

# WELLESLEY MENNONITE CHURCH

## INFORMATION SHEET - June 21, 2026

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For those who are unable to attend in-person worship, you are welcome to join the live service through Zoom.  
Join Zoom Meeting <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/85140408023>

***On Fathers' Day, Sunday, June 21, you are invited to bring an object in remembrance/honour of your dad to display on the front table.***

### Order Of Worship - Father's Day

Welcome and announcements  
Land acknowledgement  
Musical interlude  
Call to worship  
Opening prayer  
Song – VT#34 “We praise you, O God, our Redeemer”  
Scripture reading: excerpts from Psalm 139  
Poem: “At the threshold of manhood”  
Song – VT#697 “Loving Spirit”  
Reflections about fatherhood  
Song – VT#738 “Open my eyes that I may see”  
Sharing our offerings  
Stones of lament  
Congregational prayer  
Song – VT#829 “Go now in peace, worship continues”  
Benediction

**Please consider taking a turn making coffee and/or snack for Coffee Time after the service.** Sign up sheet is on the bulletin board.

**Learning Event 10:45-1130 a.m.:** *Medical assistance in dying (MAID) - part 2*

**THIS WEEK** See WMC calendar go to: <http://www.wellesleymennonite.ca/calendar/>

**Monday 7:00 p.m.–** Prayer Group meets in boardroom. We are focusing on *Stories of People that pray in the Bible*. All are welcome!

**Tuesday, 7:00 p.m.–** Church Council meets

**Birthday Celebrations:**

**Households of Faith**

### CHURCH FAMILY NEWS AND EVENTS:

**For Vacation Bible School we are collecting supplies that are needed for crafts.** We are collecting empty paper towel rolls, or even better would be Saran Wrap or Tinfoil rolls as they are sturdier. We are also collecting picture frames that would hold a 4x6 photo. If you have any of these items please place them in the box in the foyer. We are also looking for artificial green plants that could be borrowed to decorate to look like a rainforest. If you have any that you are willing to loan us please let Karen Gerber or Jessica Pavilionis know. Thankyou.



**Summer Long Weekend Worship:** This summer WMC is worshipping with Poole Mennonite Church and Crosshill Mennonite Church on long weekends:

**June 28th**, 10:00 a.m. - Poole Mennonite Church

**August 2nd**, 9:30 a.m. - Wellesley Mennonite Church

**September 6th**, 9:45 a.m. - Crosshill Mennonite Church

**Vacation Bible School** - Join us for an exciting week of faith and fun at Crosshill Mennonite Church from June 29 to July 3, in partnership with Wellesley Mennonite Church. Register online at: <https://www.crosshillmennonitechurch.ca/vbs2025>

**We need volunteers!** Anyone interested in volunteering at VBS this year is requested to fill out this online form showing their areas of interest: <https://forms.gle/1Ez59tXFbPd3YFq78>

On June 16th, a group from our church family had a great day at **The Cannery**. This was thanks to your generous donations to the Missions Easter Giving Project. We completed 530 total cans which is equal to approximately 795 pounds of chicken. The plan is to send the cans to a school in Chad (Central Africa) that works with MCC. If you are curious about the work that was done or just want to say thanks, please talk to one of our volunteers: Lila and Mike Tusch; Luke and Delores Schwartzenruber; Grace Neeb; Eunice and Earl Gerber; Herb and Lyn Barnaby

## **BROADER AREA NEWS AND EVENTS**

**Wellesley Township Heritage and Historical Society** Historical Room was opened in 1979 in the old school in Wellesley - 1137 Henry St. Visitors are welcome from 10 am to 2 pm on the last Saturday of every month except December, or by appointment, to view a collection of artifacts, documents, photographs and books. Please come and join us!

**MDS Update:** Denare Beach Project on Schedule! Seven weeks of incredible weekly and leadership volunteers have been moving the project along well. If you wish to read weekly updates with photos, visit <https://mds.org/weekly-reports/?rsp=denare-beach-sk>.

**MDS' June edition of *On the Level* is now available.** In this edition, you'll read stories about homeowners, volunteers, and community members of Denare Beach, Saskatchewan. One homeowner and local firefighter, Steven, reflected on the volunteers who came to help. "I stayed because it was my job," he said. "But the volunteers are freely giving their time to come and help people they don't even know. They are true heroes to me." Read *On the Level*: <https://conta.cc/4eseKmp>

**Interested in exploring vocations of ministry and service**, deepening your understanding of Christianity and the church, or seeking personal enrichment? The Master of Theological Studies program at Conrad Grebel University College in Waterloo could be a great fit for you. Apply to start this fall. Full tuition scholarships available for full-time Canadian students. [uwaterloo.ca/theological-studies](http://uwaterloo.ca/theological-studies)

**Transformed Inspired Called: An MCEC Weekly Devotional.** *Summer is coming!* By Jane Kuepfer <https://mcec.ca/blog/26028-summer-is-coming>

## **MCEC IN PRAYER**

Please pray for the MCEC community of congregations. This week we hold **First Mennonite Church** in prayer. Rene Baergen, Sandra Baez and Liz Weber provide pastoral care to this community in Kitchener, Ontario. Bless First Mennonite Church as they nurture an intercultural community rooted in Christ, fostering deep encounters with God and faithfully embodying divine love across every boundary.

God, we pray for a lasting ceasefire in Iran, that violence may end and peace take root in every community. Protect all who are vulnerable and guide leaders toward wisdom, justice and reconciliation. Amen.

## **OFFERING REPORT - June 14, 2026**

**Total Offering (budget):** \$1464.00

**Sunday Offering:** \$5.00

**E Transfers:** \$250.00

**PAO Offering:** \$1209.00

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