

## OUR CHURCH FAMILY

### Abbotsford Hospital -

**Lily Kullmann** - has cancer.

**Ann-Marie Schellenberg** - under going tests.

**Louise Willms** - has been diagnosed with cancer.

### Peace Arch Hospital - Gladys Friesen

**Erika** (John) **Klassen** - very sick.

**Heinrich Loewen** - at home after being in the hospital.

**Walter** (Betty) **Wienss** - Pray for strength for him and that the pain meds will keep him comfortable.

### Notes of Sympathy

**Dorothy** (Dietrich) **Rempel** passed away Tuesday, August 23, 2022, Memorial Service, Tuesday, Sept 20 at 11 am

**Helmut Bittner** passed away Monday, September 5, 2022.

*Our sincere condolences to family and friends.*

## THIS WEEK

### All Sunday Services and Bible Studies are on Television and the Clearbrook MB Website.

**Today** 8:30 am German Alliance Program - CFEG TV  
10:15 am John Barkman

**Monday** 3:33 pm Call for Prayer

**Wednesday** 9:00 am German Bible Study - Johannes Stolz  
10:00 am English Bible Study - Psalm 132  
Pastor Walter

**Saturday** 9:30 am Hymn Sing Choir Practice

### Sunday, September 18, 2022

8:30 am German Alliance Program - CFEG TV  
10:15 am John Barkman

### \* Neue Deutsche Allianz TV Sendungen:

Die Deutsche Allianz von Abbotsford hat sich geignigt wöchentlich eine Andachtssendung fuer TV vorzubereiten. Die Allianz besteht aus King Road Mennoniten Brüdergemeinde, Ebenezer Mennoniten Gemeinde und Clearbrook Mennoniten Brüdergemeinde. Diese Sendungen werden zur Zeit Sonntags 8:30 Uhr morgens und 6:30 Uhr abends am Fernseh zu sehen sein; so wie auch Dienstag und Samstag um 2:00 Uhr nachmittags. Die bisherigen Wiederholungen am TV von Gottesdiensten aus dem Archive fallen somit weg.



## DIESE WOCHE

### Alle Gottesdienste und Bibelstunden werden über Fernseh (TV) und Computer übertragen.

**Heute** \*8:30 Uhr Deutsche Allianz Programm im Fernsehen CFEG  
10:15 Uhr John Barkman

**Montag** 3:33 Uhr Aufruf zum Gebet

**Mittwoch** 9:00 Uhr Deutsche Bibelstunde - Johannes Stolz  
10:00 Uhr Englische Bibelstunde - Psalm 132  
Pastor Walter

**Samstag** 9:30 Uhr Hymn Sing Chor Probe

### Nächsten Sonntag, 18. September 2022

8:30 Uhr Deutsche Allianz Programm im Fernsehen CFEG  
10:15 Uhr John Barkman

*Sunday, September 11, 2022*  
Clearbrook MB Church



## Sunday

10:15 a.m. Family Worship Service

### Pastoral Team

Walter & Edith Wiens  
Fred & Hani Ekkert

*Glorifying God, Building the Church, Reaching the World.*



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Office Hours: Monday to Friday 8 am - 4:30 pm (closed at noon for one hour)



PRELUDE: Doug Johnson

INVOCATION/WELCOME: Pastor Fred

SCRIPTURE READING: Selected from 2 Corinthians 4:7-18

HYMNS: # 1 Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee  
# 501 Jesus, Thou Joy of Loving Hearts  
# 410 My Faith Looks Up To Thee

ANNOUNCEMENTS: Pastor Walter

PMCC VIDEO: I Raise A Hallelujah

INTERVIEW: Sonja Hindmarsch Pastor Fred  
Pacific Mennonite Children's Choir

HYMN: O Lord, Be Gracious Unto Us

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE: Pastor Walter

HYMN: # 348 Hiding In Thee

MESSAGE: "The Joy of the Lord in the Struggles of Life"  
John Barkman

HYMN: # 365 Close To Thee

BENEDICTION: Pastor Walter

**All Sunday Services and Wednesday Bible Studies are Transmitted on Television and Livestream**

**To watch our Church Services - go to the Clearbrook MB Church Website and click on Watch Live.**

Sermon Notes

The Joy of the Lord in the Struggles of Life

1. The theme verse - Philippians 4:4
2. The human author - Under house arrest
3. The church is born - Acts 16:19-34
4. Joy and rejoicing - passages in Philippians

Conclusion: This is the will of God. 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18

  

1. Take a moment and consider the hardships Paul faced as a believer. 2 Corinthians 11:23-28
2. Find all the passages in the book of Philippians that speak of joy or rejoicing.
3. When Paul was writing the book of Philippians what were his circumstances?
4. What is the will of God for you today and everyday?  
1 Thessalonians 5:16-18

**Recommendation regarding Lead Pastor**

Our church council will be recommending to the membership that we call Don Petker to be our lead pastor at a special congregation meeting on Monday, October 3, at 7 pm. Information on Don Petker is available on the table in the foyer next to the offering box. Don Balzer

**Hymn Sing**

Sunday, September 18, Prelude at 6:15, Hymn Sing 6:30.

**Gather At the River**

Come and join us for an evening of great hymns and gospel songs led by Fred Ekkert. Featuring the Chancel Choir and Guest Violinist: Uli Janzen

*Upper Room & Some in Foyer*

- Unser Tglich Brot - Juli / August / September
- Unser Tglich Brot - September Grodruck
- Our Daily Bread - September / October / November
- Our Daily Bread large print - Oct / Nov / Dec
- Today - September / October
- September Bridge
- September Multiply Daily Prayer Guide
- Gideon Memorial Cards
- Evangelical Fellowship of Canada - **Faith Today**

**CALL TO PRAYER** - Reminder of Staffing Needs  
**Prayer Time Every Monday, 3:33 pm**

*Fellowship Groups*

Anyone wishing to join a FELLOWSHIP GROUP is invited to come to the Upper Room Monday, September 19 at 10 am.

**MCC Festival for World Relief**  
**At TRADEX on September 16-17, 2022!**

Friday, September 16, 5-9 pm  
Saturday, September 17, 8-10 am, Pancake Breakfast  
10 am - 2 pm, Festival



**MCC is looking for baked goods for the sale.**

Your baked goods need to be labeled with all ingredients. You can pick up labels in the church office.

Drop off baked goods in the Upper Room, Friday, September 16 by 1 pm. See insert for more details.

**Operation Christmas Child**

**Christmas Shoe Boxes** delivers great joy and the Good News of Jesus Christ to children in need around the world through gift-filled shoeboxes. Fill your own box or let the ladies fill them for you.



**Financial Update**

Last Sunday, September 4, 2022, our offering total was \$22,470.00 This brings our 2022 contributions to date for our budget contribution commitment to \$387,635.42. Our monthly budget contribution commitment for 2022 is approximately \$48,000 each month. Thank you for your faithful giving.

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