

On the road to

restoration

December 13, 2020



Worship Service

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(online service outline)

Welcome Chris Hutton

Community Connection

Music Corner

Children's MomentKatrina Metsa

Advent Candle Lighting

Advent Monologue

Scripture Verse:

Psalm 126

Message: Daniel Janzen

"When the Lord restored our fortunes"



Christmas is one of my favourite times of the year to sing. I love all the music of the season. Of course I have some favorites like "In the bleak mid winter" and "The Little Drummer Boy" so they are both part of the playlist this week.

I have also added some pieces that I have stumbled onto while I have been working away in the office, I often have been playing some Youtube videos of Christmas music. Youtube then suggests other songs I might like. So the playlist starts with a gorgeous mix of music and singing set to the Christmas story. It reminded me of the Christmas Eve programs from my childhood. Then just last week a creative arrangement due to COVID restrictions of "The First Noel" came up.

Click the image of the bells to be taken to the playlist.

I hope you enjoy the playlist and it puts you in the holiday spirit. Enjoy and Merry Christmas.

Submitted by: Emily Fieguth

German Worship Service

German Worship services will be made available online on our <u>website</u> and will live stream to Pleasant Manor at their respective times.

You can also watch on Cogego YourTV at 10:30 am

Bekanntmachungen

Gunnar Doerwald

Grusswort: Hebräer 1:1-3

Anzuenden der 3. Adventkerze

Gebet

Lied: "Freue dich, Welt"

Schriftwort: Johannes 1:1-5, 10-14

Botschaft: "Gott zeigt sein Gesicht" Renate Dau Klaassen

Lied: "Wie soll ich dich empfangen"

Segen



Lieder:

"Freue dich, Welt"

"Wie soll ich dich empfangen"

Klicken Sie hier für eine Wiedergabeliste



November 29 ~ First Advent: On the road to Readiness

What does readiness look like? How might we prepare ourselves to receive the One sent to save us? May our heart's desire be to make space to receive the gift God has sent. Online

November 29 ~ First Advent: German Service

Der Heiland kommt zu uns! Wir zünden die erste Adventskerze an, u. feiern das heilige Abendmahl

December 6 - Second Advent: On the road to Repentance

When the heart is moving in readiness, there is an openness to the "new" - perhaps the fresh thing God wants to do. To embrace the new requires letting go of the past. Repentance means we are letting go and making space for God's new work in us. In Person & Online

December 13 - Third Advent: On the road to Restoration

The gift offered to the repentant is restoration. The road to restoration is a journey toward wholeness in body, soul and spirit. Online

DECEMBER 13 - THIRD ADVENT: GERMAN SERVICE

Das Heil steht an der Tür! Wir zünden die dritte Adventskerze an, und bereiten unsere Herzen auf sein Kommen.

December 20 - Fourth Advent: On the road to Revelation

On the road to revelation, if we have faith and a willing spirit, God will show us the way. God's word to us is, "I am with you; do not be afraid" In Person & Online

DECEMBER 24 ~ CHRISTMAS: ON THE ROAD TO REJOICING

Walking the road of revelations results in overwhelming joy. The waiting is over. Jesus has come! We rejoice in the incarnation, God in the flesh, God with us! In-Person & Live-streamed Online ** at 7:00 PM**

DECEMBER 27 ~ CHRISTMAS: GERMAN SERVICE

Christ der Retter ist da! Diese Andacht wird am 24.12. gepostet werden, damit man sie zu jeder Zeit in den Festtagen schauen kann. Online

JANUARY 3 - EPIPHANY: ON THE ROAD TO RADIANCE

Jesus, Light of the World, has come and shed light on our journey. We are radiant in the light of His love and grace. In Person & Online

In Person

Sundays at 10:00 AM

Online

Sundays at 10:00 AM

 ** Also available at Pleasant Manor and on Cogeco. See bulletin for more details. **



Within NUMC



All the latest things that are happening

Parent(s) or Guardian(s) with children approximately between the ages of 6-13

An interactive workbook for families focusing on developing peaceful relationships in the home is being developed. Restorative Justice Intern, Claire Smith, is conducting short 15-20-minute interviews to gain an understanding of the current needs of young families with regards to developing healthy family relationships. These interviews will be conducted in whatever format is easiest for participants (over the phone, on a video call, etc.). If you would like to contribute to this workbook by volunteering to be interviewed, please contact Claire at clairesmith@mcco.ca.

