

## **PRAYER FOCUS - MARCH 26, 2017**

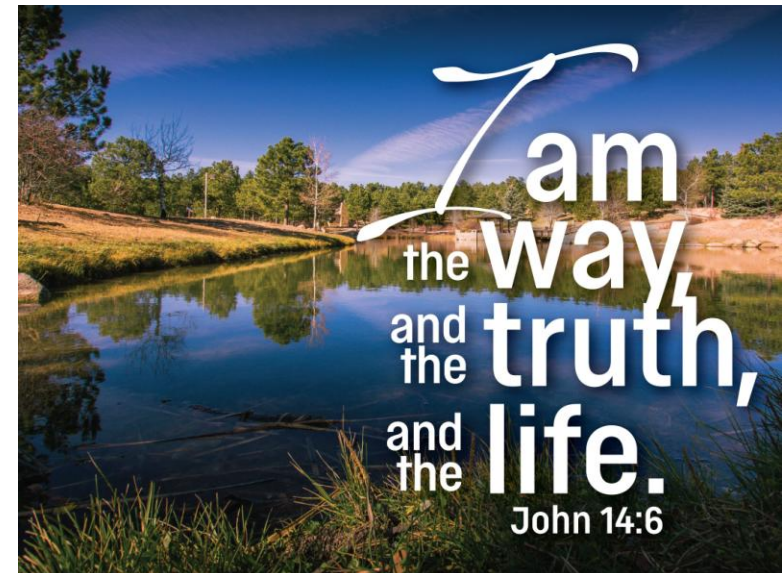
To activate the Prayer Chain, call:  
Ruth Wiebe: 306-931-2982 OR Mary Friesen: 306-382-5865

- Missions:** Please pray for Tami Zacharias, serving with Operation Mobilization in Port Colborne, ON. "While having oversight of the team sending Canadians into mission around the world, I also have a number of tasks to do myself. In the past few months, a lot of my time has been taken up with insurance, and health and safety compliance. If you think that sounds boring, you're right, it often is. In addition to my normal work in Canada, I've been participating in some international projects as well. I'm part of the team looking at redesigning the curriculum for a 'train the trainer' course offered across OM globally. Please pray for Renew, the new leadership journal, to encourage & equip OM leaders. Also pray for me to be faithful in all I do, and to operate with God's wisdom and love."
- Church Family:** Donny/Barb Regier - Colleen Rempel - Leo/Alice Scherr - Wayne Senger - Christopher Stein - Arie/Adrie Van Duyvendyck
- Illness:**
  - Pray for God's peace and comfort for Hilda Wiebe as she waits for a bed in the Palliative Care Wing @ St. Paul's Hospital.
  - Pray for Tina Fehr as she undergoes various tests to help her doctor determine exactly how best to help with her breathing difficulties.
  - Pray for Crystal Peters as she deals with severe morning sickness.
  - Pray for Margaret Busby, dealing with poor health.
  - Pray for Susan Harder, dealing with various health issues.
- Our church:** Pray for our Board of Business: Don Klassen, Jake Klassen, Darrell Loewen, and Steve Regehr.
- Sister Churches:**
  - Region #1, SK/AB: Hague Gospel Church: Jason/Melissa Duermeyer
  - Region #2, MB C: Austin Evangelical Fellowship: Colin/Dawn Bell
  - Region #3, MB S: Morden EMM Church: Kelly/Karen Lesser
  - Region #4, ON: Blenheim EMM Church: David/Maria Fehr
  - Region #6, Belize: Blue Creek EMMC: Diedrich/Katharina Dyck
- EMMC Missionaries:** Henry & Caroline Krahn serving in Santa Cruz, Bolivia.
- Westside Pastor's Group:** Pastor Rob Shepherd @ Westside Pentecostal Church.
- Para-Church Ministries:** Saskatoon Pregnancy Options Centre: Cathy LaFleche (Director).



