

MISSIONS

PRAISE AND PRAYER

Please pray for our missionary of the week – **Stephanie Dyck-Power to Change (Christian Embassy)**

Robert & Anne Thiessen MB Mission in Mexico

Pray for wisdom as they offer coaching to a network of church planters in southern Mexico and for Anne’s continued recovery from cancer treatments.

Square One World Media: Irene Marsch is leading a Low German-speaking women’s event this week in Winkler in connection with her Square One World Media radio program, “Health Talks with Nurse Irene”. Pray that the women attending will be open to learning new ways of caring for themselves and their families

CONNECT OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

Mclvor Church Missions Committee has agreed to register as a regional collection site for Operation Christmas Child (OCC).

Many of you are familiar with filling a Shoe Box with items that are then distributed to children in under-privileged areas around the world.

The Shoe boxes are ready, so we invite everyone to take a couple (more if you wish) home with you today. Instructions on what, and how, to fill them are inside each box. Boxes need to be returned back to the church no later than Nov. 15th.

Please pray for **G. Roger Friesen** who is traveling to Lithuania to provide some financial services at Lithuania Christian College.

Join us for a **prayer meeting** every Wednesday at 9 am.

If you would like to be part of the **prayer e-chain** fill in the yellow form for the prayer chain at the Welcome Centre and hand it in at the office.

If you have a **praise or prayer** request, please drop it into the prayer bowl on the organ. Each request will be prayed for and kept confidential.

We are still looking for a group of 4-5 volunteers to assist with the collection of the boxes during National collection week Nov. 16-22. These volunteers would be on hand to collect boxes as they are dropped off at the church (dates and times to be determined). Sign up sheet will be available in the foyer.

Perhaps your care or cell group would like to take part of this project on?

If you are interested and want further details please contact: Rodney Badgley.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WORSHIP LEADER
Pastor Justin Fraser

SCRIPTURE READER
Adam Strong

AUDIO VISUAL
Julian Hudson

MUSIC
Lisa Enns
Russ Enns
Marcus Enns
Simon Enns
Mia Guenther
Joanne Storsley
Ivo Wiens

THANK YOU

Jake and Martha Regier thank the church for the lovely flowers and the visits during the recent passing of their sister, Agatha Toews.

MCIVOR TURNS 40

Look who’s turning 40! Mclvor Church was *born* in October 1976, so it’s time to start planning a big birthday party! Save the date: **Thanksgiving weekend, October 7-10, 2016.**

If you would like to be part of the planning team, please call Bonnie at the office or talk to any member of the Executive or Council.

AWAKE

AWAKE is a weekend of mission and renewal for ourselves, for our communities and for the world! Nov. 6-8, AWAKE Winnipeg will be hosted by The Meeting Place. Mclvor is sending a team. We invite you to take part and let God transform you from the inside out through plenary sessions, workshops, local ministry outreach worship, prayer and debrief. This is a ministry experience for the whole church! Cost is \$15 per adult, \$10 per youth/child. Sign up with Mclvor’s team (in foyer), and register online at <https://secure.mbmission.org/app/signin/program/84>

NOTICE OF MOTION

On November 15, 2015, at the Fall membership meeting, Council will be asking the congregation to approve revised church governance documents, specifically the Constitution and Bylaw. The revised documents were approved at the Council Meeting on October 13 and were be distributed in church on Sunday, October 18.

Update as of October 30, 2015	
Receiptable Donations	\$413,000
Expenses	\$511,170
Budget Expenses	\$567,425
Additional Building upkeep	\$30,000
Funds needed to Year End	\$170,000

On behalf of the Finance Committee, we thank you for your continued steady support and ask that you prayerfully consider how you can help us meet our year end challenge so that we can begin the New Year ready to meet the opportunities of 2016.

