# PRAYER REQUESTS

## **MENNONITE CHURCH CANADA**

Nancy Frey and Bruce Yoder, Mennonite Church Canada partners in Burkina Faso, invite prayer for a growing number of former Ouagadougou Mennonite university student hostel residents who continue to attend the Ouagadouga church. Pray for patience and perseverance as these young people discern their next steps and God's will in their lives.

## WITNESS PRAYERNET

May 9 is Victory Day in Ukraine, celebrating the Soviet Union's victory over Nazi Germany after World War II. Authorities in Ukraine have banned the traditional parades and celebrations in an effort to prevent outbreaks of violence. Pray for peace in Ukraine. Pray that God will keep our Mennonite Church Canada partners safe—Pastor Sergey and Lena Deynekin in Kherson, members of the Zaporizhzhye Evangelical Mennonite Church, and Mary Raber, who is serving at Odessa Theological Seminary. May their presence and faith bring peace and blessing to all they encounter. Mary says that she feels safe on the seminary campus, away from the city center. However, she will be spending the holiday in a village as a precautionary measure. On the eve of the celebration, Mary wrote: "Thank all the people praying for us."

#### WITNESS NOTES

Thank you to the individuals and congregations who are financially supporting the integration of Mennonite Church Canada's Resource Centre with the Canadian Mennonite University Bookstore as both move into CMU's new Learning Commons building. Resource Centre users and students will benefit from this new partnership as physical and online integration proceed to serve you better. For more information, contact Dave Bergen, Executive Minister, Formation at dbergen@mennonitechurch.ca.

## THIS COMING WEEK AT NKMC...

Tues., May 13th	6:30 – 9:30 pm Young Adults meet
Wed., May 14th	11:00 am Staff Meeting
	7:00 pm COUNCIL MEETS
	7:30 – 9:30 pm Youth meet
Fri., May 16th	1:00 pm NKMC Food Bank
SUN., MAY 18TH	<b>10:30</b> AM COFFEE WITH YOUTH IN BASEMENT
	11:00 AM WORSHIP SERVICE
	SPEAKER PASTOR GARY MARTENS

# May 11, 2014

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## SUNDAY, MAY 11, 2014 **10:15** AM – MUFFINS & COFFEE IN THE CHURCH FOYER 11:00AM – FAMILY / MOTHER'S DAY CELEBRATION SERVICE SUNDAY SCHOOL / YOUTH PROGRAM

Prel	ude
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Prelude		
Singing	You're worthy of my praise	
Call to Worship		
Welcome, Introduction	n of Guests, Announcements	
Sharing Time		
Prayer of God's People	e	
Introduction of Sunday	y School Program	
Poem	"The Family"	Kindergarten & Grade 1
	"I Love You"	Grade 2 & 3
Singing	Glory Hallelujah Jubilee	
	Lord I lift your name on high	1
Poem	"Family / Dad"	Jr. Youth
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Offering	Reign in me / Kum ba Yah	
Children's Story		
Presentations	Bibles (gr. 2 & 7) & Mugs (	Grads)
Scripture & Meditation Ephesians 2:19-22		
Benediction		
Singing	Our Father	

~NEXT WEEK~ SUNDAY, MAY 18, 2014 10:30 AM **COFFEE WITH YOUTH IN LOWER AUDITORIUM** 11:00 AM WORSHIP SERVICE **PASTOR GARY MARTENS** Speaker



**Pastor Gary Martens** 

#### Worship Participants This Morning:

Speaker:	
Greeters/Ush	ers

Worship Leaders: Children's Story: Worship Music: Piano: Audio/Visual:

Hein & Marlene Krahn, Helene Wiebe, Ursula Zapp **Chris** Titterton Megan Reimer Sunday School / Jeff Zacharias Trudy Voth Alvin Toews



#### MAY 11. 2014 – ANNOUNCEMENTS

## **OUR CHURCH FAMILY**

In Hospital... **Concordia Hospital Concordia Hospital** 

**Margaret Janzen Mary Letkemann** 

Let us remember and pray for our members in Extended Care and Personal Care Homes, and also for those who are sick at home.

