

## BEYOND OUR CONGREGATION:

- **ICYA Gala, Oct. 17**, featuring Tom Jackson. Reserve tickets by contacting Laurie at 204-582-8779 ext. 207.
- **J.J. Thiessen Lectures, Oct. 14-15, 2014, CMU Chapel.** *Becoming Friends of Time: Disability, Timefulness and Gentle Discipleship* presented by Dr. John Swinton, Professor and Chair in Divinity and Religious Studies, University of Aberdeen. View full lecture details at [cmu.ca/jjt](http://cmu.ca/jjt)
- **CMU Vespers, Oct. 19, 2014, 7:30 pm, Laudamus Auditorium.** Services are held at 7:30 pm the third Sunday of each month, October to March. Details at [cmu.ca/vespers](http://cmu.ca/vespers).
- **CMU presents Xplore: Keep Thinking** Xplore is a 55-Plus Enrichment Program that offers courses investigating dimensions of the Christian faith, our world, and life in it. View course, tuition, and registration information at [cmu.ca/xplore/](http://cmu.ca/xplore/).
- **Tues. Oct. 21 Crisis Pregnancy Centre** Autumn Celebration, Fort Garry Hotel. Call 204-772-1923 for tickets.
- **"The Forks and the Road" – Fri., Oct. 24, 7:30, Gas Station Theatre.** Celebrate 50 years of MCC Manitoba with the new play from Theatre of the Beat, exploring major themes in MCC's work including relationships with Indigenous neighbours, creation care, thrift shops, mediation and refugee resettlement. Tickets are \$15 and are available at MCC offices (Plaza Drive and Henderson Hwy).
- **Singin' in the Grain – Canada Foodgrains Bank** fundraising concert, **Nov. 1, 7:30 pm** at Springfield Heights Mennonite Church. You're invited! Featuring the University of Manitoba Bison Men's Chorus and the Eastman Male Choir. Admission to both concerts is free; an offering will be taken.
- **Sat. Nov. 15, 7:00 pm - MCC Manitoba's 50th Anniversary Benefit Concert, Immanuel Pentecostal Church.** Featuring a keynote address from former Prime Minister, The Right Honourable Joe Clark and performances from Faith & Life Men's and Women's Choirs, University of Manitoba Women's Chorus, and Buffalo Gals Drum Group. Limited seating. Tickets are free, with a special offering taken for MCC's new affordable housing initiative. For tickets, visit [mccmanitoba.ca/50](http://mccmanitoba.ca/50) or call [\(204\)261-6381](tel:2042616381).

### Call to Worship

Leader: Our God, we gather to worship you, the One who creates all things.

**People: For the gift of creation, we give thanks.**

Leader: We gather to worship you, the One committed to us through a love that never ends.

**People: For the gift of reconciliation, we give thanks.**

Leader: We gather to worship you, the One who continually seeks us by the Spirit.

**People: For the gift of your presence, we give thanks.**

Leader: We bring to you the offerings of our commitment - thanks, praise, and awe are our gifts of love.

**ALL: We gather to worship you, Trinity of love: God above us, God beside us, God beneath us; the Beginning, the End, the Everlasting One. Amen**

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## ABERDEEN MENNONITE CHURCH

**Sunday, October 12, 2014**



*Welcome to Aberdeen!*

Weekly Worship at 10:00 a.m.

Sunday School for all ages following the service

**Our worship is a response  
to God's call to repentance and faith.  
Seeking to live in harmony with God's will,  
we extend our service and  
witness in the name of Jesus Christ.  
60 years in North End Winnipeg**

**Sunday, October 12, 2014**  
**Thanksgiving Sunday**

Opening Songs      HWB 71 Joyful, joyful we adore thee  
How great Thou art (insert)

Call to Worship

Welcome and Introduction

Special Music      Hailey

Scripture Readings      Psalms 95:1-7  
Colossians 3:12-17

Congregational Songs      HWB 98 Sing to the Lord of harvest  
HWB 53 God of the earth

Sermon              Ron

Congregational Sharing of Thanksgiving

Special Music      Hailey

Offering

Announcements

Congregational Song      HWB 86 Now thank we all our God

Closing Reading      HWB 721

Worship leader: Murray  
Song leader: Darlenel  
Pianist: Deb

**FOR YOUR CALENDAR:**

- **Aberdeen Food Bank** - meets next on Oct. 18 and Nov. 1
- **Monday, Oct. 13, 5:00 pm** – Aberdeen Thanksgiving Supper. Everyone is warmly invited. A special offering will be taken for the Aberdeen Food Pantry.
- **Sunday, Oct. 19** – Congregational meeting.



**Birthdays This Week:** Westen Oct. 12  
Kezia Oct. 18  
Riana Oct. 18

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

- Please remember the Food Pantry in your weekly shopping. Supplies are low and donations of canned goods, coffee/tea, and pasta/rice are needed.
- **FINANCIAL UPDATE:** As of last Sunday, October 5, donations of approximately \$63,000 have been received. This is 70% of our donation budget of \$90,000 for 2014. Thanks for your continued giving.

**PRAYER REQUESTS:**

- Pray for those in our congregation who are travelling, Alice and Linda, Peter and Leona, Herb and Esther and others.
- Pray for Garry who is in Regina attending his oldest brother Roy's funeral. We ask for God's peace for Garry and Cathy and his family as they mourn Roy's passing.
- Pray for the unrest in our world, for those affected by Ebola, famine, terrorism and violence.



Coffee for next week Oct. 19 Herb and Esther  
Coffee for Oct. 26 Sol and Brad

**Psalm 95:1-7**

O come, let us sing to the Lord;  
let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!  
Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving;  
let us make a joyful noise to him with songs of praise!  
For the Lord is a great God,  
and a great King above all gods.  
In his hand are the depths of the earth;  
the heights of the mountains are his also.  
The sea is his, for he made it,  
and the dry land, which his hands have formed.  
O come, let us worship and bow down,  
let us kneel before the Lord, our Maker!  
For he is our God,  
and we are the people of his pasture,  
and the sheep of his hand.  
O that today you would listen to his voice!

**Colossians 3:12-17**

As God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience.

Bear with one another and, if anyone has a complaint against another, forgive each other; just as the Lord has forgiven you, so you also must forgive.

Above all, clothe yourselves with love, which binds everything together in perfect harmony. And let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to which indeed you were called in the one body.

And be thankful.

Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly; teach and admonish one another in all wisdom; and with gratitude in your hearts sing psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs to God. And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.