

Holyrood Mennonite Church

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Galatians 5:22-23

Speaker:	Emmanuel Snogba
Worship Leader:	Tarnisha
Children's Program:	Helena and Joyce
Music:	Holyrood Intercultural Team – Amie, Deborah, Esther, Gizzie, Grace, Josh, Lisa, Shim

Our Vision:

Training Apprentices of Jesus to share God's abundant hospitality with people of all ages and cultures through the power of the spirit.

**Welcome to Worship Service at 10:30 am
May 21, 2023**

GATHERING

Prelude
Welcome
Opening song: Holy Holy Holy #15 STJ
Call to Worship
Opening Prayer

PRAISING GOD

- Praising the Lord Always
- Receive my Praise O Lord
- Come Let us All Unite to Sing #12 HWB

Offering: Can be made by e-transfer to holyroodmchurch@gmail.com
Offertory song: Organ instrumental by Eun Jin

HEARING GOD'S WORD

Children's Feature: Joyce, followed by Children's Church
Scripture: Galatians 5:22-23; Matthew 12:33 read by Edward

Meditation: *The Fruits of the Spirit*

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

Hymn of Response: Heart with Loving Heart United #420 HWB

Sharing and Praying

Benediction

Sending Song: I Will Bless the Lord at All Times

Passing the Peace: Children's Sharing

Announcements

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From Holyrood

- Worship leaders for next week please meet after service: Patrick, Lisa, Amie.
- May 28 - Pentecost Sunday, Potluck after worship.
- May 28 - Taize worship on Pentecost Sunday at 7:00 PM. Come together to sing all those wonderful Holy Spirit chants. As a special bonus that evening, we will be singing (and you can learn) Ubi Caritas in Cree. Held at St. Thomas D'Aquin Church on 8410 89 Street. Hope to see many of you then!
- May 30 - Elder's Board, Tuesday at 7 pm
- June 18 - Father's Day BBQ after worship. Men's Music Team practice time for all singers, drummers, keyboard and guitar players, TBA.

Our Community Prayer this Week

- Open our minds, Oh God, to understand your word. Overwhelm us with the joy of your love.

For Our Prayers

- Our congregation's and extended family's concerns on the Holyrood website. Please set your password: <https://www.holyroodmennonitechurch.ca/prayer-requests/>
- Joanne and Werner De Jong, MC Canada Witness workers in Ethiopia remind us that the students Werner teaches come to Meserete Kristos Seminary from difficult circumstances. Prayers for both the De Jong's and their Wollega students are always appreciated!
- Pray for peace in Sudan, and for our Sudanese brothers and sisters both in Edmonton South Sudanese Mennonite Church and those attending Foothills.
- Pray for peace in Colombia as reconciliation and peace talks continue. <https://mwc-cmm.org/en/stories/mennonites-advocate-total-peace-colombia>

Open a window into your MCA family – May 5, 2023

- Calgary Chin Christian Church invites us to pray for them:

Spiritual growth: Pray for the church member can grow in their spiritual life and always put God as their priority in life.

Youth ministry & revival: Our youth is our strength. Pray for all our youth are love being in a church and enjoy worshipping. Pray for the wisdom of our youth and you'll become a true worshiper and they can lead us.

Unity and companionship: Pray for all church members that have unity in Christ as one body and more develop in love, understanding and develop forgiveness for each other.

- June 8-10: MCA's Bridge Building team of Suzanne Gross and Jake Froese have been invited to join the 8th Canadian Council of Churches gathering in Edmonton: ᖃᓄᓐᓂᓐ / Pêhonân – A Gathering-Waiting Place: Voices of Indigenous Followers of Jesus in the Ecumenical Movement.
- Sunday, July 16, 2023: Inter-Mennonite worship Service. MCC Area Directors for Southern, Central Africa, and Nigeria will be in Edmonton. Speakers: Vurayayi Pugini and Thelma Sadzamari.
- Support for the MCC Alberta Relief Tour by donating a hand-crafted item to the online auction: mcccanada.ca/get-involved/events/mcc-alberta-online-relief-auction
- Mennonite Disaster Service in Cape Breton needs more volunteers for the weeks of May 28-June 3; June 11-17; June 18-24; June 25-July 1; July 16-22; July 30-August 5; August 27-Sept. 2; and Sept. 3-9. Contact Clara Flores at cflores@mds.org if you want to sign up. Since March, 85 volunteers have completed 11 of 39 home repairs, mostly involving insulation and drywall work.
- Open a window into your MCA family – Holyrood. Congregation, please compile your photos and videos of our church services and events so that we can share our joys and concerns with MCA later this year.