

# Killarney Park MB Church

Belong – Believe – Become

**Worship Service– September 29, 2024, 10:30AM**

**Truth & Reconciliation Sunday**

**Nick Suen**

***Spiritual Awakening***

**Psalm 19:1-2, 7-14**

**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.”

## Upcoming Events

Sundays	Weekly Gathering, 10:30AM
Pre-service Prayer	9:45-10:15AM in the library (Killarney Room)
Sun, Sep 29	Baptism and Membership Class (after Sunday service)
Wed, Oct 2	Romans Bible Study Class, 7:15PM on Zoom
Thu, Oct 3	Small Group at 7:30pm
Sun, Oct 6	Baptism and Membership Class (after Sunday service)
Sun, Oct 6	Thanksgiving Hospitality Lunch
Tue, Oct 8	Prayer Meeting at 7:15pm
Wed, Oct 9	Romans Bible Study Class, 7:15PM on Zoom
Thu, Oct 10	Board Meeting, 7:30PM
Fri, Oct 11	Joint Youth Fellowship, 7:30PM
Fri, Oct 11	Mandarin Bible Study, 7:30PM on Zoom
Sun, Oct 13	Baptism and Membership Day on Thanksgiving Sunday
Sat, Oct 26	Women’s Group Retreat @ A Rocha Centre, 10:30am-5:30pm

## Our Help Is in the Name of the LORD

### A Song of Ascents. Of David.

**124** If it had not been the LORD who was on our side—

let Israel now say—

<sup>2</sup> if it had not been the LORD who was on our side

when people rose up against us,

<sup>3</sup> then they would have swallowed us up alive, when their anger was kindled against us;

<sup>4</sup> then the flood would have swept us away, the torrent would have gone over us;

<sup>5</sup> then over us would have gone the raging waters.

<sup>6</sup> Blessed be the LORD, who has not given us as prey to their teeth!

<sup>7</sup> We have escaped like a bird from the snare of the fowlers;

the snare is broken, and we have escaped!

<sup>8</sup> Our help is in the name of the LORD, who made heaven and earth.

Psalm 124

## Donations

**Donations to KPMB** can be made by e-transfer to [donations@kpmbchurch.org](mailto:donations@kpmbchurch.org) or in-person

## Church Office Hours (closed on Monday)

Sunnie Pei                      Tues - Fri    9:00AM – 3:30PM

Pastor Sherman Lau    Tues – Fri    9:30AM – 4:30PM

## Pre-service Prayer

Every Sunday, we meet for prayer before the worship service on Sunday mornings from 9:45-10:15AM in the library (Killarney Room).

## Bi-monthly Prayer Meeting

Every 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of the month from 7:15-8:15PM over Zoom.

## Fellowship Groups

- a. **Adults Small Group:** Every 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday at 7:30PM. Contact the office to confirm meeting location if needed. Virtual meeting option will be available upon request (call ahead).
- b. **Mandarin Bible Study:** Every 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Friday at 7:30PM through Zoom. Contact the office for more information.
- c. **One Another Groups:** One Another groups are micro-small groups (3-5 people) for spiritual enrichment and friendship. Form or join a One Another group for six weeks. Connect with someone after service TODAY! Contact Pastor Sherman for more information.

## Prayer Ministry

### ♥ Pray for Our Missionaries:

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Multiply workers in Latin America

Pray for:

- Discipleship of students at the Training Center
- Pastoring of church
- Business venture, bringing the Gospel in practical ways to their community

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Romans Bible Study Class

This Fall, our sermon series will focus on the book of Romans. **We will be meeting on Zoom at 7:15PM on the following dates: Oct 2, Oct 9, Oct 23, Nov 6 and Nov 20.** Paul's Letter to the Romans shapes our Christian theology of grace and salvation as well as understanding of the person of Christ (Christology) and how to live as a Christian community (ecclesiology).

### Baptism & Membership Sunday, October 13, 2024

We are scheduling Baptism and Membership service on Thanksgiving Sunday, October 13. If you are interested in being baptized or becoming a member, please attend the baptism and membership class on **Sept 29** and **Oct 6** after the service.