Bethania Personal Care Home:	Margarethe Baerg, Martin Bergen,
	Agnes Derksen, John Guenther,
А	nna Hildebrandt, Elizabeth Klassen,
Margarethe Klassen, Dagmar Redekop, Maria Wier	
Donwood Manor	Tena Neustaedter
Lion's Manor	Valentine Harder
Misericordia Health Centre Gerhard Br	
Residence Despins	Hildegard Knopf
Taché Personal Care Home	Rob Bell

### **PRAYER REQUESTS/UPDATES**

1. Congratulations to Pam Jansen, daughter of Peter & Sara Peters, for being nominated for the Education, Training & Mentorship Award for Women of Distinction. Pam works as River East Transcona School Division's Programming Coordinator for Youth and has organized numerous programs. Details of Pam's work were in this week's Herald. following The is the link to the article... http://www.winnipegfreepress.com/our-communities/herald/RETSDemployee-nominated-for-award-258160541.html

2. The Mission Choir will not be singing in Bethania on May 12th, but will be singing there on Sunday, May 25<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 am.

3. ATTENDANCE & OFFERING FOR MAY 4, 20	014
Attendance - Sanctuary	156
General Donations	\$4,099.00
Paska Breakfast	\$42.00
<i>Rejoice!</i> Devotional	\$10.00
MCC – Where most needed	\$20.00

## **BEYOND NKMC**

4. WESTGATE MENNONITE COLLEGIATE – WMC – (204-775-7111) Do you feel the urge to do some *Spring Cleaning*? Please consider donating your good quality unwanted items to the WESTGATE GARAGE SALE on Saturday, May 24th to help this year's grade 12 students bring down the cost of safe grad! Donations of Books, CD's, DVD's, Toys, Games, Kitchen Gadgets & Dishes, Art, Sports Equipment, Garden/Yard Tools, Small Furniture Items, Plants and other oldies but goodies (Note: NO clothing or electronics please!) can be dropped off at Westgate Mennonite Collegiate from May 16-23 during regular school hours. Contact Karin James at 204-224-5212 with any questions, to arrange pick-up or alternate drop off location.

#### 5. CANADIAN MENNONITE UNIVERSITY – CMU (204-487-3300)

View **CMU's 2014 Graduation highlights** via <u>media.cmu.ca</u> or "like" us on Facebook to view great event photos: <u>www.facebook.com/CMUwinnipeg</u>

Register now for Music lessons, classes in Art, music for kids, and acting and musical theatre with CMU's Community School of Music & the Arts: www.cmu.ca/csma

Need a change from work or school? **Outtatown** is an opportunity to travel to one of three international locations: Guatemala, South Africa and Burkina Faso, learn about God, and make lifelong friends. Space is available for Sept 2014. Learn more and apply at www.<u>outtatown.com</u>

CMU's Blazer Sports Camps offers children Grades 5-10 half or full day sports camps in volleyball, basketball, and soccer. Camps run August 11-22. Register at <u>athletics.cmu.ca</u>.

#### 6. MENNONITE CENTRAL COMMITTEE – MCC (204-261-6381)

**Truth and Reconciliation Reflections** - The final Truth and Reconciliation Commission event happened in March in Edmonton. Join MCC and friends as we spend an evening reflecting on these events and our shared journey of reconciliation. **May 14, 2014 - 7:30pm** - Sam's Place, 159 Henderson Hwy.

**MCC's 12th annual Golf Tournament is July 9 at Bridges Golf Course.** Register your team now! \$175 per person (with \$60 tax receipt available). Early bird registration deadline is June 13. Register online at mccmanitoba.ca/golf or phone 204-261-6381.

**Do you have plants that you could donate to the MCC Plant Sale?** The plant committee is looking for everything from bedding plants to flowers, vegetables, herbs, perennials, and landscaping plants. Please contact Ron Dueck at 204-896-5057 or e-mail <u>ronwendy@mymts.net</u>

#### 6. MENNONITE CENTRAL COMMITTEE – 204-261-6381) continued

Sam's Place Film Night - Monday, May 12, at 7:00 pm - a special evening of film and discussion on the issues of homelessness and immigration. Presenting *The Chicken Manure Incident* (45 min.), on homelessness in Abbotsford (and how churches are responding), and *Bawke* (Daddy), a short feature about Kurdish refugees in Europe. After the films, Kathy Moorhead Thiessen, a Christian Peacemaker Teams worker in Iraqi Kurdistan, will share on her experiences with refugees and immigrants in Europe and the Middle East.

**Interfaith conversation** - MCC Manitoba has a strong relationship with the Muslim community in Manitoba. They have invited us to participate in a Conversation Cafe on Saturday, May 31 at 3pm (location TBA in Winnipeg). If you're interested in building relationships with neighbours of other faiths, contact Steve Plenert, MCC Manitoba Peace Programs Coordinator at steveplenert@mennonitecc.ca or 204-925-1918.

