



Worship July 5, 2026

Reader: Dirk Vis **Pianist:** Jen Wagenaar

OPENING AND WELCOME

Opening Call to Worship

Opening Worship Song: Blessed Be Your Name (LUYH 343)

Blessing

Worship Song: Praise, My Soul, The King of Heaven (LUYH 571)

Worship Song: My Soul Find Rest in God Alone (LUYH 370)

TIME OF CONFESSION AND OFFERING

Announcements

Church Family Prayer

Offering: 1) Local Budget 2) SERVE

Song of Response: Holy Spirit, Living Breath of God (LUYH 746)

MINISTRY OF THE WORD

Scripture Reading: 1 Samuel 17:41-49

Message: From the Valley to the Cross

Song of Response: In Christ Alone (LUYH770)

SENDING AND BLESSING

Closing Blessing

Closing Worship Song: By the Sea of Crystal (LUYH 489)

CHURCH AND COMMUNITY UPCOMING EVENTS

SERVE – We Need Your Help! We are looking to borrow sleeping mats for the youth and leaders travelling by plane for SERVE. We currently need 7 mats for the Grimsby group and possibly a few more for the Thunder Bay group. If you have a sleeping mat we could borrow, please contact Tracey. Thank you for helping support our SERVE teams!

Join us for ***The Better Story***, a sermon series that explores some of the Bible's most familiar Old Testament stories and reveals how each one points us to the greater story of God's redemption through Jesus Christ. From heroes and prophets to journeys, battles, and promises, we'll discover how these ancient accounts are not merely stories from the past—they are part of God's unfolding plan that finds its fulfillment in the gospel.

What's your favourite Bible story?

As we prepare for this series, we'd love to hear from you! Share your favourite Old Testament story and tell us why it has been meaningful to you. Your suggestions will help shape our journey through ***The Better Story***.

Join us as we see how every story ultimately leads us to the greatest story ever told—the story of Jesus.

Please keep the Greenwood family in your prayers as they grieve the passing of Will. We extend our heartfelt condolences to the entire family during this difficult time. May they find comfort in God's loving presence, strength in His promises, and peace in the support of those around them.

Congratulations to Pastor Kevin and Jess on the arrival of their precious baby boy, who was born on Friday morning! We rejoice with them in this wonderful blessing and are thankful to share the good news that both Jess and baby are doing great. Please continue to keep their family in your prayers as they enjoy this special time together.

Potluck – Join us for a Potluck Lunch on Sunday, July 12, following the morning service!

Meat, buns, and potato salad will be provided. If your last name begins with A–L, please bring a salad. If your last name begins with M–Z, please bring a dessert.

Our SERVE participants will be joining us, so we encourage everyone to bring a little extra to help welcome our guests. We look forward to enjoying a wonderful time of food and fellowship together!

our church family

Birthdays this week: July 5 – Chantel T

July 7 – Rick W

July 8 – Denise O

July 5 – Teresa V

July 7 – Don S

July 10 – Sarah C

We wish you and your family God's blessings in the coming year.

prayer requests

We hold in prayer: all those in our congregation and our communities struggling with ongoing illness and with the limitations due to age, including: Ina (C.) A, Olga V, Nettie P, Alice S, Marvin H, Bill A, Rie K, Della K, Harry M, Ann B

The Bulletin is available on our web site at livinghopemh.ca/weekly-bulletin

LIVE STREAMING OF SERVICES: livinghopemh.ca/media

opportunities to serve

	July 5	July 12
Greeters	Ernie and Eileen	Paul and Elisa
Sound Booth	Jeff and Cohen	Tyler
Nursery	Elisa and Linden	Avery and Jillian
Sunday School		
Coffee	Jeff and Michelle	Bas and Cynthia
Library	Margaret	Michelle

OFFERING SCHEDULE

July 5	SERVE
July 12	The Schouten's
July 19	Medicine Hat Christian School
July 26	Root Cellar

upcoming events

Thursday, July 9: Slo-pitch 6:30 Big Marble Go Center

July 11 -18: SERVE Week – There will be limited office hours the week of SERVE

We are excited about all that God is doing in and through our church family. We look forward to coming alongside you in different ways.

denominational news

Denominational announcements can be viewed by scanning this QR code in the camera app of your smartphone.

