

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: Lorrie Koch

Pianist: Bethany Ruby

Chorister: Lois Cressman

Speaker: Matthew Isert Bender

Gather to Worship

Prelude

Welcome

Time of Anticipation

Call to Worship

Invocation

Hymn # 13 (S the J)My soul is filled with joy

Hymn # 23 (S the J)Slowly turning, ever turning

Confessing

Words of Assurance

Hearing God's Word

Children's StoryHeather Cressman

Hymn # 545Be thou my vision

Scripture ReadingActs 18: 1-18a

Sermon 'Vanguard of the Kingdom of God'

Turn to Jesus

Hymn # 521Come, thou fount

Offering

Announcements

Sharing Time & Prayer of the Church

Go with the Spirit

Hymn # 56 (S the J)Make me a channel of your peace

Benediction

Time of Reflection

Postlude

Volunteers are needed for prepare and clean up refreshments following the services during August. If you can help, please sign the list in the foyer.

Next Sunday – August 17

Worship Leader: Tricia Cressman

Speaker: Hendrike Isert Bender

Pianist: Susan Cressman

Coffee/Juice Prep: (volunteer needed) Clean Up: (volunteer needed)

Call to Worship:

*Leader: Your steadfast love, O Lord, extends to the heavens,
your faithfulness to the clouds.*

People: Your righteousness is like the mighty mountains.

Leader: Your judgments are like the great deep.

People: How precious is your steadfast love.

All: May all people take refuge in the shadow of your wings, O God!

Community Events:

- Wed. Aug. 20, 6 pm. MEDA Waterloo Family Night at Steckle Heritage Farm (811 Bleams Rd, Kit.). Adults \$25, children \$10. Call 519-725-1633 X100 to reserve your place.
- Sat. Aug. 23, 6:30 pm. Movie night at Wilmot MC, featuring the movie 'Homerun.'
- Fri. Oct. 3 & Sat. Oct. 4. Women of MCEC hosts a Sister Care seminar at the Cambridge Hotel and Conference Centre. Flyers and registration forms are on the shelf below the mailboxes.
- Sat. Oct. 4. MCC Ontario's Ride for Refuge with Olympic medalist Cindy Klassen. See poster for details.

From Ontario Mennonite Music Camp:

You are invited to join the campers and staff of the Ontario Mennonite Music Camp 2014 for the following events: Worship service at Erb St. MC on Sun., Aug. 17 at 9:45 and the camp final concert on Fri., Aug. 22 at 7:00 pm in the Great Hall of Conrad Grebel University College (refreshments to follow).

From Canadian Mennonite University:

Are you 18-22 years old and still trying to figure out what to do in September? Do you want to experience community, faith, travel, or adventure? We still have a few spaces available for OUTTATOWN, Fall 2014. For more information contact Kate Schellenberg, kschellenberg@cmu.ca / 1.204.487.3300 ext. 661 or Apply at: outtatown.com.