

## OUR CONFERENCE AND COMMUNITY

### SASK CONFERENCE OF MB CHURCHES

#### Transitions

Please pray for churches experiencing pastoral transitions: Hafford Gospel Chapel, Waldheim M.B. Church and Grace Community Church (Herbert). Pray for wisdom and discernment as they seek new leaders.

### MENNONITE CENTRAL COMMITTEE

#### MCC Connects:

Seeking Occupational Therapist(s) to help children & youth with disabilities reach their fullest potential-in the beautiful province of Quang Ngai, in Central Vietnam! Join the dedicated staff of VAVA to help individuals & families, impacted by the effects of Agent Orange, learn new skills and utilize the resources they have, to meet everyday challenges.

Read more at:

<https://mcc.org/getinvolved/serve/openings/occupational-therapist-vietnam> and note there's flexibility around the suggested Oct. 28, 2019 start date. Contact Erica Baerwald at 206-665-2555 for more information

### CANADIAN MENNONITE UNIVERSITY

It's not too late to apply for September studies at CMU. Be part of a vibrant, faith-rooted, university community. Contact [info@cmu.ca](mailto:info@cmu.ca) or call 204-487-3300 for information or to arrange a tour of campus

## CHURCH FAMILY ACTIVITIES

### LIFE GROUPS

Life Groups are a vital part of Faith River. We have a number of different small groups that meet between Sundays to cultivate Kingdom Mission, Grace-Filled Community, and Personal Spiritual Development in the hearts and lives of people who want to engage in this way.

If you are interested in being connected with a group, please contact our Life Group Team Leader:  
Ryan Bert-Vidal at [lifegroups@faithriver.ca](mailto:lifegroups@faithriver.ca)

### LIFE GROUP TIMES & PLACES

**Bert-Vidal** – Mondays/Wednesdays

**Anderson** – Tuesdays

**Wiebe/Neufeld** – Tuesdays

**Schmidt/Pauls** – Tuesdays

**Ruten/Falk** – summer schedule

**Zhang** – Wednesdays

**Cao/Falk** – Wednesdays

**Stein** – Thursdays

**Frostad/Penner** – summer schedule

**PRAYER** ..... **Colleen Ruten – Leader**

**Prayer Chain-** Contact Cheryl at [cherylberniepauls@gmail.com](mailto:cherylberniepauls@gmail.com) or 306-222-7880 for urgent prayer needs.

**Sunday Morning Prayer-** Regular Sunday morning prayer will resume in the fall.

### COMING EVENTS

August 25- 2:30 pm - Board game afternoon at the church

## PRAY FOR MISSIONS AT HOME AND AWAY

### In Saskatoon:

**GERRYAND SHIRLEY FALK** with InterVarsity-We completed the ALPHA Marriage course before our holidays in July. Pray for follow up with a couple who needs encouragement. Already we have people interested in the next course.

**ARNOLD STOBBE** with Impact Canada Ministry

**JOELINE MAGILL** with Hope Restored Canada -Thank you for all your support and prayers. As of May 15, I have stepped into a 6-month Executive Director role for HRC. Please pray for wisdom, discernment, and clear communication as I lead HRC in this way.

### Around the World:

**Thailand:** **REBECCA HIEBERT** with MB Mission- There is a short update (on the back table in the foyer) on some of what has been happening this past month. I am super thankful for you, and super thankful that we serve a living God who loves us and knows us. We have so much to thank God for. He is our Redeemer, the author of salvation, and He reigns. I hope you enjoy this update. I would love to hear from you too!

**Montana:** **RYAN AND AUBREE PAULS** with YWAM

**Portugal:** **GIVAS & CHRISTINA FEHR APARECIDA** with Operation Mobilization- We are on holidays from Aug 4-12 and doing a slow trip back home from Germany. Pray for a time of good rest, fun, adventure and also safety on the roads.

**Europe:** **P & S** with Multiply- Pray for effective outreach to North Africans and other immigrants in Europe as well as on-going peace initiatives in Central Asia and Middle East. Also pray for family integration into a new culture, community and schools

## SUNDAY

### WORSHIP SERVICE – 10:30 AM

Worship Leadership Team This Sunday:

Creative Leader ..... Heidi Neufeld

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Host..... Cheryl Pauls

**CHILDREN’S MINISTRY** ..... **Jenny Klassen – Leader**

**Children’s Bulletins**- Activity pages are available for ages 3-6 and 7-12 to work on during the service. Located at the back of the sanctuary.

**Children’s Church**- will resume in Fall

**Sunday School**- will resume in Fall

**ADULT GATHERING** ..... **Allan Dowdeswell – Leader**

We are now on summer break. Join us again when we resume in September.

### SUNDAY MORNING PRAYER

Will resume in the fall.

**CONVERSATIONAL ENGLISH** On summer break

### OFFERING UPDATE

Attendance Aug 4- 94

Offering Aug 4 - \$5,120.55

Finance update as of July 31		
	2019	2018 (comparison)
Ordinary Income	92,165.35	80,085.90
Ordinary Expense	83,558.96	89,958.95
Surplus/(Shortfall)	8,606.39	(9,873.05)

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Fun & games**- On Sunday Aug 25 @ 2:30 we will have a board game afternoon at the church. Bring a snack to share & some of your favorite games !

**New Baby!** Celebrate the new addition to Christopher and Amanda Krahn’s family by bringing a meal. Sign up is available at <https://mealtrain.com/64rrnk>

**Adult Gathering!** Allan is looking for input while he makes plans for the fall. Talk to him after the service or send him an email: [allan@dowdeswell.ca](mailto:allan@dowdeswell.ca).

**New email address** for Jerry & Dolores Penner  
[dfpenner@gmail.com](mailto:dfpenner@gmail.com)

**Faith River has WiFi!** To access the WiFi choose the network Faithriver guest and enter the password Faithriver

Office Hours: Tuesday to Friday 9am to 4:30 pm

Pastor’s Hours: Tuesday to Friday 9am-4:30 pm

Please send weekly bulletin announcements, updates and notices to the church office any time throughout the week until **Thursday at noon.**

**WIFI** Network: Faithriver guest Password: Faithriver

August 11, 2019

**Being Fruitful Tenants**

Matthew 21:28-22:14

**Michael Anderson**