

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Sonia Bjorge - is home from the hospital and feeling so grateful for all the prayers on her behalf
Marilyn (Bill) Bramwell - at home, continuing treatment
Susie Harms - rehab in Mission Hospital
Erika (John) Klassen - very frail
Elizabeth Kornelsen - Christine Morrison Hospice, Mission
Hans (Susie) Siebert - at home, health is improving!
Erna (Franz) Unger - at home, but frail
Louise Wilms - Langley Lodge

Notes of Sympathy

Heinrich (Agnes) Lowen - passed away on Monday, February 6, 2023. Memorial Service will be held at Clearbrook MB church on February 14th at 11:00 am.

Ruby (Ken) Doerksen, daughter of John and Freda Derksen, lost her life on Tuesday, January 31, 2023 when she and Ken were in a tragic car accident. Please pray for this grieving family. Funeral service will be held Thursday, February 16 at 10:00 am at Clearbrook MB church.

Herman (Hilda) Borne - Celebration of Life will be held at Bakerview MB Church on February 25, 2023 at 10:30 am.

Michael Wiens, son of Walter and Rose Wiens, passed away Friday, February 3, 2023. A memorial service will be held on Friday, February 17 at 2:00 pm at Cedar Valley Mennonite Church in Mission.

THIS WEEK

All Sunday Services and Bible Studies are on Television and the Clearbrook MB Website.

Today	8:30 am	German Alliance Program - CFEG TV
	10:15 am	English Worship Service
Wednesday	9:00 am	German Bible Study - Doyle Klaassen
	10:00 am	English Bible Study - Psalm 150 Pastor Walter
Saturday	9:30 am	Choir practice
	11:30 am	Annual General Meeting/Lunch
Sunday, February 19, 2023		
	8:30 am	German Alliance Program - CFEG TV
	10:15 am	English Worship Service - Pastor Don
	6:30 pm	Hymn Sing

German Alliance TV broadcast:

A weekly program put together by the three churches, King Road MB Church, Eben-Ezer Mennonite Church and Clearbrook MB Church.

Broadcast Sundays 8:30 am on TV CFEG and also available on our Website under Watch Live.



THE GREAT WINTER WARM-UP

February 25, 2023, 10 AM to 2 PM
 Join us for a blanket making celebration and refreshments. All ages and skill levels are welcome to participate in this treasured tradition!

Clearbrook Mennonite Brethren Church
 2719 Clearbrook Road, Abbotsford, BC

Help spread hope around the world!
 Each handmade blanket shares God's love and hope with a global neighbour dealing with conflict or disaster.

GREATWINTERWARMUP.CA



Calvin Dyck and the Abbotsford Youth Orchestra present

"Music for a Winter's Night"

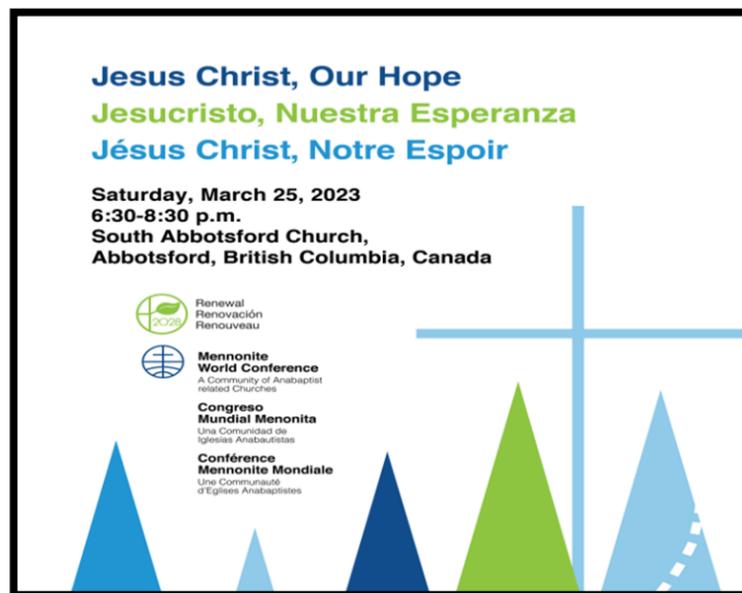
February 25th at 7pm

Calvin Presbyterian Church,

(33911 Hazelwood Ave, Abbotsford)

Tickets available on Eventbrite only.

\$22 (Adults); \$20 (Seniors - 65+); \$10 (Students) - plus tax/fee.



Jesus Christ, Our Hope
Jesucristo, Nuestra Esperanza
Jésus Christ, Notre Espoir

Saturday, March 25, 2023
 6:30-8:30 p.m.
 South Abbotsford Church,
 Abbotsford, British Columbia, Canada

 Renewal
 Renovación
 Renouveau
 Mennonite World Conference
 A Community of Anabaptist related Churches
 Congreso Mundial Menonita
 Una Comunidad de Iglesias Anabautistas
 Conférence Mennonite Mondiale
 Une Communauté d'Églises Anabaptistes

We would love to hear from you! If you have a prayer request, or would like to connect with a pastor, we invite you to take a moment to complete the Communication Card.

