## THIS WEEK'S SERVICE

Pre-Service Music: Waldina Reimer
Worship Leader: Al Derksen
Congregational Singing: Worship Team

Family Life - Local Ministry Moment: Isaac Fehr, The Bunker

Scripture Reading: Art Friesen Meditation: Chris Pauls

## **PRAISE & PRAYER ITEMS**

## **MISSIONARIES - Pray for:**

- **Hepburn Gospel Church, SK.** Jesse Doell serves as lead pastor; Dennis Milburn serves as youth director.
- KLP are based in Canada and travel frequently to work with their mission partners in Asia.

# **LOCAL - Pray for:**

- **our Deacon Committee.** Thank you for looking after the physical needs in our congregation!
- our secretary, Lydia Zacharias.
- **Tami Zacharias** serves as International Director of Organizational Learning for Operation Mobilisation out of Port Colborne, ON.

## THIS WEEK IN OUR CHURCH

Tuesday, May 13 - Administration Committee Meeting - 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday, May 13 - Worship Committee Meeting - 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday, May 13 - Mission Committee Meeting - 7:00 p.m.

Saturday, May 17-Monday, May 19 - Young Adults Retreat

Sunday, May 17 - NO SUNDAY SCHOOL; Worship Service - 10:30 a.m.

#### **YOUTH NEWS**

Jr. Youth - Monday, May 12, 7:00 p.m. - Small Groups

Sr. Youth - Thursday, May 15, 7:00 p.m. - Photo Scavenger Hunt

## **TAKE NOTE**

1. We would like to say **THANK YOU** for the donated potatoes, for all the volunteers who gave of their time, provided advice, and helped with all the food prep on Saturday and also the food prep, serving and cleanup for Sunday's fundraiser lunch. We could not have done it without you! Working together is always a joy and a blessing. We also want to thank those who prayed for us and for your generosity; as well, for the many words of encouragement we received. And lastly, all praise and glory to our Father God who always comes through for us and provides the strength, the help, and whatever we need at just the right time. God bless you all! – Food Team

- 2. **Staff Update:** Due a change in childcare arrangements, **Purity** will be in office Monday-Friday each morning.
- 3. There will be **NO CHILDCARE** next Sunday.



- . Do you like to read? We want to hear from you! The Library Team is conducting a survey of what the congregation would like to see in the church library. Surveys can be picked up in the library on Sunday mornings. Please fill out and return by June 29.
- 5. 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!
- 6. **Pembina Valley Pregnancy Care Centre Baby Bottle Campaign!** Take a baby bottle, fill it with cash or a cheque and bring the battle back before Father's Day. Check out the table in the foyer.



7. **Benevolent Fund:** The Deacon Committee would like to thank you for your donations to the Benevolent Fund, which is used to assist those struggling financially.

## **LOOKING AHEAD**

Tuesday, May 20 - Church Council Meeting - 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, May 21 - "The River" Youth Event at Winkler Park

Wednesday, May 21 - One Hope Canada - Heath Brothers Fundraising Concert - 7:00 p.m.

Sunday, May 25 - Sunday School - 9:00 a.m.; Worship Service - 10:30 a.m.

Sunday, May 25 - Newcomers' Lunch following the service

1. You're invited to a Newcomers' Lunch! Are you new to the WEMMC? We'd love to get to know you! Join us for a special newcomers' lunch on Sunday, May 25, in the chapel following the worship service. This will be a great opportunity to meet our church staff and leadership while



May 25, in the chapel following the worship service. This will be a great opportunity to meet our church staff and leadership while enjoying a delicious meal in a welcoming environment. This invitation is for everyone who has started worshipping with us with this past year or so. We'll be enjoying Pastor Tim's pulled pork on a bun, served with coleslaw, chips, drinks, and desserts.

 Mother's Day/Father's Day Morning Coffee: Join the Sunday School for morning coffee on June 8 from 9-10:20 a.m. in celebration of Mothers and Fathers. Please bring something to share! Cheese, fruit, pastries, etc. Feel free to get creative and meet us in the Fellowship Hall.



3. Save the Date: Women's Spring In the Valley event with Lana Alencar speaking on

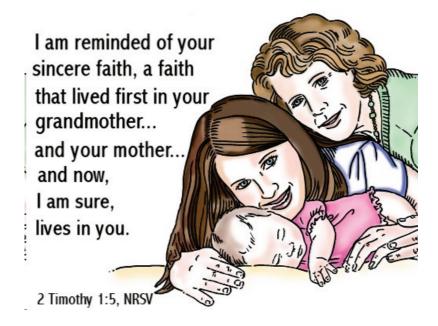


"Finding Joy in Life's Valleys". Thursday, May 29, 7:00 p.m., WEMMC Fellowship Hall. There will be a sign-up table in the foyer on May 11 & 18. Tickets are \$5 and bring a friend is optional. If you have any questions, come see one of the committee members: Judy Zacharias, Tracey Friesen, Becky Wall. It's a spring event, so come in your spring colors.

4. A part-time administrative assistance position is available immediately at EMMC Home Office in Winnipeg. Flexible schedule with 15 to 20 hours per week. Skills in social media, writing and attention to detail are a priority. For more info, contact Henry Redekopp at 204-253-7929 or <a href="mailto:henry@emmc.ca">henry@emmc.ca</a>.

## **MISSIONS & COMMUNITY EVENTS**

- 1. One Hope Canada Concert, 3 Heath Brothers, Wednesday, May 21, 7:00 p.m., Winkler EMM Church. Admission is free; rush seating. Doors open at 6 p.m. A freewill offering will be collected in support of the ministry of One Hope Canada.
- 2. Visit Winkler Bible Camp on May 31 and June 1 for awesome camp activities, tasty food and so much fun for your family and friends! Come for the whole day or just a few hours for the low price of \$5 per person. Every paying guest receives a free hotdog and other food and drinks are available for purchase. Admission charged per day. Visit their website for more information!



May 11, 2025 Mother's Day

Chris Pauls
Topic: "The Legacy of a Mother"

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Sunday School: 9:00 a.m. Worship Service: 10:30 a.m.

Lead Pastor: James Peters Discipleship Pastor: John Wiebe Youth Pastor: Tim Goertzen

Children's Ministry Director: Purity Zacharias