



CANADIAN MENNONITE

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Report to Mennonite Church Eastern Canada

Canadian Mennonite (CM) tells the story of the church, in partnership with the Churches of Mennonite Church Canada.

Online and in print, *CM* is a place for our faith community to gather. We share news about churches, pastoral transitions, milestones and passings. Readers write letters to the editor, opinion pieces, social media responses and website comments. Pastors and leaders contribute feature articles that foster dialogue. We seek to nurture a nationwide sense of belonging. We want people to feel connected to the broader faith community. And, we are interested in creative new ways to host conversations about what it means to be Mennonite today.

In 2023, approximately 9,000 households subscribed to the magazine. Online, 16,000 people per month read articles on our website. We hosted three *CM Events*, where *CM* moderates an online conversation between two or three panelists. The most popular event of 2023 was about medical assistance in dying. Videos of past events are available on the *CM* website.

At the end of 2023, Mennonite Church Canada and the regional churches signed a three-year covenant with *CM* to continue offering *Canadian Mennonite* magazine through the Every Home subscription plan. Anyone who attends a Mennonite Church Canada congregation can subscribe at a cost paid collectively through the church.

In 2024, *CM* will launch new initiatives to further engage Mennonites across Canada. We want to connect with, and give voice to, as broad a cross-section of the church as possible. Go to canadianmennonite.org to read more.

With your help, we are strengthening the faith community. We are making space for people with wide-ranging views to speak and to listen. Online, *CM* articles form a witness to the world about our faith. We do this in the spirit of Hebrews 10:24, spurring one another on to love and good deeds, to build up the Kingdom of God.

Thank you for partnering with us in this ministry to tell the church story.

✉ Have a story idea? Email Madalene Arias at ec@canadianmennonite.org.v