

Lent 1: Deep Calls to Deep
Relationships



Lent 2021 Thematic Statement:

Live deeply this season of Lent by delving into the places where we experience God's presence. Throughout this series, we will journey deeper into our stories, into Scripture, into silence, into the past, and into each coming week, responding to God's call to deep relationship, commitment, wisdom, healing, growth, and hope.

February 21, 2021

Bethel
Mennonite
Church

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Prelude

Welcome

Prayer VT 1030

Call to Worship (*insert*)

Hymn *O Love, How Deep, How Broad*
(VT 303 / HWB 236)

Prayer of Confession and Assurance (*insert*)

Lent Theme Song *O toi, Seigneur / O God, We Call* (VT 683)

Children's Story Time

Children's Song *Your Love is Washing Over Me* (VT 166)

Prayer of the Church

Scripture Reading Genesis 9:8-17; Mark 1:9-15

Sermon "O the deep, deep love of Jesus"

Response Ritual God calls you "Beloved";
what name do you give to God?

Hymn *New Earth, Heavens New*
(VT 377 / HWB 299)

Announcements

Sending Blessing

Postlude

VT – Voices Together (*purple*)

HWB – Hymnal: A Worship Book (*blue*)

We affirm that the earth is the Lord's and all that is in it. Recognizing that we are all treaty people, with gratitude we acknowledge our gathering on Treaty #1 land and the traditional homeland of the Metis Nation. Imitating the inclusive welcome of Jesus, we seek to be a community marked by the love of God. Regardless of age, race, gender identity, or sexual orientation, we invite you to make Bethel your spiritual home. Sharing the peace of Christ, together we strive to reveal the realm of God in the world.

Life at Bethel

2021 Congregational Giving Plan

The congregational Zoom meeting held on Jan. 27, 2021, approved the 2021 donations budget. Our budget anticipates an additional amount in other income (rental, interest, sundry).

We are very heartened by our church's commitment to our collective ministries and our work together extending the love of God to our neighbours and, through our partnerships, to the world. - *Finance committee*

Please note: To send a donation to Bethel by e-transfer, please use the email address: treasurer@bethelmennonite.ca .

This Week at Bethel

Sunday (Feb 21) Lent 1: Deep Calls to Deep: Relationship

Worship Service live-streamed at 10:00 am: Kathy McCamis preaching

Monday (Feb 22)

Harvest Manitoba, 4:00 pm

Tuesday (Feb 23)

Volunteer Visitors meeting, 10:30 am (*Zoom*) | Personnel Committee meeting, 4:45 pm (*Zoom*) | Bethel Kidz Club, 6:30 pm (*Zoom*)

Wednesday (Feb 24)

Piano tuning, 12:30 pm (*Sanctuary*) | Gift Discernment team meeting, 1:30 pm (*Zoom*)

Thursday (Feb 25)

“Coffee Time”, 10:00-11:00 am (*Zoom*) | Piano tuning, 12:30 pm (*Dining Hall, Choir room*)

Next Sunday (Feb 28) Lent 2: Deep Calls to Deep: Commitment

Worship Service live-streamed at 10:00 am: Valerie Alipova preaching

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Loving God, each other, and our neighbours.