

TODAY'S SERVICE

Welcome: Anthony Reimer
Singing: Pauline Loewen
Offering: SCS
Speaker: Barry Plett
"Power play in Jerusalem"

Children's Church ~ children between ages 2-5, including kids in kindergarten can head downstairs to the preschool department after the offering.

THIS WEEK

Wednesday: Prayer Meeting 7:00PM.

Sunday (Sept.17): Volunteer lunch after the service

Sunday (Sept.17): Mission Night 7PM in the basement

please note ~ **the Bolivia prayer meeting has changed dates this month. Jake and Dorthy Fehr, long time missionaries in Bolivia, will be here **September 21** at 7pm for our Bolivia prayer group meeting. Everyone is welcome to join us for this evening!

VOLUNTEER INFO

On Sept.17, we will be having a volunteer lunch in the church basement after the service. If you are volunteering with children in any capacity this coming year, please plan to attend. Be on the lookout for paperwork in your mailboxes that some of you need to complete before or on the training day.

PRAYER LIST

Missionary of the Week

Mary Beth Penner ~ *serving with SIM in Peru*

"Dear Blumenort friends,
Thanks so much for your support and prayers. Please pray that this years puppet show would draw kids and leaders to Christ. Pray for strong marriages in San Luis the town where the camp is and that God would strengthen the church. Please also pray that the kids at chess club would come to a saving faith in Jesus Christ. Thanks."
Mary Beth

Next Sunday's Service

Speaker: Anthony Reimer
Offering: General Fund

The Leadership Team invites your prayers as we vote on the following LT candidates:

- **Wade Nerbias** has let his name stand as a new candidate for the Leadership Team.
 - **Cliff Loewen** has agreed to let his name stand for another 3-year term on the Leadership Team
- A vote for these positions will be held on **Sept.17.** during the service. Please pray for God's guidance in this.
Current LT members are Wes Konrad, Steve Brandt, Earl Plett, Anthony Reimer and Barry Plett.

Blumenort E.M.C Finance Report

Missions and General Funds

As of August 31, 2017

	2017	2016
Receipts Jan 1 to August 31	378,234	373,039
Disbursements Jan 1 to August 31	507,382	528,448
	-129,148	-155,409
Combined fund balances Jan 1	74,258	94,680
Combined fund balances August 31	-54,890	-60,729

OPPORTUNITIES

Baptism classes will be starting on Sept.24 during the Sunday School hour. Please contact Pastor Anthony if you are interested in joining these classes.
anthony.reimer@blumenortemc.ca.

The HavenGroup Annual General Meeting will be held on Wednesday, September 20, 2017 at 7:00 p.m. at the Evangelical Fellowship Church in Steinbach.

Whitedog camp reunion BBQ: Sunday, September 24 in Whitedog, from 4-8 pm...leaving Blumenort at 12PM and back late. **Everyone is welcome.** Please contact Alicia (Penner) Toews if you'd like to come. (204) 371-2427 or aliciapenner12@gmail.com. A few pails of cookies would also be a welcome donation.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sunday School for all classes (including adults) will resume this morning! **Sunday School Offering for September will go to the Blumenort School** for lunches, school supplies etc...

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sept.19 ~ Mom's Morning Out starts up again at 10AM in the basement

Sept.24 ~ **Soups on for Seniors** after the service...we are looking for volunteers to help out with serving, baking bread/desserts, making soup etc... if you are interested, please contact Lisa at the church office.

Oct.1 ~ Congregational Meeting at 8:30AM.

Oct.2 ~ Ladies Ministry Fall Event 7PM in the church basement

YOUTH AND KIDS EVENTS

Youth Events

Jr. Youth (grades 7-8) Tuesday Sept.12, **7:00-9:00 Kick Off Event** ~ meet at Gerald & Cindy Penners for wiener roast and games. Location is .5 mile south of Blumenort on the service road that runs parallel to the #12. Driveway number is 40113.

Sr. Youth (grades 9-12) **Friday** Sept.15, **7:00-10:00 Kick Off Event on Friday** ~ meet at Frank & Pearl Thiessens for wiener roast and games. Location is 2 miles north of Blumenort, 1.5 miles east. Driveway number 35118

Contact Mitchell if you have any questions.
204-380-4145 or mitchell.martens@blumenortemc.ca.

Kids Clubs

Club DJ (Grade 1-4) will start up on Wednesday Oct.4th. There will be pre-registration after church on Sept.10 & 17 in the foyer. Cost is \$30. **We are in need of volunteers...** if you are interested in helping, please contact Amy Plett (355-4213), Cindy Penner (346-0921) or Marina Wiebe (880-5201).

Our BURST clubs program (Grade 5-6) is looking for a few helpers, as well as 3 people to co-lead the program for this coming year. If you are interested in helping out with this, please contact Mitchell Martens at mitchell.martens@blumenortemc.ca.

LIBRARY

Library Bingo round 2!

This is the last day for Library Bingo. Finish up any cards that you have started, and hand them in to the library for prizes! Thanks to everyone who has participated!

CHILDRENS CHURCH

Children's church is looking for youth and young adult volunteers to help out during the Sunday morning services. If you are interested, please sign up at the back pole. If you have questions, please contact either Amy Plett at 204-355-4213 or Diane Loewen at 204-346-4382.

LOST & FOUND

The items in the church lost and found bins are getting quite numerous, and will be taken to MCC in the next 2 weeks. Please look through the bins by the back counter to claim any of your lost items.

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Service Times:

Sunday School 9:30 AM
Sunday Morning Worship Service 10:30 AM

Pastors:

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BLUMENORT EMC

Life in Christ ... for everyone, everywhere!

September 10, 2017

"But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth."

Acts 1:8

"But the word of God continued to increase and spread." Acts 12:24

Our Vision:

That all people in Blumenort and surrounding area have the opportunity to know and experience life in Christ through our church.