



WATERLOO NORTH MENNONITE CHURCH

9:30 a.m. Worship Service

INFORMATION SHEET – Sunday, July 29, 2007



Upcoming Services

August 5 9:30 a.m. Matins Worship Service
August 13-17 VBS at Waterloo North

August 12 Regular Worship Service
August 19 Regular Worship Service

ATTENDANCE: Sunday, July 22, 2007 Worship Service 120
 Operating Fund Contributions for July 22: \$5,100
 Total Contributions to date: \$259,000
 Contribution Target to September 30th (100% of total budget) \$336,000
 Designated – The Gathering \$120

Schedule For Sunday, Aug. 5, 9:30 a.m.

Worship Leader John P
Homilist Ardith F
Library Elsie F

THIS WEEK AT WNMC

Sharon B is away on vacation this week. Julie S-P will be in the office Tues.- Thur., 9:30am–3:00 pm. and Fri.9:30 am–12:00 pm.

MEN'S SLO PITCH - Bloomingdale – Tues., July 31, 7:00 pm Diamond 'B' WN vs. Elmira.

COMING AT WNMC

MEN'S BREAKFAST – Sat. **Aug. 11**, 9 am at Dearborn Restaurant.

WOMEN'S BREAKFAST – Sat., Aug. 18, 9 am at Cafe Bon Choix.

CHURCH FAMILY NEWS

VBS REGISTRATION FORMS – Children of VBS age (SK to Grade 8 as of September 2007) have received an application form for VBS in their mail slots. Please submit your applications early in the VBS Registration Mailslot! Extra copies are available in the foyer or on the church website.

CONGREGATIONAL CARE TEAM (CCT)

CCT plays a significant role in our ministry to care for each other. Henry and Elsie F's roles on CCT in meal coordination and logistical care support finish in September, and we are inviting suggestions of two people to fill these roles. This is a two year appointment whose mandate is to enhance and extend the work of Ministry Team in responding to pastoral care needs, under the coordination of the lead minister. Members are chosen for gifts in listening, caring and organizing support. Please pass on your suggestions for these positions to Fred Mor Ardith F.

CARING ADULTS AND YOUTH NEEDED - from **August 13-17** in the mornings to nurture the faith of children and junior youth at VBS as centre leaders, group leaders, SK leaders, child care providers, drama members, musicians, or kitchen assistants. Please sign-up under the area in which you would like to participate or speak with a member of the VBS planning committee: Shirley G, Heather H, Linda R, or Chip B.

INTERCULTURAL PICNIC:

Please see the sheet in your mail slot for information on the Intercultural Picnic, to be held in Victoria Park on Saturday, August 11 from 1:00 to 4:00. *Your help to support this important initiative is essential.* For any questions, or to sign up to volunteer or contribute, please contact Ginny.



THE CONGO FOCUS GROUP -is starting to plan for the coming of 2 women from ATMCO (Congolese Women Theologians) Oct 17 - Nov 5. We need 4-6 hosts for them while they are in KW. Please connect with Kathryn G. if you would like to be a host for one week. We will not hold a lottery for this privileged opportunity, but will be strongly biased to selecting those hosts who have no Africa experience.



PRAYER ITEMS

We hold in prayer....

- Ray and Margie B and Karen M S who are traveling to Paraguay for the meeting of the Mennonite World Conference Executive Committee August 1-7.
- Ron & Gudrun M and their good friends Ron & Dianne T who's son Nathan was killed in the truck/auto accident in Abbotsford B.C .
- Albert and Melinda H-E as they go through the adoption process and await a child from Zambia.
- Will W's acquaintance on death row in Georgia.
- Barbara C's friend Pat who died last week from ovarian cancer.
- The Korean missionaries who have been kidnapped in Afghanistan.
- Ginny F-M and her husband Brian as they await test results done for his brain injury.
- The intercultural picnic in the park on Aug.11th.

We give thanks with...

- Dave K and Tim S for their trip to Uganda.
- Dale, Cheryl, Kiah, and Letitia B-C for the purchase of a new home.
- Stefanie U for her engagement to Jeff S. She plans to move out to Nanaimo B.C. in early December in preparation of their December 15th wedding.
- Stephanie and Ben J who welcomed Micah Peter into their family on July 23rd.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

The 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 fulltime during the 2007-2008 academic year; 2) has been affiliated with an MCEC congregation for some time; and 3) has contributed musically in church and community.

Deadline: September 15. Value: \$1,000. For an application form or more information contact Lewis Brubacher. Tel: 519-884-3072. E-mail: Lbrubacher@sympatico.ca. Website is http://www.mennofoundation.ca/mfc4_2.html.

HIDDEN ACRES - Annual "Building Community Retreat" for people with disabilities and others. **Sept. 7-9th** Theme: "All God's Children: The Global Community" with Esther Kern. Contact John: 519-569-8723 or e-mail: professor_flatbread@yahoo.ca

WEBER STREET IMPROVEMENTS – Please note that there will be construction on Weber St. to Benjamin Rd. beginning July 10. One lane of traffic (in each direction) will be maintained at all times.



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