



**Zion
Mennonite
Church**

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9:00 am to 12:00 noon

Sunday In-person Worship at 10 AM

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Pianist – Marion D.

**Worship Leader – Joy J.
Song Leader – Ken D.**

Prelude

Gathering Song HWB #15 *O Prince of peace*

Welcome

Call to Worship

We bring who we truly are

To the God of life, let us bring ourselves
some weary, some energetic, some contented, some unsettled

We bring who we truly are

To the God of truth, let us bring ourselves
some trusting, some doubting, with our questions and
our certainties

We bring who we truly are

To the God of light, let us bring ourselves,
our achievements, our failures, our public selves, our hidden selves

We bring who we truly are

To the God of hope, let us bring ourselves,
our dreams and visions, our despair our yearnings

We bring who we truly are

To the God of all Creation, let us bring ourselves
we the broken, we the blessed, made in God's image, loved
beyond measure

We bring who we truly are

To this gathering place, we bring ourselves
Open to God's truth, light, hope and life among us.
Open to receive what we are able to
Open to share in this time of worship together.

Prayer

Praise Songs HWB #117 *Fairest Lord Jesus*
VT #387 *We Are One in the Spirit*

Blessing of the Offering

Song VT #534 *God the Spirit, Guide and Guardian*

Announcements, Opportunities, Sharing

Prayer

Song HWB #304 *There are many gifts*

Scripture Genesis 2:18-23; Matthew 12:46-50
1 Corinthians 12:12-27

Sermon *Honest Conversation on Connectedness*

Zach Stefaniuk

Response Song SJ #72 *One is the body*

Benediction

Sending Songs HWB #306 *In Christ there is no East of West*
VT #568 *Christ Has No Body Here but Ours*

Postlude

Next Sunday: speaker will be Jake Buhler from Osler
potluck

Pray for:

- our shut-ins and those with ongoing health concerns and their caregivers
- those grieving the loss of loved ones and those struggling with transition of some kind
- those with sudden health issues
- our Leadership Team / Executive
- Camp Elim, this week: Day Camp 2 (ages 5-10)
- Swift Current Ministerial: St. Olaf Lutheran Church
- Mennonite Church Sask **Praying for each other:** Osler Mennonite Church is in an exciting and transitional time. Brad Schroeder will be starting his position as Lead Pastor. Pray for us as we enter this new chapter of working together. We are thankful for what lies ahead!
- Ukraine / Russia
- a just peace in the Middle East
- MCC at work around the world in the name of Christ

Zion Janitorial - A group of volunteers is working to keep the interior of our building clean and tidy. This group includes: Elaine and Matt, Peggy, Mel, Jake, Marion and Ken, and Bart. If you would like to help out with a specific janitorial task, please speak to Bart. Many hands make light work, as they say.

MCC School Kits Challenge for August. Coins will be collected for school kits from August 3 - 24. Save your coins and contribute to this project that is very much appreciated by so many children around the world. Bd of Ed.