



**Zion  
Mennonite  
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9:00 am to 12:00 noon

Office hours Tuesday to Friday

**Sunday In-person Worship at 10 AM**

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**Pianist – Grace F.**

**Worship Leader – Elaine D.**

**Song Leader – Elaine D.**

**Prelude**

**Gathering Song** HWB #6 *Here in this place*

**Welcome**

**Call to Worship**

L. We know that God is always with us.

**P. So we come this morning to remind ourselves  
that we are with God.**

L. In this time of worship,

**P. may our hearts be glad,**

L. may our souls rejoice,

**P. may our bodies rest secure.**

L. God shows us the path of life.

**All: We are glad to be together in God's presence.**

**Prayer**

**Praise Songs** HWB #48 *All creatures of our God and King*

HWB #89 *For the beauty of the earth*

**Blessing & Receiving of Offering**

**Announcements, Opportunities, Sharing**

**Prayer**

**Song** SJ #56 *Make me a channel of your peace*

**Scripture Reading: Esther**

**Naomi D.**

**Sermon Faith and Bravery**

**Zach Stefaniuk**

**Response Song** HWB #526 *In the rifted Rock I'm resting*

**Benediction**

**Sending Song** SS #57 *Go, my friends, in grace*

**Postlude**

**Today Potluck Brunch**

**Next Sunday** Naomi D. will be sharing  
about her SALT experience in Kenya

**Pray for:**

- our shut-ins and those with ongoing health concerns and their caregivers
- those grieving the loss of loved ones
- our Leadership Team / Executive
- Camp Elim summer camps; this week Day Camp 2 (ages 5-10)
- Swift Current Ministerial: Church of the Open Bible
- Mennonite Church Sask: North Star Mennonite Church in Drake, pastor Lisa Martens Bartel
- Ukraine / Russia
- a just peace in Israel, Palestine, Gaza

**Pastor Zach holidays August 14-28**

**Coming in September**

-- We will again be doing **Meals on Wheels** (4 weeks)

-- **September 8 at Camp Elim** – worship service and potluck

**School Kit Challenge.**

It is the season where school supplies are everywhere. School kits are MCC's most requested item given to children in many countries. MCC is putting out a challenge to make 24,000 school kits in August. Bd of Ed would like to collect your coins and send the money to MCC who will buy the supplies for the kits. 1 bag of supplies costs them \$9.

Please place the **coins in the cloth school bag** hanging by the poster on the back wall. Thank you.

The report booklet for **Mennonite Church Canada's Annual General Meeting** is available at CommonWord ([www.commonword.ca/go/3988](http://www.commonword.ca/go/3988)).