

## OUR CONFERENCE AND COMMUNITY

### SASK MB CONFERENCE-

**Your Church's Volunteers** Pray for the volunteers who faithfully serve your faith community. Thank God for their ministry. Pray for their health, wisdom and spiritual protection.

### MENNONITE CENTRAL COMMITTEE

**MCC Connects** Looking for ways to participate in this year's Relief Sale Festival on Saturday, June 13? MCC is seeking donations for a "Ten Thousand Villages Revisited" table, baked goods, and plants. In addition, we are also in need of items for our online auction, artisan table participants, and volunteers for a variety of tasks. For more information, visit [mccskreliefsale.com/get-involved](http://mccskreliefsale.com/get-involved) or call the MCC Centre at 306-665-2555. Thank you for your support!

### REDBERRY BIBLE CAMP

**Redberry Run:** Our annual Redberry Run Fundraising event will take place at the camp on May 23rd. The Run starts at 10am followed by an Open House! Everyone is invited to the open house regardless of whether or not they are able to attend the Run. There will be lots of food and entertainment and we plan to have our skills open for everyone to try out! All of this is at no cost to you, so invite some friends to come out and see our camp!

**Summer Volunteers:** We are looking to fill some of our volunteer positions throughout the weeks of the summer! The positions we are looking for are kitchen help, work crew, and barn help. If you or some of your friends are interested in coming and helping serve for a week or more we would love to have you! Please send us an email at [info@reberrybiblecamp.com](mailto:info@reberrybiblecamp.com) and we can let you know where the needs are.

## COUNCIL CORNER

*Council has been going through a process of identifying the immediate and future needs at Faith River. We want to ask for help with an immediate need. Several years ago, we prayed that God would bring us young families. Praise God our prayers have been answered, we are so blessed with the children in the church. We now find ourselves in need of more help in the Sunday school department. We need to increase our classroom numbers, which means more teachers are needed. Please prayerfully consider volunteering. If you are willing, please contact Leanne Janzen.  
Moderator, Gord Schroeder*

## 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 Shirley Falk or email Pastor Michael at [michael@faithriver.ca](mailto:michael@faithriver.ca)

## UPCOMING EVENTS

Saturday, May 23, 9 am. - Church Spring Work Bee  
Saturday, May 30, 8 a.m. - Men's Breakfast  
Saturday, June 6, 9 a.m. - Yard Sale at Faith River  
Sunday, July 26 - Faith River service at Forestry Farm

### *Sunday Morning Prayer.*

Join us Sunday mornings at 10 a.m. before the morning service, to pray together, in the library. Everyone welcome!

### OFFICE HOURS

**Church Office** Wed-Thur 9:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m.  
Fri 9:00 a.m.- 12:00 noon  
**Pastors Hours:** Tue- Thur 9 a.m-3:30 p.m

PLEASE SEND BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS TO THE CHURCH OFFICE BEFORE THURSDAY AT NOON.

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## PRAY FOR MISSIONS AT HOME AND AWAY

*IN MANITOBA:*

**JENNY KLASSEN** with Inner City Youth Alive in Winnipeg: There is a letter on the bulletin board in the foyer.

*AROUND THE WORLD:*

**Portugal:** GIVAS & CHRISTINA FEHR APARECIDA with Operation Mobilization- There is a prayer letter on the bulletin board in the foyer.

**Thailand:** REBECCA HIEBERT -with Multiply. There is a prayer letter on the back bulletin board in the foyer.

### Prayer Chain

Please contact  
Pastor Michael at  
[michael@faithriver.ca](mailto:michael@faithriver.ca)  
for urgent prayer  
needs

## THIS SUNDAY



## FINANCE

There are a variety of ways to give our offerings to Faith River: e-transfer, automatic debit and cheque.

To e-transfer using online banking, send the e-transfer to [finance@faithriver.ca](mailto:finance@faithriver.ca). To sign up for preauthorized automatic debit, contact the church office for a form. To give by cheque, mail the cheque to the church office.

## PREVIOUS SERMONS

If you have missed a Sunday, and would like to view and listen to a previous sermon- please go to Faith River's **YouTube** page where we post our Sunday sermons.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**SPRING WORK BEE**– Hey all! We would love to have all your hands on deck- for a church Spring work bee- on **Saturday, May 23!**

We want to meet at **9 a.m.** at the church to get some cleaning and yard work done! Bring the kids and come help out! The more hands the lighter the load! If you have some favorite cleaning & gardening tools you like to use- please bring them as well, ( like extra buckets and mops, hoes, rakes, & pruners) as we will be washing walls, windows, cleaning lights, raking the yard, hoeing and working in the shrub beds. Rags and cleaners, will be provided.

FaithRiver  
**Yard Sale** 

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Saturday, June 6 • 9 am–4 pm

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**Here's how anyone can participate:**

- Donate used items May 31-June 5
- Donate baked items by June 5
- Sign up to:
  - help sort & price items on June 3 or 5
  - help with set up & take down on June 6
  - help with barbecue & bake sale on June 6

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**Got questions? Contact Sharon Koop 306-292-4326**

**LOST & FOUND** : We are just asking everyone to take a glance at the lost and found table in the foyer- to see if they need to claim something of theirs that they maybe don't even know they have lost! There is quite an assortment that has built up over the years- so please take a look on your way out today! Kids- you may want to take a look too!

MAY 17, 2026

MAKING ROOM:

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AUSTIN CHRISTIANSON