IN THE COMMUNITY

The **Mennonite Community Orchestra** conducted by William Gordon will be presenting its Fall Concert on Sunday, Nov 15 at 3 PM in CMU’s South Campus Chapel, 600 Shaftesbury Blvd. They will perform Weber’s Oberon Overture, Bach’s Keyboard Concerto in F minor featuring CMU student pianist Anneli Loepp Thiessen, and Beethoven’s Symphony #1. Tickets: Adults \$15, Students \$5 available at the door; children 12 and under are free.

MHC Gallery opening and film screening: **Besa: A code of honor**, a series of photos of how Albanian Muslims rescued Jews during the Holocaust. The film Besa: A Promise will be shown, followed by the opening exhibition at the Gallery. Nov 3, 7pm, Laudamus Auditorium (north campus) and following at the MHC Gallery (south campus). The exhibition runs Nov 2 to 14.

Discover **Outtatown** at CMU’s Campus Visit Day on Nov 6. Outtatown is a unique, one or two-semester certificate program of CMU. It’s an incredible year for recent high school grads looking to travel, serve others, learn more about God and the world, make lifelong friends, and experience ‘once-in-a-lifetime’ adventure. Limited space is available so apply today! For more info: cmu.ca/campusvisit

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

MCC Canada welcomes applications for the position of **HR Administrative Assistant- Domestic**. Interested individuals are asked to contact shaybrandt@mcccanada.ca with a cover letter and resume by Nov 5. View the complete description at: <http://mcccanada.ca/get-involved/serve/openings/hr-administrative-assistant-domestic-0>

CHILDREN & ADULT MINISTRIES

New Kids Bulletins for ages 3-6 and ages 7-12 are available each week on the kid's table outside the main sanctuary doors. Come check them out!

The Exchange: Preschool—Parents are invited to drop off their children ages 2-5 for supervised playtime in the nursery behind the sanctuary

THE EXCHANGE

The Exchange: Kids—kids grades 1-5 are invited to meet downstairs for games, Bible stories and lots of other exciting things!

The Exchange: Coffee House—All ages are invited to come and grab a coffee or espresso from the Coffee House located near the front entrance.

WOMEN'S MINISTRY

Ladies Fellowship Circle

■ Guest Speaker—Jane Woelk
Nov 3 @ 1:30 pm

■ Coffee Time—Nov 17 @ 1:30 pm

Afternoon Ladies Fellowship

■ Remembering our friends: past/present
Nov 12 @ 1:30 pm



YOUNG ADULTS

■ **18-19 yr olds:**
Miranda Lohvinenko

■ **23-26 yr olds:**
Devyn Toews

■ **26-up:**
Pastor Denver Wilson:
dwilson@mcivorchurch.com

For information on Stream Groups please contact the leader for your age group.

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Jr. & Sr. High Sunday School starts at 11:15 am—Youth grades 6 - 12 are invited to come and hang out downstairs for games, Bible study and more.

youth NIGHTS

JR SR HIGH HIGH

Crash 'n Bless Service Event Nov 6

Let's go out into our community with our small groups and find creative ways to make someone's day!
7 - 9:30 pm. Bring \$5 and dress warm.

Lounge Night—Nov 13

Come hang out with us and play some Bubble Soccer (trust me, you're going to want to play this game)! 7:30–10 pm at Mclvor.
Cost is \$10.

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Nov 13—Photo Scavenger Hunt

It's a scavenger hunt! With your phones! Be at Mclvor at 7 pm, pick up is 9:30 at the church. Cost is \$2.



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MISSIONS TRIP March 25-April 3, 2016

A team of Sr. High youth and adult leaders will build houses with Amor Ministries. We will be flying to Phoenix, then busing to Puerto Penasco. Estimated cost is \$1450. Lots of fundraising opportunities available!

This year we will be partnering with Ft. Garry MB Church. Limited spots are available. Register by December 13th (or costs go up!) All info and forms available at:
www.mcivoryouth.com/collideforms.html