



## **Wanner Mennonite Church**

**Sunday September 19 at 11 am**

**Speaker: KyongJung Kim**

**Hebrews 9:11-22**

**We invite you to the last summer Worship Service, Sept. 19 at 11 am. in the Picnic Shelter. Tim, John and Anne will lead us, KyongJung will bring the message and Laverne will give AV support. This Sunday, we begin a four-part series on Worship & Covenant. We hope to see you there.**

### **FAITH FORMATION may need a face-lift at Wanner Mennonite:**

The current format for Faith Formation (a.k.a. Adult Sunday School) will be discontinued.

The traditional format for discussing topics relevant to our life as Jesus-followers is not meeting the needs of our congregation. The change in our overall Sunday morning schedule may be a contributing factor.

Kindly suggest what format you think would be more helpful for our church.

Please speak to our pastors, or our Spiritual Care Ministry members (Dennis Flaming, Marg Strom), or to Justin and Ivan.

## **NEW ANNOUNCEMENTS THIS WEEK:**



**Calling all bakers!** We are looking for people to bake some cookies for our Fall Reunion event on September 24. Please let Danielle know if you are willing to bake 1-2 dozen cookies.

We are looking for people to **help organize the food** for September 24's Fall Reunion Event. If you are willing to come at 4pm, make coffee and tea, and help bring some food out for the event, please let Danielle or KyongJung know.

**Communion Notice:** Our worship focus on September 26 will be "Enacting and Expressing our Covenantal Relationship and we would like to do this by celebrating communion together during our worship service. As before, please bring your own cup for the juice.

**An update of the Wanner Wood:** We transplanted at least 40 trees. Two will probably not make it through the winter (5% loss), one oak and one maple. For spring 2022, Richard is planning to transplant about 20 from the nursery, and about 30 volunteer elm and ash. They are probably seeded from healthy mature trees along the creek. There will be 15 baby oak ready to transplant in 2023! Thank you for all who helped plant trees this year.

### **CONGREGATIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS, MEETINGS & EVENTS**

**Fall Reunion on Friday, September 24, 5-9pm:** We've been apart for a long time, come for an evening of food, fun, lawn games, campfire, s'mores and beach volleyball. Join in the activities or sit and visit around one of the picnic tables. Bring a lawn chair to sit by the fire or take a walk on the trail with a friend. Come and enjoy a time of fellowship together anytime between 5-9pm. Bring a friend. COVID regulations will be in place. Please register by September 20 by calling the church or filling out the following form: <https://forms.gle/MbYYcrZbDZ7fmz338>

The men living in the "**Wanner Guest House - A Recovery Home for Men**" are nicely getting settled into their new home and are enjoying the rural surroundings. Thanks again to everyone who helped get the house ready and support the move. A friendly reminder for us all — the house is their new home and we need to be mindful to respect the privacy of the residents and to not enter the house unannounced.

**"This is My Story"** on Sunday Sept 19 at 7pm with Laverne Martin from Preston as the speaker. Next month on Oct 17, the speaker will be George Satory. The Zoom link is [here](#). Meeting ID:823 7459 8056 Passcode:086282

**Hold the Date - Three Sisters Progressive Supper – October 3<sup>rd</sup>** - Wanner Doors and Preston Connections Groups are planning a fundraiser progressive supper for Crow Shield Lodge ([www.crowshieldlodge.com](http://www.crowshieldlodge.com)). We heard about Crow Shield Lodge from Clarence Cachagee at our joint National Indigenous Peoples Day service in June. As September 30<sup>th</sup> is now a National Day for Truth and Reconciliation in Canada, this will be an opportunity to support a local healing project. The link to more information is [here](#).

**A new directory** is in the process of being made. If you have any recent changes in your information, please forward it to the office. Also, we are adding pictures this time so a recent picture of your family is needed. If you have one available, please send these to the office email.

**Book Study Sign-up:** Join a Zoom book study beginning the fourth week in September on *The Sin of Certainty* by Peter Enns. If you would like to participate in the book study, please let Danielle (danielle.pwchurches@gmail.com) know by September 12. The time of the book study will be determined by which time works for all participants. Books are around \$20.

**Lectio Divina Prayer meeting** will take place in hybrid mode. If you prefer an in-person gathering, please join us at Wanner Sanctuary from 12:30 PM-1:30 PM on Thursdays. If you prefer to connect from home, you are welcome to join us at the same time on Zoom.

The Zoom link to join the meeting is [here](#). Meeting ID: 875 3755 0024 Passcode: 931300

### **BROADER CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS, MEETINGS & EVENTS**

**Mennohomes** invites you to join us for our "Virtual" Grand Opening Celebration September 23rd, 2021 at 4:00pm. Bridgeport at Lancaster is so much more than just a building. **RSVP** online at [mennohomes.com](http://mennohomes.com) or call 519 742-5849 x100

### **OFFERING**

INTERAC e-Transfers allow you to make donations to Wanner Mennonite Church. It can be used for donations to budget related or special funds. It is important to separately notify the treasurer about your e-transfer, especially if it is for one of our special funds. Send the e-transfer to [treasurer.wanner@gmail.com](mailto:treasurer.wanner@gmail.com) Your e-transfer donation will be deposited directly into the church's account at Kindred Credit Union. Cheques for Wanner Mennonite Church, with appropriate designations, also may be sent to: Treasurer, Wanner Mennonite Church, 1725 Beaverdale Road, Cambridge ON N3C 2V3

**Donations received on Sunday Sept 5 from the Cluster churches to support the recovery program of FCCND is \$822.25**