



Weyburn Free Methodist Church

Our Vision ... that everyone would
know Jesus personally

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Saturday, May 22 - Sunday, May 23, 2021

Celebrating the 25th Anniversary of the
“New Building”

Summer of 1996



**Gerald Alexander
cleaning bricks
(at least we think
it's Gerald!)**

**Brick trim going on the
front of the building. No
front doors yet!**



Mid-Year Informational Society Meeting
Sunday, June 13th, 1:30 pm
In-Person with Live Stream available to watch

Please join us for our mid-year informational society meeting. The Board and Lead Pastors will be updating the congregation on their activities and plans for the future of our church. The live stream will be available from our usual Facebook and Youtube spots.

General Conference Sunday Service
Sunday, June 6th at 11:00 am

As part of the Free Methodist Church in Canada's General Conference happening on the June 5th and 6th weekend, the FMCiC is providing the Worship Service for Sunday, June 6th for all churches in the denomination. Due to the time commitments of the online General Conference, the FMCiC has recommended, and our Board of Directors has agreed, that the Lead Pastors be released from planning the weekend services June 5/6 and that they take the week of May 31-June 6 as a sabbath week. Pastor Ian and Pastor Jody will be out of the office for that week, including the Sunday, but will still be available by phone or email.

The WPMC Board felt that it is important for our church family to still get together on June 6th, **so the Board will be hosting the service in person at our regular 11:00 am service time in the Sanctuary**, and it will also be available for you to watch and stream from your home.

be
free

So if the Son sets you free, you will be free indeed. jhn 8:36

The Free Methodist Church in Canada
General Conference 2021
June 5-6, 2021

They are opening up General Conference 2021 registration to guests! As a guest, you are able to view all aspects of the General Conference App, Sessions, Workshops, and are able to network and participate in discussions with others. In addition, as a registered attendee at General Conference, you can

explore the Virtual Exhibit Videos and displays, download resources and request more information plus participate in any exhibitor draws and contests.

There are also a number of pre-conference online prayer events and other things that you may participate in.

For more information about these events and to register as a guest go to fmcic.ca/gc2021.

Staff Notes: The office will be closed on Monday, May 24th for the Victoria Day holiday.

Saturday Evening Services

Saturday evening services will continue for the month of May, then will join with the Sunday morning services for June, July and August. ***Please register ahead***, as the service will not go ahead if there are too few registered (as of Fridays at 8 pm).

Pastor Ian's Sabbatical

In early 2020, discussions had begun about Pastor Ian taking a sabbatical that summer. Weyburn Free Methodist Church's policy for pastoral sabbatical is that each pastor be given the opportunity to take a sabbatical every seven years of service. The board discerned from the Lord that Pastor Ian's sabbatical should be delayed a year, which proved very providential during the Covid pandemic. We are really thankful for all of his expertise in getting our live-stream services up and running, and other technical details that have gotten us through this unprecedented time.

At their April 2021 meeting, the Board of Directors met with Pastor Ian and Pastor Jody and approved Pastor Ian's sabbatical for August 1 - November 1, 2021. The Board and Pastors have already begun working on a plan to cover all of Pastor Ian's responsibilities for the time that he will be away.

If you have any questions about Pastor Ian's sabbatical, please direct them to Clark Gordon, the Board Chair at 306-861-9861 or cl.gordon@sasktel.net.

Family News:

Congratulations to Brad and Rebecca Aspinall on the arrival of their new son, Jesse George Aspinall, May 13th, weighing 8lbs and 8oz. A new little brother for Elijah and Mikayla.

Congratulations also to Kearstin Pfeifer on her engagement to Aidan Bailey of Calgary. Wedding plans are being made for September 4th in Calgary. We're so happy for you both!

Dear Church Family,

We would have loved to have you join us for our in-person wedding ceremony but due to COVID restrictions, we are unable to do so. However, we would be honoured to have you join us via livestream on our special day! Feel free to participate in our socially distanced receiving line following the livestream. You can join the receiving line by parking on Anderson Avenue (off Bryant Street, south of Hillsdale Baptist Church in Regina) by 2:00 pm on June 19th. Sam and Ensley will walk down the street and visit with you in your vehicles.



