



**Young Adults**  
 We have a few small groups designed for different ages and interests. If you are interested in joining a small group, or would like more information, e-mail Denver @ [dwilson@mcivorchurch.com](mailto:dwilson@mcivorchurch.com)



**JY jr\_youth**  
 March is Medieval Month! Put on the armour of faith and learn about God's Lordship. **Fridays 7-9:30 pm.**  
 For more information, please contact Stefan, Pastor of Family Ministries, at [sfroese@mcivorchurch.com](mailto:sfroese@mcivorchurch.com).

**SY sr\_youth**  
 Interested in connecting with other senior high students? Contact Justin at [jfraser@mcivorchurch.com](mailto:jfraser@mcivorchurch.com).

**March 5-11**

**This Week**

- MONDAY**  
Movers & Shakers—1:30 pm
- TUESDAY**  
Mclvor Quilters—4 pm
- WEDNESDAY**  
Prayer Group—10 am  
Mom's Group—10 am  
Boys/Girls Club—7 pm
- THURSDAY**  
Food Bank—10 am  
Board Games Night—7 pm
- FRIDAY**  
Jr Youth—7 pm
- SATURDAY**  
Mclvor Quilters—10 am  
Young Families Potluck—4:30 pm
- SUNDAY**  
Worship Service—10 am  
Communion

**Upcoming Events**

- March 11 Daylight Savings
- March 17 3M Men's Breakfast
- March 20 Seniors Breakfast
- March 22 3W Women's Coffee
- March 25 Palm Sunday
- March 27 Parkinson Support Group
- March 30 Good Friday

Go to [www.mcivorchurch.com](http://www.mcivorchurch.com) to view upcoming sermon topics and what's happening at Mclvor.

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**Property Committee**

Please direct questions regarding our property to the Church Office. Property Committee will be in charge of opening/closing and set-ups during the week as follows:

- Feb 26-March 4**  
Bob Dyck
- March 5-11**  
Herb Regier
- March 12-18**  
Terry Kesterke

Please contact the person listed above to access the church.

**Worship**

**MUSIC**  
 John Ens                      Ruth Ens  
 Lynette Dyck                Elizabeth Toews  
 Lisa Klassen

**AUDIOVISUAL**  
 Chloe Alby                  Grayson Taylor

**WORSHIPLEADER**  
 Pastor Denver Wilson

**SCRIPTURE READERS**  
 Mackenzie and Connie Taylor

**NEXT SUNDAY**  
*Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness* - Matthew 5:6 with Pastor Justin Fraser

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*are the meek*  
 Matthew 5:5 with Janelle Braun

**Mclvor Church**

March 4, 2018

## COMMUNITY INFORMATION

On April 5 at 7 PM, plan to attend "Spring at CMU," an evening of celebration in support of CMU. Featured: CMU PAX Award to Steve Bell; music by Steve Bell and CMU Singers; short reflections from faculty, alumni, and students. Contact Joyce Friesen at [jfriesen@cmu.ca](mailto:jfriesen@cmu.ca) to reserve a seat or [cmu.ca/springatcmu](http://cmu.ca/springatcmu) for more information.

Prospective students and their parents are invited to Campus Visit Day at CMU on Mar. 9 and Open House on March 27. For more information see [cmu.ca/campusvisit](http://cmu.ca/campusvisit).

MHC Gallery - Exhibit Openings featuring Anthony Chiarella and Faye Hall, inspired by Malcolm Guite, March 16, 7 PM, MHC Gallery, 600 Shaftesbury Blvd, south campus CMU. Exhibits run until May 5.

MCC is now accepting applications for Summerbridge, an 8-12 week service program for young adults of diverse cultural backgrounds who are connected with a Mennonite or Be in Christ church. It's an opportunity to work in the church and/or community, develop leadership skills and get to know the congregation and community better. If you are a church or young adult interested in learning more, please contact Katie Laban at [katielaban@mccmb.ca](mailto:katielaban@mccmb.ca) or 204-925-1929.

## Connect in Service

In response to our previous series on money and finances, we encourage everyone not currently giving to the church to embark on the **90 Day Giving Challenge**. We believe that if you take this step of faith and obedience to God, you will become more aware of God's work in your life in new and powerful ways.

