

## WELCOME!!

### This Week at Valleyview

#### TUESDAY

**Circle of Friends – Ladies**

**Fellowship** – 10:00 am

**Agape Fundraising** – 1:00 pm

#### WEDNESDAY

**Worship Leaders Meeting** – 7:00 pm

#### THURSDAY

**Male Chorus rehearsal** – 7:30 pm

### Next Sunday at Valleyview October 8, 2017

**Worship Service:** 10:00 am

**Theme:** Thanksgiving

**Worship Leader:** Pastor Charleen

**Speaker:** Pastor Kendall

**Pianist:** Elenor T.

**Song Leader:** Pastor Kendall

**Ushers:** David & Gloria J., Victor F., Faye S. L.

**Greeters:** Don & Elenor T.

**Counters:** Gloria J., Gary L.

**Sound:** Neil F.

**Thanksgiving  
No Sunday School**

We are pleased you could join us today. Please fill out a welcome card if you have a concern or would like to provide us with information, and place it in the offering plate or give it directly to an usher. We look forward to getting to know you better.

If you are visiting, please sign our guest book, located on the library counter.

Washrooms are located downstairs, through the double doors. A handicap-accessible washroom is available outside the sanctuary.

Large print hymnals are available - please ask an usher for assistance.

Parents of young children - we welcome children's participation in worship. There is an unsupervised nursery at the back of the sanctuary available for use by parents with babies and small children.

Please let our ushers know if you need assistance of any kind.

#### The Lord's Prayer

*Our Father who is in heaven, hallowed be your name.*

*Your Kingdom come,*

*your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.*

*Give us today our daily bread.*

*Forgive us our sins,*

*as we forgive those who sin against us.*

*Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.*

*For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours.*

*Forever and ever. Amen.*

**Sunday, October 1, 2017**

10:00 a.m. Worship service

#### **WELCOME TO ALL!!**

Thank you for joining us for worship today! We hope you will be encouraged in your spiritual journey. To help us know and serve you better, please fill out one of the welcome cards located at the back or sides of the sanctuary and drop it in the offering plate or give it to an usher.

**Valleyview is a scent-free church**

# VALLEYVIEW MENNONITE CHURCH

October 1, 2017 Worship Service – 10:00 a.m.

## Great Day of Singing

**Worship Planner:** Pastor Kendall Jongejan Harder

**Pianist:** Elenor T.

**Song Leader:** Pastor Kendall Jongejan Harder

### Focus Statement

O Sing to the Lord a new song. (Psalm 96:1) Mennonite Church Canada and Mennonite Church USA are working towards a new hymnal - **Resonate** - and they have invited us to preview some of the new songs they are looking at. We will also sing some Valleyview "heart" songs. Let's sing together!

Prelude

Welcome

Call to worship

Leader: Sing to the Lord a new song.

**People: Sing to the Lord, all the earth.**

Leader: We come with songs in our hearts and on our lips.  
Songs of joy, songs of sorrow.  
Songs of celebration, songs of lament.

**All: God delights in our music, and rejoices over us with singing.**

Prayer

### Heart Songs

Song: **I owe the Lord a morning song** HWB#651

chosen by Clare J.

Song: **When peace like a river** HWB#336

chosen by Cathy L.

Confession

Assurance

Scripture Reading: **Psalm 96**

### Sing a new song

Song: **Sing a new world into being** Sampler

Song: **Let us build a house (All are welcome)** Sampler

Children's Time: **Be still and know that God is here**

### Heart Songs

Song: **I will come to you in the silence** SS#49

chosen by Mary B.

Song: **So Nimm den Meine Haende** HWB#581

chosen by Rudy F.

Offering

### Sing a new song

Song: **Ya Rabba ssalami (God of peace and justice)**

Sampler

Song: **Great is your faithfulness (Your grace is enough)**

Sampler

Sharing and Prayer

### Heart Song

Song: **You'll never walk alone** (insert)

Announcements

Closing song: **As you go out from here** Sampler

Benediction

Leader: Have you heard the voice of God?

*Silence*

We never sing alone.

**People: God rejoices over us with singing.**

Leader: Go, with a melody in your hearts and

On your lips,

With rhythm and harmony in

Your very bones.

**All: Sing a new song to the Lord, all the earth!**

## **You'll Never Walk Alone lyrics - Rodgers & Hammerstein**

When you walk through a storm  
Hold your head up high  
And don't be afraid of the dark.  
At the end of the storm  
Is a golden sky  
And the sweet silver song of a lark.

Walk on through the wind,  
Walk on through the rain,  
Tho' your dreams be tossed and blown.  
Walk on, walk on  
With hope in your heart  
And you'll never walk alone,  
You'll never walk alone.

**Christian Formation** – today following the worship service

**11:15 – 12:15**

**Preschool** – ages 2.5+, JK, SK

**Multiage** – Grades 1-4

**Junior Youth** – Grades 5-7

**Youth** – Grades 8-12

**Adult Education** – Pathways for Peace and Justice in Palestine and Israel in the sanctuary with Russ S.

Fellowship space in the overflow area.

## **Announcements**

**Parents of Youth Meeting** – today, during Christian Formation

**Potluck** – today, following Christian Formation

**Circle of Friends – Ladies Fellowship** – Tuesday, October 3, 10:00 am

**Next Sunday** – No Sunday School - Thanksgiving

**Valleyview Unplugged** – Annual church retreat.

Silver Lake Mennonite Camp, October 20-22, with guests Bryan and Julie Moyer Suderman. Valleyview covers the cost for the retreat weekend. Registration is required by Sunday, October 15 so we can plan meals and accommodations.