Sunday, February 12, 2023
Clearbrook MB Church



Sunday

10:15 a.m. Family Worship Service

Pastoral Team

Don & Lou Petker
 Walter & Edith Wiens
 Fred & Hani Ekkert

Glorifying God, Building the Church, Reaching the World.

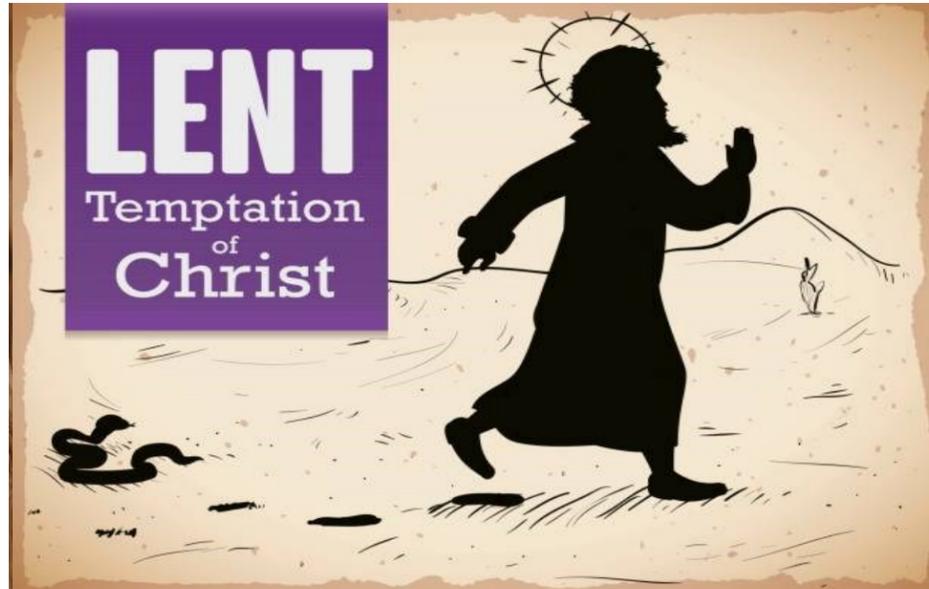


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Office Hours: Monday to Friday 8 am - 4:30 pm (closed at noon for one hour)

~Welcome To Our Family Worship Service ~



PRELUDE:

INVOCATION/WELCOME: Pastor Don

READING: # 459 The Lord Is My Shepherd

HYMNS: # 460 All the Way My Savior Leads Me
461 He Leadeth Me
462 Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us

ANNOUNCEMENTS: Pastor Walter

SOLO: The Lord's Prayer Myrna DeFehr

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE: Pastor Fred

CHOIR: Lead Me Lord

MESSAGE: "Lead Us Not Into Temptation"
Matthew 6:13; 4:1-11 Pastor Don

HYMN: # 470 Footsteps of Jesus

SERMON NOTES

"Lead Us Not Into Temptation"

Jesus knows temptation – he endured it after spending 40 days and 40 nights in the desert.

- The desert is where temptation often hits hardest. Spiritual highs are always followed by desert experiences.

Stones to bread – a temptation to do it the easy way

Fear To Fame – a temptation to take a short-cut

A Crown without Thorns – a temptation to compromise

Questions:

1. It seems we are most vulnerable to temptation when we are weak/tired/hungry, etc. Share some examples from your own life when you are most vulnerable.
2. How does temptation differ from testing? How do we know the difference?
3. What does the story of Jesus's temptation teach us about fending off the devil?
4. How does knowing God's Word help us to resist temptation?
5. How does James 1:13 inform the way we pray about temptation?

Literature available in Upper Room & Foyer

- Our Daily Bread - December / January / February
- Our Daily Bread large print - January / February / March
- Unser Täglich Brot - Januar / Februar / March
- Unser Täglich Brot - Februar Großdruck
- Bridge - February
- Multiply Daily Prayer Guide - February
- ShareWord (formerly Gideons) Memorial Cards
- Evangelical Fellowship of Canada - Faith Today
- German Hymnals are available in the Upper Room (Kostenlos)

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Our church Annual General Meeting is

Saturday, February 18

- beginning with a luncheon at 11:30 am -

This is an opportunity to reflect on God's faithfulness in the past year and to renew our united commitment to serve together in another year.

Please pick up your AGM booklet as well as our Safe Place Policy, "Ensuring a Safe Place."

Financial Update

Last Sunday, February 5, 2023, our offering total was \$24,598.53. This brings our 2023 contributions to date for our budget contribution commitment to \$65,096.61. Our monthly budget contribution commitment for 2023 is approximately \$49,000 each month. Thank you for your faithful giving.

2022 Tax Receipts are available and ready to be picked up in the church foyer or the church office. For those who have bulletins delivered, the receipts will be sent out with the bulletins. You can have a friend or family member pick up the receipt for you. **Receipts not picked up by February 15 will be mailed.**

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To watch our Church Services - go to the Clearbrook MB Church Website and click on Watch Live.