### Mclvor's Most Wanted

Here are the top service needs Mclvor is facing, and ways you can get involved!

- Coffeehouse Baristas
- Urgent need for Boys Club Leaders
- Communion Element Preparers

Please go to the Connect Centre in the foyer to learn more about these roles.

### Pukatawagan Mission Trip

April 29-May 8—Estimated Cost: \$600  
Email Miranda by March 4 if interested. Information letters are available at the Connect Centre.

**SOAR Heartland** is around the corner, happening March 22-31 at Westwood Community Church. Volunteers are needed to help with breakfast, lunch, dinner prep and clean-up, as well as facility cleaning. We are also looking for 8,000 cookies. If you can help, please contact Kara Friesen at [karaf@mbmission.org](mailto:karaf@mbmission.org) or 204-415-0670. Come and be a part of our vibrant community!



## Connect in Community

### New Pictorial Directory

On March 11, 18 and 25 we will be taking individual and/or family photos for a new pictorial directory. Photographers will be ready to take photos as you leave the worship service and right through The Exchange hour. It will also be an opportunity to update your directory information. At that time you can also specify whether you want the same directory information included in a password protected online church directory. The online directory will be accessible only by Mclvor Church people and you can share as much or as little info as you like.

### Celebration Sunday is coming up!

If you would like to have your child dedicated, if you are interested in getting baptized, or if you would like to transfer your membership to Mclvor, please talk to one of the pastors as soon as possible.

The MCC has depleted their stock of hygiene bags! Fill one with the listed items and return by Easter. Or leave the shopping to us. Bags and a collection jar are available in the foyer. Let's beat our total of 163 bags last year!

## Prayer, Praise & Missions

We extend our condolences to **John & Norma Derksen** on the passing of Norma's brother, Edwin Dueck, on February 27. The funeral will be held March 4th at Rosenort EMC.

Please pray for our missionary of the week: **Justin Koop, Geekdom House** (Winnipeg).

Pray for Shoaib of Square One World Media who will be exhibiting at the Saskatchewan M.B. Conference next weekend, and preaching in Waldheim.

On behalf of **mbmission**, a belated "Thank you" for your special Christmas-time gift to the Extra Blessing Pool that was greatly appreciated! Gifts like these remind our missionaries that they are part of a larger team that is taking the Gospel from "everywhere to everywhere". We so appreciate and are encouraged by your participation in this pool. —Al Strobbe

### Community Prayer

Every Wednesday the Fellowship Room is open from 10:00-11:30 AM for all people to come offer and/or receive prayer.

During each week in Lent, we encourage everyone to give up a specific activity and replace it with something else as a way for us to remember the Lenten season, that we are in, and to grow closer as a community.

Date	Sacrifice	Substitution
March 4-10	Social Media	Write a letter of encouragement to someone
March 11-17	Music/radio	Spend intentional time in prayer daily
March 18-24	Junk food/desserts	Donate food to Winnipeg Harvest
March 25-31	TV/video games/Netflix	Invite someone over for a board game

## THE EXCHANGE - KIDS

Kid's Church for kids in K-Gr. 5 will run during the sermon each week, unless otherwise noted in the bulletin. There will be a note on the screen at the front of the sanctuary to dismiss the kids during the service.

### Preschool

Starts at 11:15 for ages 2-5 in the preschool playroom behind the sanctuary.

### Kids

Starts at the beginning of the sermon. Kids will be dismissed from the service for **Kids Church**. Parents can pick up their kids in **the gym** at the end of The Exchange (12:00).

### Supervised Playtime

For kids ages 0-5 is available in the preschool playroom behind the sanctuary during the service.

### Kid's Bulletins

For kids of all ages! Available each week on the kid's table outside the main sanctuary doors. Pick up yours today!

## EY TheExchangeYouth

Starts at 11:15 for grades 6-12. Check the map downstairs for the location of small group meeting rooms.

## THE EXCHANGE

**FELLOWSHIP** - The Foyer and Fellowship Room provide space to grab a coffee, find a seat and go deeper in community.

**PRAYER** - The sanctuary and Prayer Chapel are set up for prayer and reflection.

**DISCUSSION** - The Sanctuary Overflow is set up for discussion group(s). Questions from the morning's topic help fuel this conversation. During the service, questions can be texted to 204-250-3916.