

THIS WEEK'S SERVICE

Pre-Service Music:	Marilyn Wiebe
Worship Leader:	Peter Klassen
Congregational Singing:	Worship Team
Family Life Segment - Personal Testimony:	Randy Penner
Scripture Reading:	Lydia Zacharias
Baby Dedication:	Harry & Stephanie Berg - Noelle Marie: Pastor James Peters
Meditation:	Pastor James Peters

PRAISE & PRAYER ITEMS

MISSIONARIES - Pray for:

- **Morrow Gospel Church, Winnipeg.** Colin Plett serves as lead pastor; Paul Epp serves as pastor of care.
- **Art Schroeder** serves as Executive Director with the Portage Youth for Christ Youth Unlimited chapter.

LOCAL - Pray for:

- **our childcare ministry** as they organize for another year of serving young families.
- **our police, fire and EMT staff.** Thanks for your service to our community.
- **Stephanie & Jonathan Escobar.** Stephanie serves as Core Programs & Project Serve Coordinator with Youth for Christ out of Guatemala City.

IN SYMPATHY

Irene Krieger, mother to Joan & Henry Enns, passed away on Thursday, August 14. Memorial services will be conducted on Thursday, August 28, at the Westside Community Church in Morden.

May the presence of Jesus and the power of His resurrection bring comfort and strength to the families now sorrowing.

THIS WEEK IN OUR CHURCH

Sunday, Aug. 31 - Worship Service - 10:30 a.m.

YOUTH NEWS



Youth Kick-Off, Thursday, Sept. 11, at 7:00 p.m. in the Hut!!

Youth this year will be Grades 7-12.

TAKE NOTE



1. **New books have been added to the library!** Come check out the wide variety, including books on mental health, parenting, grandparenting, Christian life, belonging, comics and fiction for all ages. Also new to the library: Bible trivia card games!

2. Don't forget to attend our by donation **refugee sponsorship fundraiser** at Winkler Co-op on **Saturday, Sept. 6, 10:30-2:00.** Hot dogs, hamburgers & chips will be served.



3. WEMMC would like to show its appreciation for **kids who attended the Leadership Development Program and those who worked at Bible camps** during the summer months. Pick up an application form at the Information Center and fill it out to receive some support for each week worked at camp. Deadline is Oct. 30.

4. We would welcome you to serve on our **Greeter Team**, which is part of our Foyer Ministry Team. Contact one of the deacons or Pastor James for more information!

LOOKING AHEAD

Tuesday, Sept. 2 - Mission Committee Meeting - 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, Sept. 4 - KidMin Staff & Youth Leader Orientation - 7:00 pm.

Sunday, Sept. 7 - Outdoor Worship Service followed by our Church Picnic - 10:30 a.m.

1. **Sunday School Registration!** Plans and preparations for the upcoming Sunday school ministry year will begin soon! If you have a child who will be years of age on or before December 31, 2025, or if you have a child who has not been previously enrolled in Sunday School, we would like to invite you to register your child(ren) for fall class placement. A registration form is located at the KidMin bulletin board in the church foyer, or you may call the church office to register or for more information.



2. **CALLING YOU! Young, old or in between, we need you to help inspire young minds in Sunday School to KNOW, LOVE and SERVE!** This is a great opportunity to serve our church community and make a difference. Specifically, we need help with **games (in the gym), grade 3-6 crafts, storytelling once a month for our K-2s and classroom helpers** all around! If you have the ability to help with any of these things, please contact Purity Zacharias at 204-362-6116 or purity@winkleremmc.com. We appreciate all your support and willingness to serve.



3. **Sunday School is kicking off on Sept. 14 from 9:00-10:20 a.m. for all ages!** Come play, craft, worship together and learn more about God and what He says about us! See you there!



4. **SAVE THE DATE: SUNDAY, SEPT. 7 - OUTDOOR SERVICE and CHURCH PICNIC WITH LUNCH AND ACTIVITIES beginning at 10:30 a.m.** Included will be a lunch of charcoal BBQ chicken, hotdogs, and fries. There will also be games and activities to follow. We are

asking for those whose last names begin with A-G to bring dessert, and for those whose last names start with H-Z to bring salad.



5. The **WOW Ladies Bible Study** begins Monday, Sept. 22, at 9:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. We will be taking "The Sermon on the Mount" by Jen Wilken. The study book is available for \$28. If you'd like a book, email wklremmcwom@gmail.com to reserve a copy or call Marg Peters (204-362-7488). We look forward to getting back into Bible study!

6. **Welcome**, one and all, to a **Fish Fry Fundraiser**, put on by the **Living Word Christian Fellowship**, on Friday, September 12th, at the Pembina Threshermen's Museum. Lunch by pre-order only (from 11:00 – 1:00), and supper for everyone (from 4:00 – 7:00). All funds received above the cost of the meal (\$20/plate) can be receipted, and go towards the purchase of the church property in Gnadenthal. To order your lunch or for more information, please call Diedrich Friesen at (204) 312-0041. We hope to see you there! (**PS: Volunteers** to help would be appreciated).

7. **Adult Sunday School** will be starting in late fall. Dale Dueck will be teaching on the Book of Revelation.

MISSIONS & COMMUNITY EVENTS

1. **AIMM Executive Coordinator John Fumana from Kinshasa, DRC**, will present at Grace Mennonite Church in Winkler on Thursday, Sept. 4, at 7:00 p.m.
2. **Support Eden Foundation's 23rd annual Head for the Hills cycling fundraiser!** Saturday, Sept. 13, Cripple Creek Music Festival site near Morden. Registration: \$40 Adults; \$25 12-and-under (before Sept. 11). Register online at www.edenhealthcare.ca/h4h or at the office, 309 Main St., Winkler. Check the poster for more info!
3. **Upcoming Evening Courses Available at SBC** – Available for Audit or Credit:
Introduction to Counselling – with Professor Sheila Ginter; Tuesday Evenings: September 9 – December 2. 7:00pm – 9:45pm
Two Views on Christian Zionism: Did God Give Modern Israel to the Jews? – with Michael Zwaagstra
Thursday Evenings: September 18 – October 2 and Wednesday Evening: October 8. 7:00pm -9:45pm
Serving from the Soundbooth – with Jeff Neufeld; Thursday Evenings: October 16, 30 and November 13, 20. 7:00pm -9:45pm. *Limit of 8 students.
For more information or to register visit: SBCollege.ca/upcomingcourses.



August 24, 2025

Pastor James Peters

*Topic: "Heroes of Obedience:
Timothy: Guard the Good Deposit"*

Text: 2 Timothy 1:14

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Worship Service: 10:30 a.m.

Lead Pastor: James Peters
Discipleship Pastor: John Wiebe
Youth Pastor: Tim Goertzen
Children's Ministry Director: Purity Zacharias