

THIS WEEK'S SERVICE

Pre-Service Music: Ruth Wiebe / Waldina Reimer
Worship Leader: Harold Hamm
Congregational Singing: Worship Team
Family Life Segment - Pastoral Prayer: Pastor James Peters
Scripture Reading: Lydia Zacharias
Meditation & Pastoral Prayer: Pastor James Peters

PRAISE & PRAYER ITEMS

MISSIONARIES - Pray for:

- **Hague Gospel Church, SK.** Russell Wilson serves as lead pastor.
- **Tyson Murray** serves with Youth for Christ in Portage la Prairie.

LOCAL - Pray for:

- **our PowerPoint operators (John Funk, James Hildebrand, Duane Falk) and camera operators (Cliff Wall, Michael Braun, Mary Harder).** Thanks for serving in these areas.
- **our municipal, provincial and federal elected officials.** What would happen if we spent time in prayer for our leaders instead of criticizing them?
- **Tami Zacharias** serves as International Director of Organizational Learning with Operation Mobilisation out of Port Colborne, ON. Praise God that a new member has been added to Tami's team!
- Please pray for **Darrell Friesen**. He recently suffered his fourth concussion and his physical and mental health have both been affected. Pray that Darrell would find the help he needs, and that he would experience healing and restoration through Christ.

THIS WEEK IN OUR CHURCH

Today, Apr. 14 - In Christ Alone Ladies Lunch following the service
Tuesday, Apr. 16 - Mom's Stay & Play - 9:30 am.
Tuesday, Apr. 16 - Church Council Committee Meeting - 7:00 p.m.
Friday, Apr. 19 - Young Adults Meeting - 7:00 p.m.
Saturday, Apr. 20 - Community Spring Clean-up
Sunday, Apr. 21 - Sunday School - 9:00 a.m.; Worship Service - 10:30 a.m.

YOUTH NEWS

Jr. Youth - Monday, Apr. 15, 7:00 p.m. - Small Groups

Sr. Youth - Thursday, Apr. 18, 7:00 p.m. - Bible Study: Nipawin Bible College

TAKE NOTE

1. For the **In Christ Alone Ladies** (ladies who are alone due to death, divorce, or separation), we would love to have you join us on Sunday, Apr. 14, for lunch right after the church service in the church basement/fellowship hall. Please check your mailbox for an invitation. If you did not receive an invitation or have any questions, please call



Susan Enns at 204-362-6840. If you **need a ride** to or from the event, please call Lori Dueck at 204-325-8292.

2. Carolyn Wiebe will be stepping down from her role as Children's Ministry Director on July 31, 2024. She will continue to work with the KidMin Leadership Team to wrap up the ministry year; her collaboration with the team, and Church Council, will continue as plans and preparations are made for the transition of leadership and the fall children's ministry launch. Please keep Council and the KidMin Leadership Team in your prayers as they navigate this transition.

3. We want to thank Carolyn for her 11 plus years of service as our Children's Ministry Director. Her service in Sunday School, VBS, Church Family Nights, Renew(ed), etc., has been a blessing to our church. We wish Carolyn God's blessings in her future endeavours.



4. We would like to invite Moms to come connect with other Moms in the Toddler Room at WEMMC on Tuesday, Apr. 16, between 9:30-11:00 a.m.



5. So long as the weather holds, our **Community Clean Up** will take place on Saturday, Apr. 20, 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.: You are all invited to participate in helping clean up our community. We will meet at the church at 8:45 a.m. with bus transport, or at the Janzen GM corner at 9:00 a.m. We will clean the Hwy. east of Janzen GM to the west end of town. Free lunch will be provided back at the church afterwards. We look forward to serving our community together with you!

6. **FREE!** Take note of the **resource booklets and missionary letters** at the pillars in our foyer. **Special Easter booklets** are available beside the pillar directly in front of the Coffee Center.

7. **Childcare Ministry** (during the last half of the Sunday morning Worship Service) needs a few more volunteers to serve on a rotational basis (every 3-4 weeks). If this interests you, please call or text Becky Wall at 204-362-5523.



LOOKING AHEAD

Wednesday, Apr. 24 - Informational Meeting with Naomi House - 7:00 p.m.
Sunday, Apr. 28 - Sunday School - 9:00 a.m.; Worship Service - 10:30 a.m.
Sunday, Apr. 28 - Newcomer Lunch following the service

1. **Information Meeting with Candace from Naomi House** regarding sponsorship of a refugee family, **Wednesday, Apr. 24, 7:00 p.m.**



2. **Newcomer Welcome Lunch, Sunday, Apr. 28:** If you have started attending and worshipping with us in the last few years, we would love to meet with you and share lunch with you! We are planning a burgers & fries lunch following the service. Please bring your lawn chairs so that we can gather outside. There will also be seating and tables set up in the Hut. We look forward to seeing you there! Hosted by the WEMMC Church Leadership.

3. **D'Friesens Fundraising Concert, Sunday, May 5, 6:00 p.m.,** special guests The Glen-cross Quartet, followed by dessert and snacks. All proceeds will go to support Low German ministry. Thank you for your ongoing support. We hope to see you there!

STEWARDSHIP BUDGET REPORT		Mar/24
Year 2024 Budget	\$710,110	100%
Budget Receipts & Other Income	\$148,185	21%
Budget Expenses	\$159,557	23%
Budget Cash Shortfall	\$(11,371)	

MISSION & COMMUNITY EVENTS

1. **Pembina Counselling Centre Comedy Fundraiser, Apr. 18, 7:00 p.m.,** at the Winkler MB Church featuring Laugh Again's Phil Callaway. Dessert by De Luca's & Coffee Bar by Other Brother Roasters. RSVP for free tickets: 204-822-6622; reception@pccmb.ca.
2. The community is invited to a very special musical event on Saturday, Apr. 20, 6:00 p.m., at the WEMMC. This concert will feature a **Sing-Along Hymn Sing** with the East Side Choir, directed by Wayne Unrau. Admission is free, with an opportunity to support the work and ministry of **One Hope Canada** via a freewill offering.
3. Capernwray Harbour Bible Centre, located on Thetis Island in British Columbia, is a Bible School and Conference Centre. We are currently looking for volunteers for our Housekeeping Department this Spring and Summer which is a unique opportunity to serve in a Christian community. This experience is available to anyone who is sixteen years or older and has the desire to live out their faith in Christ in service and joy. For more information please see the poster in the Foyer.
4. **Steinbach Bible College** invites you to join them in celebrating their 2024 graduates. The SBC Spring Showcase is on Friday, Apr. 26, at 7:00 p.m. in the SBC Chapel, and the 2024 SBC Graduation Ceremony is on Saturday, Apr. 27, at the Emmanuel Evangelical Free Church. For more info, go to www.SBCollege.ca/Events.



Lead a life
worthy of the calling ...
 making every effort
 to maintain the unity
 of the **Spirit** in
 the bond of **peace.**
 Ephesians 4:1-3

April 14, 2024

Pastor James Peters

Topic: "The Church in Action"

Text: Ephesians 4:1

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Sunday School for All Ages: 9:00 a.m.

Worship Service: 10:30 a.m.

Congregational Care Pastor: James Peters

Discipleship Pastor: John Wiebe

Youth Pastor: Tim Goertzen

Children's Ministry Director: Carolyn Wiebe