

A WARM WELCOME is extended to all who worship with us! "God is calling Killarney Park MB Church to be a Christ-centered, Spirit-filled people who embrace the City's multicultural identity by *welcoming* and *caring* for all people. Through Biblical teaching, service and worship, we *celebrate* our gifts and talents in our desire to impact the City with righteous living and God's message of hope."

**COMMUNION WORSHIP SERVICE
PALM SUNDAY
April 14, 2019**

GATHERING

Prelude
Announcements

Invocation

Leader: We begin the holy week this day,... seeking to discover God in the passion and grief.

Congr.: **Have grace on us, O God, as we listen for words which will sustain our weariness.**

Leader: We will be invited to sit at the Table, where Jesus welcomes friends and followers.

Congr.: **Have grace on us, Brother of our tears, as we struggle not to turn our backs on you.**

Leader: As the days unfold, may we focus - not so much about ourselves, but for the One who stands by us.

Congr.: **Have grace on us, Spirit of comfort, and hold us in every moment of this journey.**

Opening Songs
Passing of the Peace

**VISITING Thanksgiving for Offering
 Songs of Praise**

Children's Blessing

Congregational Prayer

All (after the prayer): Lord in your mercy hear our prayers
All: Our Father in heaven, hallowed be Your name, Your kingdom come, Your will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from the evil one. For Yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen

COMMUNING

Scripture Reading Jeremiah 36:1-7(TNIV)
Message A Word in Crisis

BLESSING

Response in Song

Benediction:

Leader: Now we will set aside our palm branches,
Congr.: **to go and serve at God's side in a broken and fearful world.**

Leader: Now we will pick up our cloaks and follow Jesus wherever he leads,
Congr.: **to learn from those the world ignores, to be touched by the grace within them. As we work alongside the Spirit, sustaining the weary with peace and hope.**

Leader: go in peace, Amen.



Postlude

- **Please join us** in the lower auditorium after the service for, tea, coffee & fellowship.
- Donations to the MCC Refugee Food Bank are always gratefully accepted.

NEXT SUNDAY

10:30am Worship – Pastor Dave Chow
Old is Swept Away – Jeremiah 42:4-7, 44:11-12(TNIV)
Easter Sunday

THIS WEEK

Mon – Fri Preschool Classes 9am – 3pm
Apr 15 Board Meeting 7pm in the Library
Apr 17 Prayer Meeting in the Library 6:15am – 7am
Apr 18 Maundy Thursday – Tenebrae Service 5:30pm – 7:30pm
Apr 19 Good Friday Service with Sherbrooke Mennonite at KPMB at 10am
Apr 19 Resonance Church Youth Group – Bubble Tea Night 6:30pm – 9:30pm

COMING EVENTS

Apr 23	MCC New Foundations 12:30pm – 2pm
Apr 26	Women with Purpose 9:30am – 11:30am
May 7	MCC New Foundations - Community Kitchen 12:30pm – 2pm
May 7	Kid's Club 6pm – 7:30pm
May 21	MCC New Foundations 12:30pm – 2pm
July 8-12	VBS

ANNOUNCEMENTS



► The **Board Meeting** is tomorrow evening, 7pm in the Library.

► **Thursday 18, April** we will be holding our **Tenebrae Service**, starting with a light supper **5:30pm – 7:30pm**, all are welcome.

► The **Good Friday Service** will be held here at **KPMB, Apr 19th, at 10am** with refreshments after the service. Sherbrooke Mennonite Church will be joining us.



► **VBS – Vacation Bible School** – We will be looking for helpers to join us for one week this summer when we plan to hold VBS. If you're interested in helping out in any way please talk to **Pastor Dave, Charlene** or **contact the church office 604-437-9638**



► The weekly prayer meetings are on **Wednesday mornings 6:15-7:00am** in the library. Everyone is welcome & encouraged to join us, both men & women. If you have any questions please contact **the church office**.



