



# WATERLOO NORTH MENNONITE CHURCH

8:30 a.m. Matins Service      9:45 a.m. Worship Service



## INFORMATION SHEET – Sunday, November 12, 2006

### Upcoming Services:

Nov. 19 - Parent-Child Dedication (9:45 am)

Nov.26 – Communion in Matins Service (8:30 am)  
Service with Taize Song (9:45 am)

**ATTENDANCE: Sunday, November 5, 2006** – Matins Service ..... 29  
Worship Service ..... 221

### OFFERING REPORT: Sunday, November 5, 2006:

Operating Fund Contributions ..... \$ 2,800  
Year to Date ..... \$31,000

### Schedule For Sunday, November 19<sup>th</sup>, 9:45 a.m.

Worship Leader ..... Natasha K  
Preacher ..... Ardith F  
Pray-er ..... Carol S  
Pianist ..... Phyllis A  
Song Leader ..... Abner M  
Library ..... Marg K  
Ushers ..... Ingried R (Lead), Don W  
..... Mary F  
Coffee maker/servers ..... Lloyd and Delphine M  
Offering Collectors ..... Kara D, Maria S-G,  
..... Nick P. Simon F

**YOUTH RETREAT THIS WEEKEND** – WNMC youth and their sponsors, Tanya, Laura, Daniel and Chip are on a retreat at SLMC with youth from First Mennonite and Poole Mennonite.

### *THIS WEEK AT WNMC*

**COMFORTER KNOTTING** – Wed., Nov. 15<sup>th</sup>, in the Fellowship Hall from 9 am – 4:00 pm. All are welcome to come and help knot comforters. Bring your lunch.

**SEW BE IT** – Fri., Nov.17, 6:30 – 9:30 p.m

**WOMEN’S BREAKFAST** – Nov. 18, 9:00 a.m., Café Bon Choix.

### *COMING AT WNMC*

**SS CHRISTMAS PROGRAM** - Dec. 17<sup>th</sup>, if there are any children (S.K. to Jr. Youth) who are interested in playing piano, guitar, violin etc. for the Christmas Program, please talk to or email Patty K. by **November 26**.

### *CHURCH FAMILY NEWS*

**WATERLOO NORTH 50+/- GROUP** – is considering a four day/three night bus tour to Holmes County, Ohio in May 2007. We invite anyone, regardless of age, to join us. Cost would be between \$650.00 to \$750.00 per person and includes coach travel, three nights lodging, meals and a professional tour guide. If you are interested please contact Elsie Flaming or Abner M.

**Greetings WNMC** - It’s been sometime since we have worshiped with you and have begun to attend Elmira Mennonite Church. This is where we were introduced to the Mennonite faith culminating in our baptisms, before moving to Waterloo and attending WNMC. Now we are back in Elmira and for us at this point in our lives, returning to EMC feels right to us. We have appreciated and valued our time with you and wish all of you God’s blessings in the future. -Jan and Gary C

**GATHER ROUND** – This week, as a family, read or recall children’s stories about good and not-so-good relationships at home. Read – Genesis 37:3

**YOUTH MENTOR BREAKFAST HAS BEEN RESCHEDULED-** The Youth Mentor Breakfast will not take place on Nov. 26th. It will be rescheduled in the New Year. Stay tuned for more information!

**THANK YOU!** – To Boyd S, Stuart M, Tony B, Rolf T, Christian T, Fredrick Z and to Ardith F. who supplied us with tea and coffee on such a cold, rainy day as we did our landscaping project. –Helga T.

**FOUND!** – A library book from the St. Jacobs Public School was found in the Sanctuary. It can be claimed at the church office.

### *PRAYER ITEMS*



*We hold in prayer...*

- Nazifa, the fiancée of Ateeq W, who has been attending our church services with him this fall. Nazifa is earnestly considering what it means to become a Christian. Ateeq requests that we pray that the Holy Spirit may work in her heart, leading her to commit her life to Jesus Christ.
- the youth and their sponsors, Tanya, Laura, Daniel and Chip who are at SLMC this weekend for their fall retreat.
- Junior Youth participating in MCEC’s Junior Youth Breakaway at Rockway today.
- Jennie, Colin, Naomi, and Joshua W as they prepare to move from Pelee Island back to this area.

## COMMUNITY EVENTS

**CROKINOLE THEN AND NOW** - Fall meeting of Mennonite Historical Society of Ontario, includes showing of film, "Crokinole: The Movie" and Susan Burke, curator of Joseph Schneider Haus, on the history of crokinole. Saturday, **Nov. 18**, 2006, 2:00 p.m., Great Hall at Conrad Grebel University College, Waterloo. Free admission. For more info, call 885-0220 x24257

**A CHRISTMAS CAROL** – The Musical by Kitchener Waterloo Musical Productions. **Nov.16-18** at 7 pm, at Centre In The Square. WNM Cer's in the cast are Dale & Kiah Brubacher-Cressman and Kiersten Bast. Tickets avail. Centre Box office or contact Dale at [dalebc@rogers.com](mailto:dalebc@rogers.com) or 519-662-6653.