*Welcome to*

**Sutherland  
Evangelical Church**



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**Pastor: Dale Doerksen**

**Youth Pastor: Chris Stein**

**Sunday School: 9:30AM**

**Worship: 10:30AM**

**March 26, 2017**

## **TODAY @ SEC**

9 AM: Pre-service Prayer Time in Toddler Room (every Sunday). All are welcome.

Ushers: Sheldon/Russ/Ruth Greeters: Maria/George & Verna

### **Order of Service**

**Prelude:** *Mandi Letkeman*

**Welcome & Prayer:** *Ken Peters*

**Worship in Song:** *His Praise*

**Testimony:** *Alex Chang*

**Ministry Reminders:** *Ken Peters*

**Worship in Giving-Offertory:** *Mandi Letkeman*

**Worship in Song:** *His Praise*

**Scripture Focus:** *Jeremiah 17:5-13 - Ken Peters*

**Children's Prayer:** *Ken Peters*

**Message:** *"Canadian Idol?" - Jeremiah 2, 14, 17:1-18 - Pastor Dale*

**Closing Song:** *His Praise*

**Benediction:** *Pastor Dale*

### **THIS WEEK @ SEC**

**Tuesday, 9:30AM:** *SEC Seniors' Pancake Breakfast! All seniors are welcome to attend. For more info, talk to George & Verna or John & Ruth.*

**Tuesday, 7PM:** *Heart of Worship practice.*

**Wednesday, 7PM:** *Growth Group @ SEC on heaven. In preparation read through Revelation 21 & 22 several times (in a few different translations). Everyone is welcome to attend.*

### **YOUTH & C&C**

**WEDNESDAY @ 7PM:** *Guys' Night - to be decided.*

**FRIDAY @ 7PM:** *Ladies' Night + Chris: "Living Second" followed by discussion.*

**SATURDAY @ 7PM:** *Youth/C&C Night - Games, devotional & a movie.*

### **NEXT SUNDAY @ SEC**

Ushers: *Pete/Darrell/James* - Greeters: *Betty/Don & Janice*

Worship Leader: *Kyle Peters* - Power Point: *Darlene*

Speaker: *Pastor Dale*

We will have a Prayer Service next Sunday following the worship service. Everyone is welcome to join this time of praying together. Submit your prayer request in the Prayer Jar on the back table.

*"My people have committed two sins: They have forsaken me, the spring of living water, and have dug their own cisterns, broken cisterns that cannot hold water." ~ Jeremiah 2:13*

### **SEC NEWS**

**Nominations:** Our Annual Elections Meeting is coming up in May and, prior to that, April 20<sup>th</sup> is the deadline for nominations. Please take time to read the yellow insert which offers guidance for this process.

**A note from our Drama Committee:** The drama we were hoping to do this spring is cancelled due to a lack of available actors. To all who are disappointed, please put drama on your calendar for fall. We would like to try to have something ready for Christmas. If we get enough interest, practices will be on Mondays. First practice will be Sept. 11.

**New Email Address** for George & Verna Froese: [geover34@gmail.com](mailto:geover34@gmail.com)

**Grocery Cupboard:** Thanks to all who helped with the most recent grocery shower we collected. The two families that we helped were deeply appreciative of your generosity. This has left our grocery cupboard depleted. If you can pick up some extra stuff for this on your next grocery trip that would be very helpful.

**April 14, 10:30AM:** Joint Good Friday service @ SEC. Please help yourself to some of the Good Friday service info cards on the back table, to aid you in inviting friends and neighbours to our service.

**Good Friday Choir:** If interested in joining the Good Friday choir (for our joint service), practices will be March 30, & April 6 at 8PM at Riverbend Church of God, and at SEC - 8PM, April 13. A keyboard player is also needed. Contact Doug Bitner at [doug.bitner@gmail.com](mailto:doug.bitner@gmail.com) or 306-290-3189 for any additional information.