COMMUNITY DINNER ► The **Community Dinners** will be held every **2nd & 4th Tuesday evening, 6 pm KPMB Church in the Fireside Room**. It will be a potluck format; please no pork or nut products. **We are also looking for someone** or a small group who would be willing to help coordinate these dinners on an ongoing basis. If you are interested in taking this on, **please contact** the church office.

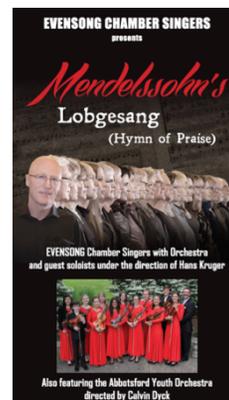
PRAYER REQUESTS

♥ S - Multiply worker in Latin America

Pray for:

- Discipleship of students at the training center
- Work with short-term groups and mission teams
- Church planting, social ministries, evangelism and teaching opportunities

MCC NEWS



Benefit Concert

Join us **Sunday, April 28th, at 3 o'clock** in the afternoon at the **Chilliwack Cultural Centre** for an afternoon of Evensong. The Evensong Chamber Singers presents Mendelssohn's Lobgesang (Hymn of Praise). Evensong Chamber Singers with Orchestra and guest soloists under the direction of Hans Krueger, also featuring the Abbotsford Youth Orchestra directed by Calvin Dyck.

Go online to get your tickets

<https://www.chilliwackculturalcentre.ca/event/evensong-chamber-singers>

RECYCLING STATION



Some of you may have noticed that we now have a proper designated area for the recycling which includes the bottle recycling. **You can find the recycling station in the storage cupboard in the downstairs foyer.**

A member has done a wonderful job setting up the area with very clear info by each container detailing what can and cannot be collected.

We ask that after any event or fellowship time on a Sunday, a couple of people make sure the kitchen recycling tubs are emptied into the main recycling station ensuring that the kitchen is kept clear.

COMMUNITY GARDEN

The preschool have got a few rows left in the community garden area. If anyone would like a row to grow some vegetables **please speak with the church office.**



SMALL GROUPS

Are you looking for a small group to join? You are invited to participate in any one of our small groups. Call the church office for details.

CONFESSION OF FAITH

We believe in God as eternal Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. God created and sustains the universe. The eternal purpose of God the Father is to create a people who will bring glory to God forever. God alone is worthy of worship.

We believe that God became human in Jesus Christ. Jesus came to restore the world because humans have rejected God in disobedience. Jesus taught and modeled the way of God's kingdom. He died on the cross, making it possible for us to accept a renewed relationship with God. He rose from the dead, broke the power of sin and death, and freed us to live in obedience to God's will.

We believe that God the Holy Spirit invites all people to be reconciled with God and to join the global family of faith. Believers confess their faith, are baptized, and join in the celebration of the Lord's Supper. Through the power of the Holy Spirit and guided by the Bible, members of the church seek to live as followers of Christ and invite others to experience this new life.

As Christians we are called to turn

- from ignorance of God to a personal relationship with God
- from bondage of sin and past mistakes to freedom, forgiveness, and healing
- from individualism to interdependence with others in the local Church
- from lifestyle choices that harm us, others, and the earth to choices that nurture wholeness, healing, joy and peace
- from hating enemies and ignoring neighbours to showing love and justice to all
- from loving possessions to sharing with all in need
- from aimless existence to a mission of representing God's kingdom on earth.

As Christians we look forward to the day when God will once again send Jesus to bring all things under God's eternal rule.

(This condensed version is intended to introduce new attenders to the basic theological position of the Mennonite Brethren Church. For a more detailed statement of faith, see a copy of the Confession of Faith of the Mennonite Brethren Churches):

http://www.mbconf.ca/home/products_and_services/resources/theology/confession_of_faith

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Meditation

25 They exchanged the truth about God for a lie, and worshiped and served created things rather than the Creator—who is forever praised.

Amen.

Romans 1:25(TNIV)

**Worship Service 10:30am
Youth and Children's Sunday School 10:30am**