thirst, come to the water.

Come, all who are weary;

come all who yearn for forgiveness.

**People: The Holy Spirit through Jesus Christ  
has washed over us,  
and our gracious and holy God  
beckons and blesses us.**

Leader: Drink deeply of these living waters.

**People: Glory to you, O Lord, glory to you.**

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We are currently accepting student applications for part-time Food Service Worker Attendants and for a Full-Time Summer Recreation Attendant. For further information, please see the job postings at <http://tcmhomes.com/TCMH/jobs.html>

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TCMH is very pleased to introduce Louise Lepp as the new Executive Director of Aldaview Services. Louise has worked at Aldaview Services for over ten years, first as a Residential Primary Counselor, leading to a Day Program Coordinator Role, then as a Supervisor, and most recently as the Interim Executive Director.

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