Livestream link and other information found at [theknot.com/samandensley](https://www.theknot.com/samandensley).

Thank you for your support through all of this craziness!

-Sam and Ensley

WFMC YOUTH

Masks required for all activities - Preregister for Activities on the App or the Website!

Friday Night Event at the church	Wednesday Night Youth Bible Study
Grades 7-12 @ 7:00-9:00pm	WFMC Lower Level - 7:00-9:00 pm
Grades 10-12 @ 9:00-10:00 pm	(for all grades 7-12, guys and gals)

Youth Min is looking for adult volunteers to help with Friday Night Events. Contact Pastor Brian (306-861-5300). You must be willing to get a criminal records check.

The first two Fridays of June (June 4th & 11th) we will be welcoming the Grade 6's to join us for our youth events. Contact Pastor Brian for more details.

Our Daily Bread (Regular Print) for June-July-August

Available now at the Welcome Center
Or call the office and we'll put one in the mailbox for you.



Grad season is approaching! If you have a grad in your family, or know of one, please let the office know!

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS:

+ Broken Arrow Youth Ranch 2021 Charity Golf Classic: Father's Day Weekend – June 18-20. Please go to solidrockministries.ca for information on how to register and to raise pledges. Register by email at brokenarrowyouthranch@gmail.com or by calling Lara at 306-266-2032. Deadline to register is May 31st.

+ Kenosee Lake Bible Camp is also holding their annual 2021 KLBC Golf Tournament at Golf Kenosee on Saturday, June 19th. For more information and to register go to their website at kenoseelakebiblecamp.ca/golf.

Financial Statement to April 30, 2021:

Income:	\$122,509.97
Expenses:	\$133,797.23

Full statements are available from the office (paper or digital).

Questions? Contact a Board Member.

Weyburn Salvation Army Is Looking for Volunteers

To help in our community and family services programs during the months of July and August.

Help Needed With:

- Filling hampers.
- Helping make lunches for our summer lunch program on Monday, Wednesday & Friday mornings.
- Summer Day Camp Youth Leaders (July 12th – 17th).



Contact Shannon at the Salvation Army at 306-842-2280.

CURRENT COVID PROTOCOLS FOR CHURCH

- **As of Sunday, May 30th, we will return to 30 percent capacity in the sanctuary (80 people). Registration for Sunday Services will remain first come, first served. As of June, Saturday services will be joining with the Sunday folks for the summer.**
- We are taking steps to ensure that any who just come are not turned away at the door. If you find that registration is full, please join the wait list provided, so we can do our best to get you in.
- Masks must be worn at all times in the building and social distancing observed.
- If you have a friend or family member who is not connected with technology, please forward this information on to them and have them contact the church office at 306-842-3441 so we can help them with their registrations.



You can register for services on our free **Church Center App**.

Available from the App Store and Google Play.

You may also cancel your registration through the app

HOW TO GIVE DURING COVID-19

As the church begins to re-open with in-person services, part of the COVID protocols is to NOT pass items from person to person. As a result, we will continue to encourage electronic giving if at all possible.

In order to help our congregation continue to give we have the following options:

- **Pre-Authorized Debit** through your bank. Call the church office for a form or go to weyburnfmc.com/give. Complete and print the fill-able PDF form there and put it in the Drop-Box at the church.
- **E-Transfer:** Please contact the bookkeeper at wfmcbkkeeper@weyburnfmc.com for the necessary codes.
- Weyburn Credit Union members may **add WFMC as a payee** and give in your payments menu (Please contact the bookkeeper at wfmcbkkeeper@weyburnfmc.com for a code).
- **Cheques** may be left in the Drop-Box at the south Parking Lot door of the church. **NO CASH!**
- A locked offering box will be available both as you enter and following services.

In-Person Services: Saturdays at 6 pm and Sundays at 11 am.

Live Stream: Our 11 am service is live-streamed each Sunday at weyburnfmc.com/live (on both Facebook Live and Youtube).

Access TV: We can be viewed on Access Television (Channel 7) on Saturday and Sunday mornings at 7:30 am.

AM1190 Radio: *We are now OFF THE RADIO for the Blue Jays Baseball Season.*

MINISTRY STAFF:

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