

Refugee Update:

A used lawn mower is needed to maintain the yard at 345 Church Avenue. Mohamed and Alia are excited about the beautiful "garden" - as they call it. An older mower from which a front wheel could be removed between uses would be less likely to disappear and show up on Kijiji! Please contact Herb if you can help. (482-6375)

We have been having wonderful visits with the family. The 4 young men are eager to work so if you know of someone who is hiring please let us know or talk to them directly. They have some valuable skills in electrical and plumbing and come with varying levels of English. They have settled into the house and have most of what they need, but would be happy for a few more outdoor chairs if anyone has some.

Worship and Ed Update:

Regarding our Sundays in summer series, entitled "Aberdeen reads": Thank you for those of you that have volunteered to plan a Sunday. Others have expressed interest but have not committed to a Sunday. Feel free to partner with others if you'd like. . The Worship and Ed committee thought people could organize a service around their favourite author. The readings, music, and reflections (and perhaps food?) could be built around that theme for that Sunday. The possibilities are endless. Please contact Teresa or Rudy if you are willing to be creative in this way. We still need people to do the following Sundays: July 15 and 22 and August 26th.

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Aberdeen EMC

Sunday, May 27, 2018



Welcome to Aberdeen!

Weekly Worship is at 10 am

Our Worship is a response to Gods call to repentance and faith.
Seeking to live in Harmony with God's will, we will extend our
service and witness in the name of Jesus Christ.

Sunday, May 27th, 2018

Theme - Trinity Sunday God for us, God with us, God in us

GATHERING

Welcome
Call to Worship

L: God's love is poured out on God's world.

P: **From the foundations of time, God's love is woven into all things.**

L: When we cry "Abba, Father!", God hears and lovingly responds to us.

P: **Thanks be to God who forgives and lifts us up.**

L: Now we are called to be born anew!

P: **Open our hearts and our lives that we may truly be born with hearts aflame with God's love. AMEN.**

Opening Prayer
Congregational Songs

New Earth, heavens new HWB #299

Holy Spirit come with power HWB #26

Prayer of Confession
Words of Assurance

HEARING THE WORD

Scripture Reading

Isaiah 6 :1-8, , Romans 8: 12-17, John 3 :1- 17

Congregational Song

Love the Lord your God STS #55

Children's Story

Sermon- Esther

Communion - Ministerial

RESPONDING

Congregational Song

Spirit of the Living God HWB #349

Congregational Sharing and Prayer

Offertory

SENDING

Announcements

Congregational Song

Go my Children HWB #433

Benediction

Worship Leader: Jim Song Leader: Bev Pianist: Deb

Please pray for Hassan who has been in Children's hospital this week due to having a feeding tube put in, as a result of his gastro intestinal troubles. Doctors are continuing to diagnose what the cause is for his pain and inability to keep solid foods down.

Please pray for Sarah who is still in Victoria Hospital after her fall several weeks ago.

There will be a congregational meeting on Sunday June 3rd after the service.

The next Aberdeen Food Pantry will be held on June 9th.

The Church Picnic will be held on June 10th at Kildonan Park, at the Ash Shelter. Please bring your lawn chairs, a fun outdoor game, and some potluck food to share and your own reusable dishes. In case of rain, we will meet at the church. Coffee will be provided.

The next Prayer night will be June 10th., with the location to be determined. This will be the last prayer night until the fall.



Coffee -June 3rd Marv and Paul

June 17th Murray and Marg June 24th Mo and Rudy

Birthdays- May 30th- Miriam

Mennonite World Conference

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