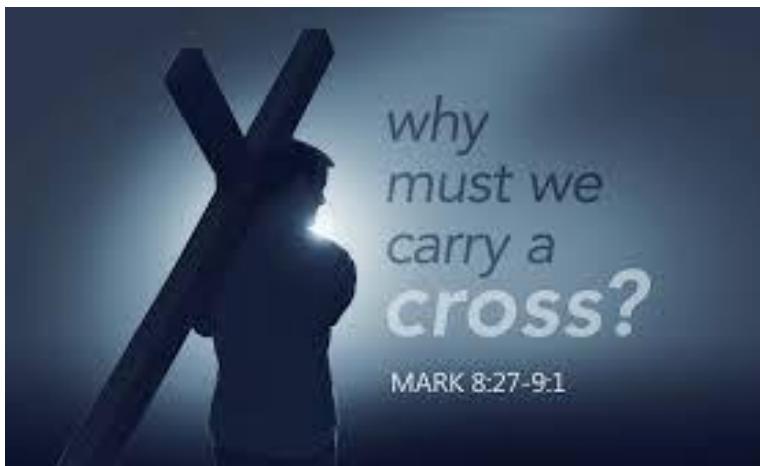


# Holyrood Mennonite Church

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**Speaker:** Pastor Suzanne Gross

**Worship Leader:** Thomas Bumbeh

**Children's Church:** Tarnisha

**Music Group:** Amie, Esther, Cynthia, Thomas, Gizzie  
Grace, Josh, Evanna, Danielle

**Tech Support:** Arthur Elliott, Edward, Dixon, Emmanuel

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  
Sunday, February 1, 2026

## GATHERING

Welcome

Gathering Song: Come, Let Us All Unite to Sing #12 HWB

Call to Worship

Opening Prayer

## PRAISING GOD

- Open My Eyes Lord
- Great Are You Lord
- I'll Praise in the Valley

Offering:

Can be made by e-transfer to [holyroodmchurch@gmail.com](mailto:holyroodmchurch@gmail.com)

Offertory: My Lifetime

## HEARING GOD'S WORD

Children's Feature: Venissa and Helena

Scripture: Mark 8:27-9:1, read by Venissa

**Reflection:**

***What Does it Mean For Us to Follow the Way of the Cross?***

Transition Hymn: We Shall Walk Through the Valley #412 HWB

## SHARE AND PRAYER

Announcements

Benediction

Sending Song: As You Go Out From Here

## From Holyrood

### Announcements

- **Wednesday, February 4:** Bible Study at 7 p.m. at church and on Zoom.
- **Thursday, February 5:** Music lessons at 2:30 p.m. Music practice at 5:00 p.m.

### Next Sunday Worship, February 8, at 10:30 a.m.

Speaker: Samuel Gibson

Worship Leader: Mary Bundor

Scripture: Philippians 2:1-11, read by Eli

Children's Church: Ronky

Children's Feature: Nathan and Edward

### Our Shared Bible Study

- Can't make it to our Bible Study on Wednesday evenings? A Scripture study of Isiah 8:1-9 was led by Thomas, on FAITH.

*Think about Faith. What association is the most important for you?*

FAITH & Reward

FAITH & Giving

FAITH & Hope

FAITH & Trust

FAITH & Imagination

FAITH & Obedience

### Mennonite Church Alberta 2026 Prayer Requests for February *Please pray for churches across the province and the world*

- Mennonite Church Alberta has 3 churches pondering next steps for staffing and leadership. As well, Foothills received Aiden Scherzinger's resignation to pursue further education and will be searching for an Associate Pastor this summer. Please keep Berghal, Calgary First Mennonite, Trinity, and Foothills in your prayers as they envision what's to come, and for potential candidates as they seek God's will in their search for a new congregation. Also, please pray for MCA and MC Canada leadership as they support the discernment process.

### Mennonite Life and Church Activities

- MCC Moment: Migration and Resettlement. Watch video on <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kuvj1LIEABk>
- Don't miss MCC Alberta's biggest event for food, fellowship and fundraising! It's the **Annual Relief Sale in Didsbury**. Meet friends, eat traditional foods like vereniki, sausage, rollkuchen, pie and more! The auction and a Thrift pop-up shop for kids raise money for MCC's work of relief, development and peace in the name of Christ. Save the date: Saturday, May 30 from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. at Berghal Event Centre.
- **Annual Report of the Mennonite Disaster Service:** The MDS assisted with 8 projects in Canada in 2025. A total of 1,072 volunteers served in B.C., Alberta, Manitoba, Ontario, and Nova Scotia. As well as serving in Canada, 316 Canadians served with MDS in the U.S. between November 2024 and October 2025. 2025 saw the appointment of Reynold Friesen as the new Executive Director of MDS Canada. He will replace Ross Penner, who has been serving in that role since 2015. Donations continued to be strong in 2025, with a total of \$1,282,000 donated in the 2024-25 fiscal year. Thank you for your ongoing support of MDS as we seek to be the hands and feet of Jesus to disaster survivors.