### Women with Purpose Events

**Saturday, Oct 26.** at the beautiful A Rocha Centre, 1620 192 St, Surrey. There will be a special day retreat from **10:30 am to 5:30 pm**. There will be various activities including games, tea, snacks, and poetry. We will explore God's words, learn, listen, support each other, encourage, and pray for each other. Our hope is that in this group we will be challenged to live a purposeful life, grow in our relationship with God and have a great deal of fun doing so! Please see more info about A Rocha at

<https://arocha.ca/where-we-work/brooksdale/>



### Invocation

**Leader:** Praise the Lord who sends forth his Spirit!

**Congregation:** Praise the Lord who renews the face of the earth.

**Leader:** Come, Spirit of Comfort, Heal the wounds of our hearts, Bring peace to our troubled minds, And restore hope to our weary souls.

**Congregation:** Breathe upon us Your life-giving breath, Fill us with the fire of Your love, And ignite our hearts with the flame of Your Spirit.

### Benediction

**Leader:** Almighty God, Your Spirit moved among the ancient prophets and writers, reminding them of the truth, shaping the eternal message of truth

**Congregation:** We invite You, Holy Spirit, into our lives, To transform us, renew us, and fill us, That we may become more like Christ, And live to the glory of God the Father.

**Leader:** Empower us, O Spirit of Strength, To proclaim the Good News with boldness, To serve others with joy and humility, And to bear witness to Your love in all that we do.

## Mennonite Connections & Beyond

MCC

### Buckets of Thanks

This Thanksgiving in Canada, help us send 2,000 relief buckets to people affected by disaster and conflict in places like Ukraine, Malawi, Zambia and Cuba.

Buckets of Thanks is a way to express your gratitude at thanksgiving by paying it forward with generosity.

Each Bucket of Thanks (also known as a relief kit or relief bucket) is a five-gallon pail that's filled with essential hygiene items and sent to people and families in need around the world.

To show your gratitude and help give hope to others this Thanksgiving, you can:

1. **[Pack a relief bucket](#)** and drop it off at your local [MCC kit drop-off location](#). [Contact your local MCC office](#) to find out where you can pick up relief kit buckets to fill with supplies.
2. **[Sponsor a bucket](#)** for just \$65 and cover the cost of supplies needed for a bucket. You can honor someone you love by sponsoring a bucket in their name with a printable Thanksgiving card.
3. **[Gather and drop off some or all of the supplies](#)** that go in a relief bucket at your local MCC kit drop-off location. Every item helps!

Help us meet our goal of donating 2,000 relief kits before October 31 and give buckets full of hope to those who need it the most. If you can't get your buckets in this month, don't worry — donations of relief kits are also accepted throughout the year.

More info at <https://mcc.org/get-involved/fundraiser/buckets>



The Ride for Refuge is an amazing annual fundraising event that Journey Home Community has been involved in for the past 15 years! Every first weekend of October, this event takes place across Canada. JHC's riding location is in Richmond (where the routes are nice and flat!) and there are options to Walk 5K or Ride 10K/20K. It's a fun event with well over 250 people participating, all in matching t-shirts and excited to be raising funds to support refugee claimants and asylum seekers who come to JHC's door. It is a great way to love our international neighbors and to have fun while doing so!

For more information about volunteering or forming a team, go to:

<https://journeyhomecommunity.ca/events-and-training/ride-for-refuge>

### Community Music Concert September 28, 2024, 7:00 – 9:00 PM

Hosted by Kitsilano Christian Community Church (1708 West 16<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Vancouver, BC) in support of sponsoring an Afghan family. Musical talents are Michael Hart, Mark & Doe Bender and Allen des Noyers. For more information, contact the office.

### Telecare Crisis & Caring Line

Telecare Crisis & Caring Line is delighted to offer our [Listen Up! workshop](#) again this fall, Sept 28, at Columbia Bible College in Abbotsford. Designed for church ministry and social agency staff and volunteers.

learn how to:

- Identify barriers to listening well
- Recognize terrible listening habits
- Assess their own style of listening
- Understand features of active listening
- Practice positive listening skills

### Workshop Details:

- Date: Saturday, September 28, 2024
- Time: 8:30 AM - 12:30 PM
- Location: Columbia Bible College, Abbotsford (Clearwood Room, Student Centre)
- Cost: \$25 (continental breakfast and materials included)
- Register here: <https://www.telecarebc.com/listen-up-2024>