Sr Youth this Friday night at 7:00pm!

Sr Youth Ugly Sweater Christmas Party! This Friday night over Zoom at 7:00pm! Wear your ugliest Christmas sweater for our last meeting of 2020! We'll meet over Zoom call for games and gingerbread house building! Chris will deliver a gingerbread house to you ahead of time to put together and enjoy!

Family News



Our love & sympathy are with the Schmidt family at the passing of their mother, Elsa Schmidt on December 3.. A private graveside service has taken place. A memorial service at a later date may be held. May God bless the family in their time of grief.

Click here for the Obituary





Gifts for Teens & Women

Non perishable food items

Hygeine products

Hats, mitts, gloves & scarves

Blankets

Socks

Deliver to the church by Monday, December 14.

Giftts for
Westview Centre4Women.
Please wrap gifts in giftbags.
New items only. No razors or sharp items.
Place items under the Christmas tree in the foyer or drop them off during the week in the donation bin outside the double glass doors.
Thank You!

For more information or a list of gift ideas, contact the church office.



How to worship with us this week...

In-Person Service This week we will hold an German service in our sanctuary. Visit <u>REALM</u> to see the full schedule of live services and to register. You can also call the church office for details or to pre-register.
"Church Online" (English) Watch the English service every week <u>HERE</u> at the same time as others, and join in the conversation using the chat box
German Online Available through the <u>church website</u> this Sunday morning by 10 am and available throughout the week.
English Online Available through the <u>church website</u> every Sunday morning by 10 am and available throughout the week.
Cogeco This week, our German service will be presented on Channel 10.
Pleasant Manor German Service Available this week through the Pleasant Manor antenna system. Upcoming German Services available on Dec.13, Dec. 27.

Pleasant Manor English Service

11:00 am

Available every week through the Pleasant Manor antenna system.

In Church Service Pre-Registering

It is very helpful for us to know how many to expect each Sunday for the worship service.

Whenever possible please pre-register before attending.

Those wishing to pre-register will need to have a REALM account setup. Invitations to register were sent out in August, however the invitation expires after 30 days. If you require a new invitation, so you can setup your account, please contact the <u>church office</u>.

Those who do not have computers, you can pre-register for services by calling the church office.

Rob's Report



To donate:

Donate through the <u>website</u>

E-Transfer to treasurer@redbrickchurch.ca

Drop a cheque off in the church mailbox or mail a cheque to the church

NUMC - Receipts - Donations	2020	2019	
Budget	293,670	337	
Capital/Reno Fund	6,613	18,828	
MCC	36,134	47,597	
Christian Witness	5,970	11,867	
Deacons/Caregiver Fund	335	988	
Library	265	340	
Friends: Mennonite Centre Ukraine	990	2,660	
MCEC	50	0	
MDS	220	810	
Mission and Service Fund	1,050	4,801	
Westview and Westview Centre 4 Women - WC4W	2,200	300	
Miscellaneous receipts	204	185	
Women in Service	790	1,225	
Youth groups	340	3,759	
Other, Rent, Solar, interest, etc	26,231	23,850	
Total Receipts 11 months ending Nov 30, 2020	375,062	398,346	
NUMC - Expenses - 11 months ending Nov 30, 2020	2020	2019	2020 budget
Facilities, Utils, Repairs, Insurance	58,389	47,222	48,750
Office and computers	13,347	19,847	16,500
Worship and music	1,784	10,722	9,850
Wages and staff expenses	240,393	247,740	298,250
Education, SS, library, resources	3,111	6,910	2,025
Conference support	38,250	38,250	35,000
Missions budget	10,000	10,000	10,000
Engagement, youth and ministry	2,500	2,500	3,500
Total Expenses 11 months ending Nov 30, 2020	367,774	383,191	423,875

We have collected \$293,670 towards our 2020 budget of \$423,875, year to date. Our expenses year to date are \$367,774. The Church board extends its sincere thanks to all persons who have continued to contribute financially towards our church ministry.

Contact Us

Our Pastoral Team is still around, just working from home these days.

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Stay connected with church community in the following ways:

Click the links to find out more!

Service Information Youth and Young Adults

<u>Care Ministry</u> <u>Red Brick Kids</u>

Life With Us Calendar of Events

E-News Give

- Visit the website: www.redbrickchurch.ca
- Find us on Facebook
- Reach out to our 'Care Ministry'