

WATERLOO NORTH MENNONITE CHURCH

INFORMATION SHEET – Sunday, June 12, 2005

UPCOMING WORSHIP SERVICE

June 19 - “A Different Concept of Time” – 9:45 a.m.
WL - Natasha K
Pr - Chip B

June 26 - “Talking the Walk” – 9:45 a.m.
WL - Carol S
Pr - John P

ATTENDANCE: June 5, 2005 215

OFFERING REPORT – June 5, 2005

Operating Fund Contributions \$5,700.00
Year to Date \$193,900.00
Contribution needed per Sunday to reach budget goal \$8,500.00

CONGRATULATIONS! (With conditions) – After a slump in donations during March and April, we’re getting back on track. However, we have a ways to go to reach our budget goal by September 30th. As of May 31st, we have donated \$189,094 to the missions of WNMC. That’s 57% of what we budgeted. But keep in mind, we are 67% of the way through the year and have spent 63% of our budgeted expenses. Please continue giving throughout the summer!

SCHEDULE FOR SUNDAY, June 19th, 2005,

One Worship Service at 9:45 a.m.

Worship Leader Natasha K
Pray-er Jim R
Pianist Marie B
Song Leader Ann S

K or any
other member of the Worship committee ... Ray B,
Shirley G, Betti E, Peggy Z, John P, or Dale B-C.

THIS WEEK AT WNMC

ZEHR'S GROCERY CARDS – will be on sale today and for the next several Sundays. Proceeds will go towards Luke’s trip to Sudan to visit his mother.

2005 MEN’S SLOW-PITCH – Tues., June 14th,
9:00 p.m., Diamond A Bloomingdale, Erb Street vs.
WNMC.

CARE GROUP QUESTIONNAIRE – You will find the Care Group Questionnaire in your mail slot today. This is your opportunity to consider being part of one of our Care Groups for the coming year. If you are already in a Care Group, please wait to complete the form until your group has met to discuss their plans for next year. If you are not in a Care Group and are interested, complete the form by the end of June and put it in my mail slot. If you have any questions, please call me at or e-mail me at Thanks. Carol S, Care Group Coordinator on behalf of MT.

WORSHIP VOLUNTEERS – The Worship Committee welcomes additional persons to assist in leading worship (reading Scripture, children’s time, leading singing, playing piano, preaching, etc.). How about you? Or do you have someone to recommend? If so, be in touch with Natasha

COMING AT WNMC

WOMEN’S BREAKFAST – Saturday, June 18th, 9:00 a.m. at Café Bon Choix.

EARN SOME EXTRA \$\$ – WNMC’s custodian will be on vacation in August. If you would like to earn some extra money this summer working 8 - 12 hours per week during this holiday time, please contact the church office.

CHURCH FAMILY NEWS

VBS NEEDS YOUR RECYCLABLES – We require **magazines and catalogues** (Sears, children’s magazines, etc.), **500 ml plastic water bottles**, and **paper towel tubes** for our crafts at VBS this summer. Please collect these items for us, bring them to the church and leave them in the box marked “VBS Recyclables” in the foyer.

HELP NEEDED – Volunteers to help Sarah B move on Sat., July 2 (date negotiable) from to (a 15 minute walk apart). Vehicles for large furniture and people to handle it. Contact Sarah at

PRAYER REQUESTS

We hold in prayer:

- Lois C N, MCC Canada Program Director, who has recently been diagnosed with a brain tumour.
- Diane M who, while being grateful for the 'extra' years of life, struggles with ongoing pain.
- the family of Ben A (friend of Mary L) whose father was recently killed in an accident.
- the healing of Mary G-S's mother.
- Jamie MD's father who has cancer and has been 'given' just a few weeks to live.
- Francis P who has trouble with eye focus and accompanying headaches.
- Bonnie K, MC Canada World of Witness worker in Colombia. Pray for healing and hope for the country, and for the church as it models and teaches God's alternative way in the midst of intense violence.

We give thanks with:

- Linda and Phil R who thank WNMC for the prayers of healing for their children.
- Douglas F as he looks forward to a year of service in Seoul, South Korea., through MCC's SALT program.
- Paul F & Marnie G as they gratefully presented newborn Molly to the congregation.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

SUPPERZ-ON-US! – Youth and their pastors are all welcome to meet for supper and a talk about serving God, church leadership, call to ministry, at Conrad Grebel on **Tues., June 14th**, 5:30-7:30 pm RSVP by June 7 to Ed Janzen (885-0220, x249) or <ejjanzen@uwaterloo.ca>

CELEBRATING WORLD REFUGEE DAY 2005 – Sun. June 19th, at Victoria Park Pavilion, Kitchener 4-6 p.m. MCC is one of the sponsors of this event. For more info, call Gebre at 745-4404.

FUNDRAISING BANQUET – for the Lebold Endowment for Leadership Training, **Thurs., June 23**, 6:30 p.m. at Conrad Grebel. Tickets \$50 (\$25 receiptable) available at 885-0220, x223. See b. board.

ECUMENICAL SERVICE WITH TAIZE SONGS – Sun., June 26th, 7:30 p.m. at Unity Centre of Practical Christianity, 2631 Kingsway Dr., Kitchener.

FRASER LAKE CAMP 50th ANNIVERSARY – Special celebration on **Sunday, July 31st** at Fraser Lake Camp. Start to gather at 10 am, followed by chapel, banquet, activities and campfire. Bring lawn chair and Fraser memories. Register before July 22 with Jill at 905-471-6562 or email <fraserlake50@fraserlakecamp.com>

Mon., Aug. 15th, 1-4 p.m., 7-9 p.m. at Conrad Grebel University College, with Stuart Murray Williams, author of *Biblical Interpretation in the Anabaptist Tradition* and *Church Planting*. Stuart will also be speaking at Toronto United Mennonite Church on **Tues., Aug. 16th**, 10 am-2:30 pm on "Church & Mission in a Multi-Cultural World". See bulletin board.

ABNER MARTIN MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP – sponsored by Menno Singers will be awarded again this year to a graduate or undergraduate who: 1) will study in a recognized music program full time during 2005-06 academic year; 2) has been affiliated with an MCEC congregation for some time; 3) has contributed musically in church and community. **Deadline: Sept. 15th**. Value: \$1000. For application form, contact Lewis Brubacher (519-884-3072 or Lbrubacher@sympatico.ca)

TEN THOUSAND VILLAGES - is seeking people to join the Finance and Accounting team, 1 FT and 1 PT. Contact Lucille Toews (HR Mgr.) at 662-1879, or <lucille@villages.ca>

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Carol Shantz	886-3887
Jim Reusser (Minister Emeritus)	

CHURCH & MISSION – Seminar "Church & Mission in a Strange New World" sponsored by MCEC will be held