7. Spring is in the air and the Faith and Life Male Choir and the Faith and Life Women's Chorus invite you to celebrate with them at their Spring Concerts planned for Saturday May 24<sup>th</sup> 7:00pm at Springfield Height Mennonite Church in Winnipeg and Sunday May 25<sup>th</sup> 3:00pm at Winkler Bergthaler Mennonite Church in Winkler. A Freewill offering will be taken.

8. Are you a student between 17 - 29 years looking for an exciting work opportunity this summer? Jubilee Mennonite Church, 365 Edelweiss Cres., is accepting applications for a *Children's Summer Drop In Coordinator*, 25 hours/week starting June 23 and going until August 29, 2014. This position is open to students 17 - 29 years old who are returning to school in the Fall. For details go to jubileemennonitechurch.ca or contact Anna Marie Geddert at 204-668-9933 or jmccommunity@mymts.net. Application deadline is 12:00 noon on May 23, 2014.

9. New Book: The Mennonite German Society (Mennonitischer Verein zue Pflege der deutschen Sprache) 1952-2003 by Victor Kliewer reviews the history of the Society, which for 51 years promoted a grand vision of the German heritage among Canadian Mennonites. The book is available for **\$10.00** at the Mennonite Heritage Centre, 600 Shaftesbury Blvd., or from Victor Kliewer, 613 Mark Pearce Ave. (Ph. 204-667-6835). The church office has 8 copies still available for sale, so if you are interested, please come see Liana.

10. You're invited to join **Camp Koinonia's Annual Golf Tournament** fundraiser on **Saturday, June 14**. Tee off time beginning at **8:30am**, with lunch to follow, at the Winkler Golf Course. Texas Scramble format will be used. Registration fee is \$75/golfer. For more information, call Sheldon Dyck at 204-534-2504. To register your team of 4, visit www.campswithmeaning.org (for online registration coming soon) or contact Cathy Thiessen at <u>thiesbc@mynetset.ca</u> 204-529-2684. All proceeds from this event go towards Camp Koinonia capital projects. Hope to see you there!

# NKMC Sunday School 2013-2014

Sunday School Coordinators:		
·	Nicole MacDonald	
	Shauna Zacharias	
Grade 1	Ivan Bergen	
	Aidan MacDonald	
	Roan Matyas	
	Nadia Quiring	
Grade 2	Dakota Bear	
Graue 2	Astrid Franz-Warkentin	
	Luca Matyas	
	Alexia Sawatzky	
Grade 3	Dylan Aguiar	
	Jeane Bergen	
Jr. Youth	Nikolas Bear	
	Keely Zacharias	
	Hannah MacDonald	
	Kolby Wiebe	
	Sydney Bear	
	Alyssa Zacharias	
	Christian Zacharias	
	Mackenzie Zacharias	
	Aurora Wiebe	
	Claire Grislis	
	Alexandra Grislis	
Teachers	Sarah Kauenhowen	
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	Frieda Redekop	
	Hayley Vincent	
	Jeff Zacharias	
	Perrin Zacharias	
	Shauna Zacharias	
	Shaana Zachanas	

# Sunday School Closing Litany

Presentation of Grade 2 Bibles: Alexis Giesbrecht, Jordan Bremner, Kaden Dolyniuk, Aidan MacDonald, Nadia Quiring, Roan Matyas, Ivan Bergen

**Congregation**: Love the Lord your God with all your heart, soul, and strength. Memorize his laws and tell them to your children over and over again. Talk about them all the time, whether you're at home or walking along the road or going to bed at night, or getting up in the morning.

*– Deut.* 6:5-7

Presentation of Grade 7 Bibles: Mackenzie Zacharias, Justine Bergen, Nicolas DeJong, Sydney Bear

**Congregation**: Everything in the Scriptures is God's Word. All of it is useful for teaching and helping people and for correcting them and showing them how to live. The Scriptures train God's servants to do all kinds of good deeds .-2 Tim 3:16, 17

Presentation of Grade 12 Mugs: Adrian Zacharias, Natalie Rempel

**Congregation:** "For I know the plans I have for you," declares the LORD, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future. Then you will call upon me and come and pray to me, and I will listen to you. You will seek me and find me when you seek me with all your heart."

- Jeremiah 29:11-13



# March to May NKMC Church Family Birthdays

We would like to wish the following members a happy and blessed birthday (both belated & upcoming)...