**April 28-30:** Men's Quad Retreat. Info sheet (blue) available on back table.

**July 7-9:** The Gathering in Winnipeg, MB. Go to [www.emmc.ca](http://www.emmc.ca) for more info.

#### **Kadesh Corner:**

- Registration for summer camp is now open; 85% full.
- Thank you to everyone who attended our AGM last week.
- Applications for spring and summer staff positions have closed, however we are still looking for male cabin leaders. Ideally college age but those graduating high school this year would be considered.
- Leader In Training (LIT) program applications are open. The deadline for getting your application in is March 27<sup>th</sup>.
- We've had great response with people donating towards camper sponsorships. If you know of a camper that would need a sponsorship to come to camp, sponsorship forms are now available. Please contact our office for more information. We also would welcome those that would still like to donate towards this area, each dollar donated is an additional dollar that will be used to send children to camp
- We are in search of a heavy duty stapler for the office.

**\* Community Events are listed on the back of the sermon outline.**

## **Community Events**

**March 26 (today), 7PM:** Hymn Sing @ Forest Grove Church.

**March 31, 6:30PM:** Dutch Blitz Tournament at Kennedy's Parable Store.

**April 2, 7PM:** The Color in concert at West Portal Church

**April 7, 6:30PM:** Gospel Echoes Spring Banquet @ VCA. See poster for ticket info.

**April 7, 7PM:** Christian Counselling Services Spring Fundraiser with Phil Callaway @ Elim Church. Tickets available at CCS or Kennedy's Parable Store.

**April 7&8:** Illuminate, a Women's Journey of Faith weekend. Early bird ticket rates until March 25. See poster for details.

**April 26:** Teen Challenge SK Gala Banquet. Call 306-664-4673 for tickets.

**April 27:** An afternoon with Dr. Dave Currie, for pastors, ministers, counselors and ministry leaders. Circle Drive Alliance Church.  
Cost: \$20 at the door; RSVP at [www.saskatoonmarriagenetwork.ca](http://www.saskatoonmarriagenetwork.ca).  
Lunch: 12-1:30 - Topic: Life Balance.  
Session 1:30-5:00 - Topic: Overcoming the Battle with Pornography in Life & Marriage.

**April 28-29:** A Weekend of Impact @ Circle Drive Alliance Church featuring Dr. Dave & Donalyn Currie. Marriage 2.0 (Friday 9-5), i-Parent (Friday 6:30 - 9:30), Marriage Fusion 2:1 (Saturday 9-5). See poster for details.

**June 2-4:** Gospel Music Weekend at Alix, AB. Presented by Potters' Clay Quartet. See brochure on bulletin board for details.

## **Canadian Idol?**

Jeremiah 2; 14; 17:1-18 SEC March 26, 2017

### **Introduction:**

#### **A. Living Water:**

1. Obedience secures God's \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_. Jeremiah 2:1-3; 14:20-22; 17:12-18
2. Obedience is necessary to enjoy God's \_\_\_\_\_. Jeremiah 2:5-7; 14:1-9; 17:1-4.
3. Obedience brings \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_. Jeremiah 17:5-8

#### **B. Barrenness; Drought; Broken Cisterns**

1. The human heart is \_\_\_\_\_ - tells us to abandon the truth for \_\_\_\_\_.  
Jeremiah 2:11-13, 17, 19; 17:13
2. The human heart is \_\_\_\_\_ - tells us not to \_\_\_\_\_ ourselves or acknowledge our \_\_\_\_\_. Jeremiah 2:20-35; 14:20-22.
3. The human heart is \_\_\_\_\_ - tells us to reject God's sovereign \_\_\_\_\_ over us.  
Jeremiah 17:9-10

### **Conclusion:**

Obedience to \_\_\_\_\_ and His Word versus following your sinful \_\_\_\_\_.  
Drinking \_\_\_\_\_ water versus drinking from \_\_\_\_\_ cisterns.