



Operation Manna Suggested Bulletin Announcements

If the offering is on May 1st

- April 17** **Operation Manna:**
What Happens When Our Church Partners with Operation Manna?
On Sunday, May 1, we will join with churches across Canada to gather an offering for Operation Manna, a program of Diaconal Ministries Canada. To help you learn more about this program we will show a video next Sunday that highlights how your gifts will be used this year to support local community ministries connected to CRCs like yours. For more information, please go to www.diaconalministries.com - *The Deacons*
- April 24** **Operation Manna:**
What Happens When Our Church Partners with Operation Manna?
Today we will watch a video that tells the story of your gifts at work, connecting CRCs like ours with what God is already doing in Canadian communities. Please pray for these ministries this week and for the offering that will take place next week. - *The Deacons*
- May 1** **Operation Manna: We invite you to give generously**
Today the deacons will collect the Operation Manna offering. Your gift will help ministries and Canadian CRCs like ours love and bless their neighbours in Jesus' name. May each of us give as we have been blessed. - *The Deacons*

(You may use the following announcement the week following the offering. Please insert the amount received in the blank).

- May 8** **Operation Manna: Thank you for your generosity!**
Our Operation Manna offering last week totaled \$_____. **Thank you!** May the Lord bless our support for ministries that are doorways to hope, and may local churches like ours continue to be equipped to be a healing presence in their neighbourhood. Please keep these ministries in your prayers. - *The Deacons*

***Note:** *If the date of the offering is other than May 1, the first two bulletin announcements should be used on the two Sundays previous to the offering and the third one on the day of the offering.*