# March Birthdays

Shelby Wiebe	03/01
Anna Hildebrandt	03/02
Peter Letkemann	03/02
Jennifer Toews-Grislis	03/02
Anna Knels	03/03
Ingo Zapp	03/03
Agnes Loewen	03/04
Erna Epp	03/05
George Harms	03/05
Wilhelm Bullinger	03/06
Aldin Jansen	03/06
Helene Gugenheimer	03/07
Dietrich Klassen	03/08
Pam Peters	03/08
Terry Tomm	03/08
Ursula Zapp	03/09
Karen Born	03/12

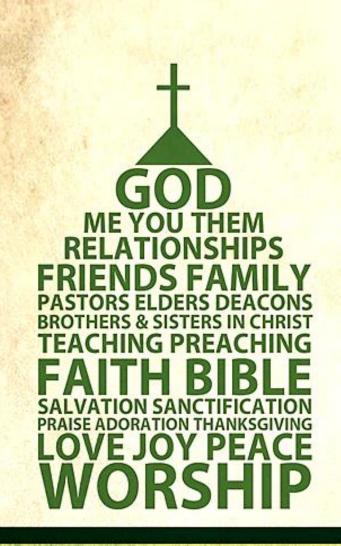
Stephanie Pauls	03/12
Ingrid Toews	03/12
John Martens	03/17
Frank Neufeld	03/18
Helene Janzen	03/19
Dietrich Krahn	03/19
John Loewen	03/20
Candace Rea	03/25
Jessica Rody (Pikel)	03/26
Hildegard Pollock	03/29
April Birthdays	
Helene Kroeker	04/01
Kelly Vincent	04/01
Helene Fast	04/02
Coralee Dolynuik	04/03
Annie Vargek	04/03
Ella Bueckert	04/07
Ruth Quiring	04/07
Kornelius Loewen	04/10
Frieda Schulze	04/13
Carol Martens	04/14
Monica Derksen	04/15
Tricia Wiebe	04/15
Adina Peters	04/16
Robert Voth	04/16
Edna Hargreaves	04/17
Susanna Harder	04/19
Betty Jansen	04/19
Susie Dueck	04/20
Russ Hall	04/21
Valentine Harder	04/22
Delfina Aguiar	04/24
Adelheid Colosimo	04/24
Peter Hirschfeld	04/24
Ilona Braun	04/25
Maria Funk	04/25
Ed Hiebert	04/25
Tina Quiring	04/25
Charles Lage	04/26
Aganetha Klein	04/27
Howard Epp	04/28
Peter Braun	04/29
Peter Thiessen	04/29

#### **May Birthdays**

Brigitte Funk	05/01
Luise Löwen	05/01
Henry Peters	05/01
Gloria Wiebe	05/01
Heinrich Dyck	05/02
Carol Janzen	05/02
Elsie Bartel	05/05
Michele Kolba	05/07
Nicole MacDonald	05/09
Amber Peters	05/09
Arthur Dyck	05/10
Elisabeth Franz-Warkentin	05/11
Elfriede Goerz	05/11
Mary Lebtag	05/15
Anna Funk	05/16
Ryan Reimer	05/16
Elisabeth Friesen	05/17
Vico Sawatzky	05/17
Britney Quiring	05/18
Dagmar Redekop	05/18
Irene Seifert	05/18
Erich Hirschfeld	05/19
Helen Janzen	05/19
Heidi Schroeder	05/20
Frieda Vogt	05/21
Ruben Toews	05/22
Kim Zacharias	05/22
Louise Lage	05/23
Vik Loewen	05/24
Linda Arlt	05/25
Frank Derksen	05/27
Janet Peters	05/27
Marianne Sawatzky	05/27
Charissa Godfrey	05/28
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We apologize if we have missed anyone. If you have been missed, please contact the Church office, so we can update your information.





## Ephesians 2:19-22

That's plain enough, isn't it? You're no longer wandering exiles. This kingdom of faith is now your home country. You're no longer strangers or outsiders. You *belong* here, with as much right to the name Christian as anyone. God is building a home. He's using us all—irrespective of how we got here—in what he is building. He used the apostles and prophets for the foundation. Now he's using you, fitting you in brick by brick, stone by stone, with Christ Jesus as the cornerstone that holds all the parts together. We see it taking shape day after day—a holy temple built by God, all of us built into it, a temple in which God is quite at home.