

WATERLOO NORTH MENNONITE CHURCH

INFORMATION SHEET – Sunday, August 21, 2005

UPCOMING WORSHIP SERVICE

Aug. 28 - 9:45 a.m. W.L. Peter P
Pr. Renee S

Sept. 4 - 9:45 a.m. W.L. Linda R
Pr. Chip B

ATTENDANCE: August 14, 2005: 138

OFFERING REPORT – August 14, 2005

Operating Fund Contributions \$4,100.00
Year to Date \$243,700.00
Contribution needed per Sunday to reach budget goal \$14,500.00

SCHEDULE FOR SUNDAY, August 28, 2005.

One Worship Service at 9:45 a.m.

Worship Leader Peter P
Pray-er Carol S
Pianist Marie B
Song Leader Leroy S
Ushers Kathryn G, lead, Don W
Library Marg K

THIS WEEK AT WNMC

TODAY! HYMN SING AT PARKWOOD

MENNONITE HOME – led by WNMC at 3:00 p.m.
Come and join your voices for this half-hour of singing,
followed by a brief time of fellowship with the participating
residents. Please contact Chip if you are interested in being
part of a meaningful time of singing and fellowship. Meet
at Parkwood at 2:45 if you are able to assist in helping
Parkwood residents to gather for the hymn sing.

PEACH PIE & COFFEE! – Next Sunday, Aug. 28th,
after worship service, enjoy a piece of fresh home-baked
peach pie with your coffee in exchange for a donation
towards the School Kits for Sudan MCC Appeal (see
announcement under “Community Events”).

2005 MEN’S SLOW-PITCH – Tues., Aug. 23, 9:00 p.m.,
Diamond A, WNMC vs Stirling.

50 +/- GROUP – Weds., August 24th, 10-11:30 a.m.,
“Conversations”.

PLEASE NOTE! – Anyone who has graduated this year
from grade 8, high school, post-secondary, graduate,
or post-grad studies, please inform Chip so that we
can recognize your accomplishment on our transition sheet.
Send pertinent information, ie, name, old school, new
school, program of study, etc. to Chip
(chip@waterloonorthmc.org) or call him at 888-6113.

DO YOU LIKE TO WATCH THE CREDITS ROLL? –

Are you regularly one of the last 10 people to leave
church Sunday mornings? If so, we need you to help
with lock-up. Facilities Committee would like to find
additional people willing to volunteer to lock up the
church on Sundays after the service. The commitment
would be one Sunday every two months. The lock-up
procedures take 5-10 minutes and require staying at
church until the last people have left. Contact a member
of the Facilities Committee if you would like to help
(Wayne K, Neil S., Wes D, Tanya S.

COMING AT WNMC

GRADE 12 GRADS & PARENTS – meet on Tues.,
Aug. 30th, 7:00 p.m. at the L’s for a celebration and
conversation.

ATTENTION: YOUTH (Gr. 9-12) – There will be a
get-together barbecue on Thurs., Sept. 1st, at 7:00 p.m. at
Daniel and Laura’s place .Mark your calendar! More
details to follow.

GATHERING SUNDAY, SEPT. 11th – We will be
having a streamlined potluck lunch . Families from A-L
bring fruit or squares. Families from M-Z bring
sandwiches, 1 loaf per household. Fellowship Committee
will provide celery and carrots.

CHURCH FAMILY NEWS

NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS – Renee Sauder -
<renee@waterloonorthmc.org>

FOR RENT – 4-bedroom/2 bathroom apartment in
duplex in Kitchener. Available Sept. 1st. Talk to Dave K.

THE GATHERING – a new church plant in Laurentian
Hills West Neighbourhood of Kitchener will be moving
from their Sunday evening worship time to Sunday

morning in September. There is a solid core of people currently committed to serve at The Gathering in the fall. However, they are praying that God will send a few more Mennonite “missionary” families to help them for a one-year period. If you are interested in exploring this opportunity, you can check out their website at www.thegatheringsite.ca or you can call Jim Loepp Thiessen, pastor at The Gathering (589-8357).

PRAYER REQUESTS

We hold in prayer:

- Tessa D’s dad who is in the end stages of his battle with bladder cancer.

We give thanks with:

- Bryan and Monica G, Sophia & Camille, at the safe arrival of Julia Carol, born Monday, August 15th.
- Carol McF whose holidays provided her with the opportunity to take a course at Princeton and to come to Waterloo North.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

SERVICE OF REMEMBRANCE – for Brother Roger of Taize, France, on Tues., Aug. 23, 7:30 pm, at St. Anthony Daniel Catholic Church, Kitchener (corner Franklin Ave. and Ottawa St. N.). Br. Roger died on Tues., Aug. 16th. For more info, see bulletin board.

CHRISTIAN CONCERT – Thurs., Aug. 25th, 7 pm, at Guelph Youth Music Centre (75 Cardigan St., near Guelph’s downtown core), with musicians Joel Geleynse, Jacob Moon and Greg Sczebel. Tickets available at (519) 896-7927 (\$10 in advance, \$14 at the door). For more info, see bulletin board poster.

SCHOOL KITS FOR SUDAN MCC APPEAL – 13,000 school kits are required for distribution in Sudan. Kits will be provided to people returning to Southern Sudan as a result of the signing of the peace agreement, ending 20 years of civil war between the north and south. Please deliver kits and financial contributions to MCCO Kitchener warehouse **by Sept. 12, 2005**. If you choose to purchase kit contents from Grand & Toy, they are available for \$11.00 (tax included) per kit from any of their stores, or call 1-877-860-2910, x 26 and quote MCC acct. #398472)

“BUILDING COMMUNITY RETREAT” – Sept. 9-11 at Hidden Acres Camp. Enjoyable countryside weekend with individuals, family members, friends and caregivers. Theme: “Jesus and Community” with Allan Strong. (519) 748-0539, <carey@intrnear.com> (subject: retreat).

ANNUAL WANNER CORN FESTIVAL – Sat., Sept. 10th, 5:30 p.m. at Wanner Mennonite Church (corner of Beaverdale & Old Maple Grove Rd). Enjoy good food, fun activities, tour newly renovated church facility, campfire and fellowship. Rain or shine. Bring your lawn chairs. No

admission charge ... Cambridge Self-Help Food Bank will be on site to receive financial donations and non-perishable food items. Everyone welcome!

CANADIAN BIBLE SOCIETY – invites everyone to a special service on **Sun., Sept. 11th**, 7 pm, to remember those whose lives have been torn apart through acts of terror. The service to be held at The Church of St. John the Evangelist (25 Water St. N., Kitchener), will include Scripture, prayerful reflection and music. See bulletin board poster for more information.

SEPTEMBER 30 - OCT. 2 – North American-wide Young Adult Retreat at Hidden Acres Camp hosted by MCEC. Theme for the weekend is “Morality: Come to the Mountain”. See bulletin board poster for more info..

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