

WILMOT MENNONITE CHURCH

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June 26, 2022

Prelude Sylvia Gallian
Welcome & Call to Worship Susan Allison-Jones

Prayer

Song VT 22 What is This Place

Psalm

Song VT 397 The Church's One Foundation

Scripture James 1: 1-8.

Song VT 392 The Church of Christ Cannot Be Bound

Sermon Alicia Batton

Song of Response 797 We Are People of God's Peace

Sharing and Congregational Prayer

Song

Announcements

Sending Song VT 844 May the Face of God Shine on You

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1zmthrVWFcuaUPBULCrQ55rLnhRL8EaAV/view>

Postlude

We welcome Alicia Batton to our worship service this morning. Alicia is a Professor of Religious and Theological Studies at Conrad Grebel College University. Her research focuses upon the origins and development of early Christianity, with particular emphasis upon the ancient Mediterranean cultural context (s), including material culture. She also thinks it important to study the shifting manner in which biblical texts are interpreted over the centuries, and is currently writing a commentary examining the text reception and impact of the Letter of James. Beyond her academic interests, Alicia enjoys gardening, hiking, art, and reading works of fiction and poetry.

Protocol Reminders

We wish to create a safe environment for people to gather together in our building. We invite all to enter into this new way of being community together with gratitude to our God that we can adapt to new ways of being a faithful community. We ask that you are mindful of these protocols.

- Maintain a respectful distance between you and others when possible in all areas of the building. Please be mindful of this at the end of the service when exiting our worship space and avoid congestion in the foyer.
- The wearing of masks is encouraged acknowledging that for some the wearing of masks presents challenges. On Sunday morning masks are encouraged when entering, exiting and when visiting with each other.
- Quietly sing for hymns.
- Use the hand sanitizer as needed.
- Washrooms (upstairs and downstairs) are available for your use. If possible, limit to one person at a time.
- Be aware of the number of people in the foyer at one time. Please visit at respectful distances in the sanctuary.

Ministry Team Leaders:

Ministry Coordinator & Facilities – John Good
Worship and Formation – Lil Quanz
Fellowship – Fern Good, Marcia Kastner, Susan Wagler
Pastoral Care, Missions and Service - All members
Member at Large (Ministry Team) - Ross Shantz

Pastor: Susan Allison-Jones; wilmotpastor@gmail.com 226-808-4353
Administrative Assistant: WilmotMennoniteChurch@gmail.com

To Book the Church call the Church Office @ 519-634-5030.
Church Office Hours: There will not be official office hours for the summer. Leave a message at 519-634-5030 or put it in the administrative assistant's box. Please have all bulletin announcements in no later than Wednesday. To contact Susan, call the office or her cell phone 226-808-4353.

Wilmot Ignited Summer Worship Series: Acts of the Apostles

- * **July 3** A Place to be Free Acts 1:1-2,
St Agatha, Nancy Mann 10:00
- July 10** Christians, Jews and Nationalism Acts 1:1-12
Wilmot 10:00
- * **July 17** The New Reality of Giving Acts 2:42-47,4:32-37,
Hillcrest Jan Steckley 9:45
- July 24** Marriage, Money and Discipleship Acts 5:1-17
Wilmot Susan Allison Jones 10:00
- * **July 31** The Unity of Suffering Acts 5:18-42,
Hillcrest Kevin Peters Unrau 9:45
- August 7** Loving Difference Acts 8:26-40
Wilmot Susan Allison Jones 10:00
- * **August 14** Word of God against Word of God Acts 11:1-18,
Mannheim Gary Knarr 9:45
- August 21** The Seduction of Segregation Acts 15:1-33
Wilmot Susan Allison Jones 10:00
- August 28** A Tale of Two Women Acts 16:9-19
Wilmot Susan Allison Jones 10:00
- * **September 4** A Calling of Hospitality Acts 28:16-31
Wilmot Susan Allison Jones 10:00
- * Wilmot Ignited Worship Service

Upcoming Events

Mat Weaving and Quilting: Tuesdays 9:00 am

Birthdays:

June 30, Barb Jantzi

Anniversaries:

June 28, 1958, Melvin & Pat Jantzi
June 29, 1957, John & Catherine Rudy

Prayer Requests:

Keep Wanda and Nevin Gingerich in your prayers as they grieve the death of Wanda's sister Evelyn Seyler. The funeral was held on Wednesday, June 22.

Please pray for Nate and Marlene Gingerich as they prepare to sell their house and move to an apartment at Nithview. Pray for physical and emotional health as they prepare for and make this transition.

Congregational Notes:

Summer Worship Services

Please pay close attention to where summer worship services will be located and the start time of the service. We will be worshipping with Wilmot Ignited Churches for half of the summer worship services. Take this opportunity to get better acquainted with the members of Wilmot Ignited congregations.

Wilmot Ignited Joint Service

July 3 at 10 am at St. Agatha Mennonite Church
In-person with Zoom link. Coffee hour to follow.
Vaccinations are not required to attend in-person worship.
A Zoom link will be sent out next week.

MCC Relief Kits Mission Project

We donated **\$1,868.52** for relief kits for MCC. This will pay for **36** kits! Nith Valley Mennonite Church will be packing the kits at the end of June. Thank you so much for your support of this project.

Administrative Details

The Ministry Team will be making arrangements for administrative tasks to be covered until a replacement is found. For now please direct all administrative issues to Susan or John. Please keep using the church email address: WilmotMennoniteChurch@gmail.com
If you know of anyone who might be interested in the position please talk to John Good.

Holidays

Susan will be away from July 1 to July 17. For pastoral care please contact John Good, Lil Quanz or Ross Shantz.

Pop Cans can be collected and returned to generate money. Please bring cans to church for Linda Cole to turn into cash or gift cards for people in her building. Leave them outside in the space beside the front door on the portable side of the steps.

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Beyond The Congregation:

Detweiler Meeting House Concert

You are invited to the historic Detweiler Meeting House, Roseville Road, on Sunday, July 3, at 2:30 to enjoy the Fair Wind Celtic Quartet play and sing from the rich musical heritage of the music of Ireland, Scotland and England. An offering will be taken. Masks are requested but not required. Information is at <https://detweilermeetinghouse.ca/events/> and our Facebook page.

Mennonite World Conference Indonesia 2022

Join local "watch parties" in KW area churches to participate in the assembly's worship services. Please bring your own water bottle. Offerings for the work of Mennonite World Conference will be received.

Tues, July 5 7:00pm First Mennonite Church,
Wed - Friday 3:00 pm and 7:00 pm First Mennonite Church
Sat. July 9 7:00pm First Mennonite Church
Sun. July 10 7:00 pm Meheret Evangelical Church

