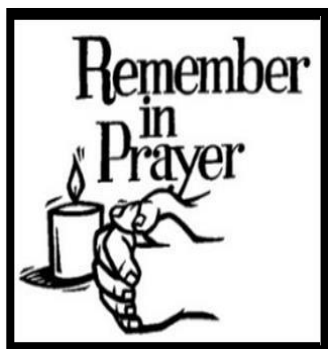


MYF News

- May 9 – 6pm, at church – just the Girls & Moms to watch Sadie Robinson (Mother's Day).
- May 9 – 6pm, Guys & Dads (if they want) out at Oswald's.



This week please remember the following people in prayer: Troy, Cassie, Elyssa, Deedra, Jacob & Jenna Graber.

Pray for those dealing with medical issues: Thomas Bennett, Tim Detweiler, Noah Hawkins, Ben Johnston, Martha Marsh, Jim Miller, Sheldon Miller, Chad McMullin, Lynnix McMullin (daughter of Jessie & Katie), Lydia Rotzinger, Bob Speak and Patsy Trussell.

In order to better provide care for those in the hospital, please contact the pastor or an elder if you or a family member are (or will be) hospitalized.

The oil lamp, is lit every service as a reminder to pray for peace and for the people of our world who are caught in war and violence.



LAST SUNDAY

Offering: Home Missions: \$6,405.



May 9, 2021

"Old friends"

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May 9, 2021

We welcome all to this place
for worship of God and for Christian fellowship.

Let us worship God in spirit and truth,
reaching out to one another in Christ's love.

9:30am: Sunday School

10:30am: Worship live via Zoom:

<https://tinyurl.com/SCMLiveStream>

facebook.com/sugarcreekmennonitechurch

Worship Leader: Olivia Leichty & Ellie Miles

Song Leader: Anita Swartzendruber

Piano/Organ: Tristan Luitjens

Gathering

Welcome

Call to Worship

Opening Prayer

Praising

MH 574, *Be Not Dismayed Whate'er Betide*

MH 236, *Jesus, Lover Of My Soul*

MH 461, *Happy The Home Home When God*

Hearing the Word

Scripture: John 15:12-17 (p. 84 in the NT)

Message: Roger Farmer, "Old friends"

Responding

MH 337, *What A Friend We Have In Jesus*

Offering: Home Missions (5/16 – Missions)

Announcements, Sharing & Prayers

Cole Shelman baby dedication

Special Music: Morgan Meyer

Mission Moment: My Coins Count – MCC Relief Sale

Sending

Benediction

STJ 105, *Don't be afraid*

We want to welcome and thank Roger Farmer for bringing the message today.

TODAY

- Happy Mother's Day!

NEXT SUNDAY

- Rachele Luitjens, Galatians 1:13-17; 2:11-21

SUGAR CREEK NEWS AND UPCOMING EVENTS

Adult Sunday School: This week's lesson is "Holding Each Other in Love" and studies Ephesians 4:1-3. The spring lessons are available to pick up in the Fellowship Hall.

6th graders: It's time to choose your advocate! The advocate forms are in your mailbox now, please return them by May 16th.

Hymnal Discussion: we will meet in the Fellowship Hall on May 12th at 7pm to have a conversation about the Voices Together hymnal. Please come ready to share your opinion and to hear from others.

Thank You! Kevan and Tamara Zechin are extremely grateful for all of the support our church family has given us as we remembered and celebrated the life of Toban Josiah. We are very blessed to have so many thoughtful and meaningful acts of kindness from our friends at Sugar Creek.

Extension Committee: invites you to submit photos to tamarajg@gmail.com for another video of ways that members at Sugar Creek are reaching out to others. Please send Tamara your photos by June 6 so that we can have a video in June. We always enjoy seeing how God is using you to touch lives.

Sunday school material survey - It's almost time to order Sunday school material for the fall! Please fill out the survey either through this link (<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/KWNGQHT>) or on the paper in your mailbox by May 16th. Paper copies can be returned to the church office. Thank you!

VBS: Registration is now open! To register online, access the link via Sugar Creeks website or our Facebook page.

The nursery is available for those 2 years old and younger who need it, but it will not be staffed with volunteers at this time.

