

PRAYER FOCUS - APRIL 1, 2018

To activate the Prayer Chain, call Ruth Wiebe: 306-931-2982

- Missionaries:** Pray for Julie Zaragoza, serving in Mexico with Fishers of Men and Refuge Ranch: "When I gave my life to the Lord, and especially as I seek to serve Him as a missionary, I would hope that strong faith would characterize my living. However, more often than I wish to admit, Jesus' admonishment of, "O ye of little faith" seems to better describe me. Such the case has proven true regarding the need I recently shared with you for more reliable transportation for both the Evangelistic Medical Mission Crusades and my family here at Refuge Ranch. The ministry has been suffering a lack of decent vehicles for passengers, for both the crusades and the Ranch, as well as a vehicle for carrying all of our equipment for the medical crusades. We shared with you that we had placed a deposit on a 15 passenger van with donations from our Mexican crusade volunteers, but that over \$18,000 was still needed to bring the van home! Today, it gives me indescribable joy to share that: THE LORD HAS PROVIDED ALL THE FUNDS IN ORDER TO FINALIZE THE PURCHASE OF THE 15 PASSENGER VAN! The truck that we use to carry all of our medical supplies and equipment to the crusades broke down on the crusade in Feb. In fact, the vehicle is still four hours away from the Ranch where it broke down! We are actively seeking the appropriate vehicle for the crusade equipment and will keep you posted as the Lord leads that search! Please join us in prayer: 1) thanks to the Lord for His provision for the passenger van; 2) guidance in finding the right vehicle for the crusade equipment; 3) we can sell soon, and at a good price, the broken down crusade vehicle and the bus (which Mexican laws prevent us from using for our family and crusade) so that we can apply these funds towards the purchase of the cargo truck; 4) those who have felt the Lord's leading to give would do so to provide for the purchase of a reliable cargo truck for the crusades Thank you for walking this road with us, for praying, for giving and for rejoicing in all the Lord has done and will do! In Christ, Julie"
- Church Family:** Brock Neilson - Greg/Crystal Nelson, Liesel, Jorgen, Judah, Malek - Brendan/Jade Neufeld, Elizabeth - Colin/Samantha Neufeld, Gabriella, Lydia
- Prayer Requests:**
 - Pray for Aron and Tina Fehr, both struggling with health issues.
 - Pray for Myrtle Loeppky as she works at rehab at Parkridge Centre.
- Our church:** Pray for our MPSM Board members: Shirley Epp, Greg Nelson, Keenan Regehr.
- Sister Churches:**
 - Region #1, SK/AB: Hepburn Gospel Church: Ray/Sandy Sider
 - Region #2, MB C: Morrow Gospel Church, Winnipeg: Jacob/Arlene Friesen
 - Region #3, MB S: Bergfeld Mennonite Church: James/Rhonda Friesen
 - Region #4, ON: Blenheim EMM Church: Franz Wieler
 - Region #6, Mexico: Colonia Del Valle EMMC: Bernhard Dyck (Chair)
- EMMC Missionaries:** Bill Kehler, serving in Santa Cruz, Bolivia
- Westside Pastors' Group:** Pastor Kelly Allan - Victory Church.

Welcome to

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Sunday School: 9:30AM
Worship: 10:30AM

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"If you declare with your mouth, "Jesus is Lord," and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved." -Romans 10:9

TODAY:

9AM: Pre-service prayer time - Toddler Room.

Ushers: George/Verna/Russ

Greeters: Betty/John & Ruth

Prelude: Nancy Dyck

Worship Leader: Greg Nelson

Song Leader: His Praise

Offertory: Nancy Dyck

Scripture: John 11:17-37

Children's Church: Janie & Caden

Message: Pastor Dale



THIS WEEK @ SEC

TUESDAY, 7PM:

Heart of Worship practice

WEDNESDAY, 7PM:

Osler Growth Group

SATURDAY, 2:30 - 4:30PM:

The SEC church family is invited to a Come & Go Celebration @ SEC for Phil & Shirley's 40th Wedding Anniversary.



YOUTH/C&C

Check in with Pastor Chris for the upcoming schedule.

NEXT SUNDAY:

Communion Service: *Please prepare yourself to celebrate communion together.*

Ushers: Jake/Ken & Mary

Greeters: Sheldon/Debbie & George/Verna

Worship Leader: Greg N

Children's Church: Sheryl & Lacey

Power Point: Janice

Testimony: Karlie Loeppky

Message: *Guest Speaker: Darryl Neudorf*

SEC NEWS

Congratulations to Mike & Nwamaka Amu on the birth of their daughter, Brittany Kosisochim Amu! Brittany was born on Wednesday March 21st, weighed in at 8.8 lbs., and is a little sister to Bella and Brianna.



First Aid Course @ SEC: The registration fee of \$80 is due today. If you signed up for the First Aid Course (April 21), please see Darlene Loewen to confirm your registration.

Thanks to Darrell Loewen, Glen Neufeld, Dave Peters, Steve Regehr & Keenan Regehr for representing SEC as delegates at the MPSM Annual Meeting. Also thanks to Keenan Regehr for becoming SEC's newest MPSM board member.

Couples Shower for Peter and Amanda - Saturday, April 14th, 7PM @ church.



Membership Meeting, April 15. There will be a brief membership meeting after church, in the overflow area, to discuss two candidates for church membership: Glen Fehr & Karlie Loeppky.

Baptism Sunday, April 22, for Glen Fehr and Karlie Loeppky.

Men's Quad Retreat, May 25-27: See poster for details, or talk to Steve, James, Glen or LaVerne to register.

Community Calendar

April 5, 7PM: *The Collingsworth Family concert. Elim Church. Tickets @ Kennedy's.*

April 6, 7PM: *The Singing Hills in concert @ Cornerstone Church. Free will offering.*

April 7, 7PM: *Dessert Theatre @ Diefenbaker Drive Church. See poster.*

April 13, 7PM: *Christian Counselling Services' Spring Fundraiser @ Elim. Tickets \$20 @ Kennedy's; \$25 at the door.*

Apr 16, 7PM: *The Color concert at West Portal Church.*

April 19-22: *Because of Gracia, showing at the Roxy Theatre. See poster.*

April 21: *S'toon Prayer Breakfast @ Prairieland Park. Speaker: Dave/Donalyn Currie.*

April 21: *Power to Change Celebration Fellowship Dinner. See Alex Chang for details.*

April 25: *Teen Challenge SK Gala Banquet @ Prairieland; featuring Phil Callaway.*



I Want to Live!

John 11:1-45 SEC April 1/18

Introduction:

Jesus _____ has the power to defeat death.

A. Summary of the story:

1. Jesus is _____ of the need and seems reluctant to help; He is going to bring greater glory to God than with _____ healing. 11:1-7, 14-15
2. Jesus is _____ in God's power over death. "I am the _____ and the _____." 11:17-27
3. Jesus _____ over death and the pain it brings. Though He knows what He is going to do He still _____ with Mary & Martha. 11:33-38
4. Jesus _____ up to death and raises Lazarus with a shout. He alone has authority over _____. 11:40-44.

*Key Question: Do you _____ this? (26)

B. Application of the story:

1. _____: Signs alone cannot provoke saving faith. Some saw Lazarus rise and _____ to believe in Jesus.
2. _____ in the power of Jesus; He has _____ death.
3. _____ in the face of our own mortality; God will _____ those who trust in Jesus.

Conclusion:

If you like being _____, God has good news for you.

All those who repent of their sin and _____ in

Jesus will someday also be raised from the dead

with an _____ resurrected body