**WATERLOO CHAMBER PLAYERS CONCERT** – Sunday, **Nov. 19**, 2:30 pm. here at WNM.

**MENNOHOMES ANNUAL MEETING**  
5th Annual Meeting of MennoHomes Inc to be held at the Rockway Mennonite Church, 32 Weber W., Kitchener. Parking in Zion United Church parking lot. Wed., Nov. 22., 5:30 p.m. with light supper.

**GREENING SACRED SPACES**, Environmental Facilitators Program – Learn how to help your faith community create an environmentally-friendly place of worship. Training session: Wed., **Nov. 22**, 7-9 p.m. Application deadline: November 13. For more information, 519-747-5139 [waterloo@faith-commongood.net](mailto:waterloo@faith-commongood.net).

**BEREAVED FAMILIES OF ONTARIO** – "Tree of Bright Stars – A holiday Service of Remembrance" where you may dedicate a star in memory of your loved one – Fri., **Nov. 24**, 6:30 pm, Forest Hill United Church, Kitchener. Also "Anything but Merry..": An evening offering practical strategies for coping with the holidays, Dec. 4, Ratz-Bechtel Family Centre. For more info. call (519)745-7280 or visit website [www.bfomidwest.org](http://www.bfomidwest.org)

**FUNDRAISER CONCERT FOR BENIN** – Sat. **Nov.25** at 7:30 pm. In support of La Casa Grande, a Christian orphanage in Benin, West Africa. The concert has been organized by local young adults who have travelled to La Casa Grande as volunteers. Please come and support La Casa Grande! For more information, e-mail: [projectbenin@gmail.com](mailto:projectbenin@gmail.com) or call St. Jacobs Mennonite Church: 519-664-2268.

**CHRISTMAS TEA/BAZAAR** –Parkwood Mennonite Home. Sat., **Nov. 25<sup>th</sup>**, 9 am – 1 pm

**MCC ONTARIO** - Peace & Poverty Learning Tour to Colombia. Last chance to apply. Learn about economic systems permitting a few people to be wealthy while many live in poverty, causing much armed conflict. Explore how Colombian churches seek alternative models that allow all to live with dignity and peace. March 2-13, 2007. All welcome! More info: [www.mcc.org/ontario/](http://www.mcc.org/ontario/), Anne B: [anneb@mennonitecc.on.ca](mailto:anneb@mennonitecc.on.ca) or 800-313-6226

**OUT OF THE COLD PROGRAM** -Beginning the middle of Nov. and continuing through Good Friday. Volunteers are needed for night shifts. Half night shifts can be arranged. If you are interested, please contact Margaret Tannasee 519-578-7369.

**ACCOMMODATION** -Married Mennonite couple, returning from overseas schooling, looking to house-sit for the month of January and possibly 2 weeks in February. Would like to be in the Guelph/Waterloo area. Please contact Maida Tiessen at: [maidatiessen@hotmail.com](mailto:maidatiessen@hotmail.com) (519-733-6130)

**ROCKWAY MENNONITE COLLEGIATE** - is seeking to fill part-time, Semester 2 teaching positions in Religion (either grade 10 Church History or grade 11 World Religions) and Computer (grade 9 and 10). Starting date is February 1, 2007. Interested applicants should forward resumes c/o [principal@rockway.on.ca](mailto:principal@rockway.on.ca); FAX 743-5935; phone 743-5209; 110 Doon Road, Kitchener, N2G 3C8 by November 27, 2006.

**MENNONITE PUBLISHING NETWORK** has set the dates for its annual warehouse sale. Come join us at 490 Dutton Dr. Unit C8 in Waterloo, Friday, **Dec.1<sup>st</sup>** 1:00 – 7:00 PM & Saturday, **Dec. 2<sup>nd</sup>** 9:00 AM–12:00 PM. Five new titles will be discounted 25% as well as deep discounts offered on damaged and soon to be out-of-print books. See poster for details.

**TEN THOUSAND VILLAGES** in New Hamburg is looking for people willing to volunteer a day or two a week in the Distribution Centre between now and Christmas. Duties include repackaging and returning the products back onto shelves. For more information, please contact Lucille (519-662-1879 ext. 425) or Sue (519-662-1879 ext. 439).



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<b>MINISTRY TEAM</b> Ardith Frey (Lead Minister) Chip Bender (Assoc. Minister) Peter Paetkau Carol Shantz Jim Reusser (Minister Emeritus)	519-745-7798 519-569-8274 519-746-3712 519-886-3887
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