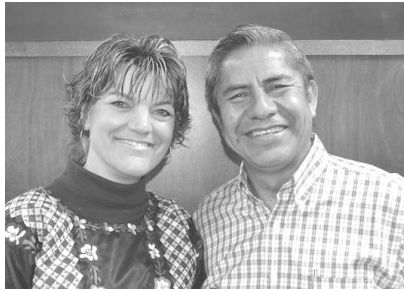


## PRAYER FOCUS - MAY 20, 2018

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

- Missionaries:** Pray for Ciro & Juanita Perez, working in Mexico with Grace Mission: "The highlight of the month was Youth Camp; two people were saved and 15 reconciled with the Lord. Twice a month we have women's meetings for coffee and prayer. We continue with home Bible studies. This month we have seen 5 people accept Christ. Because of distance, they have not come to church; please pray that the seed that was planted fell on fertile soil. Please pray for Ruth and three other single girls from Lluvias Church who are working with trafficked women and prostitutes. They go downtown to the street where these women work and eat a meal, do manicures and try to be their friends. A couple of women have started to be more regular at the meals and share a bit about their families. Pray for these women who haven't experienced love in their lives."
- SEC Family:** David/Olayinka Fasooto, Emmanuel, James, Rebecca - Glen/Merrinda Fehr, Emily, Sam - Greg/Teresa Fehr - Kaitlyn Fehr
- Prayer Requests:**
  - Pray for John Miller, recovering from surgery to have a pace-maker put in.
  - Weston Ens' eyelid surgery went well; pray for a good recovery.
  - Pray for Shirley Epp, recovering from hip replacement surgery.
  - Pray for Tina Fehr, dealing with chronic pain.
- SEC:** Pray for our Social Committee: Greg Fehr, Teresa Fehr, Lynnette Klassen, Jan McKechnie.
- Sister Churches:**
  - Region #1, SK/AB: Warman Gospel Church: John Yoder (Chair)
  - Region #2, MB C: Morrow Gospel Church: Jacob/Arlene Friesen
  - Region #3, MB S: Glencross Mennonite Church: Peter/Marian Redekopp
  - Region #4, ON: Deer Run Church: Ike/Maria Unger
  - Region #6, Belize: Spanish Lookout, EMMC: Blaine/Melissa Dueck
- EMMC Missionaries:** Arlie & Eva Peters, serving in Bolivia until July.
- Westside Pastors' Group:** Pastor Dale Doerksen @ SEC.
- Para-Church Ministries:** Expanding Youth Ministries - Ike Thiessen.
- Our condolences** to John & Tina Miller on the passing of their brother-in-law, Julius Loewen, who passed away on May 12<sup>th</sup>. The memorial service with be on May 25<sup>th</sup> at the Forest Grove Church.



Welcome to  
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Pastor: Dale Doerksen - Youth Pastor: Chris Stein  
Sunday School: 9:30AM - Worship: 10:30AM

**May 20, 2018**

*"The best hospitality is that which is given, not exchanged."*

### **TODAY:**

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

Ushers: Ken/Mary/Lindsay

Greeters: Alice/Phil/Shirley

Prelude: Leesa

Song Leader: Heart of Worship

Offertory: Amber

Children's Church: Sheryl/Ang

Message: Pastor Dale - Luke 14:12-24

### **THIS WEEK @ SEC**

#### **TUESDAY:**

*The church office will be closed.*

#### **TUESDAY, 9:30AM:**

*Moms' Group. All moms welcome!*

#### **TUESDAY, 7:30PM:**

*Bridal Shower for Kaitlyn Fehr.*

#### **WEDNESDAY-FRIDAY:**

*Pray for Pastor Dale who will be at a pastors' summit on discipleship with lead pastors from across the EMMC.*

*Pray for God to speak and for a good time of learning together.*

#### **FRIDAY -SUNDAY:**

*Men's Quad Retreat.*

### **YOUTH/C&C:**

*Talk to Pastor Chris for this week's schedule.*

### **NEXT SUNDAY**

Ushers: Ruth/Greg/Phil

Worship Leader: Pastor Chris

Greeters: Jake & Lynnette/Don & Janice

Power Point: Bonnie

Children's Church: Alicia & Greg

Message: Pastor Chris

## **SEC NEWS**



**Don't Miss**

**May 30, 7PM:** Annual Elections Meeting. Members, be sure to read the Report Books that were in your mailboxes last Sunday and plan to attend this important meeting. Also, you still have time to submit nominations for positions that need to be filled. If you would like to nominate someone, please talk to one of our Council members.

**June 3:** Communion Sunday.

**June 7:** SLB Meeting.

**June 10:** Church Family Picnic.

**Directory Updates:** There are a number of families that need to have their family pictures updated for the directory. Please talk to Bonnie today or sometime soon about getting it done. And if you consider SEC your home church but you are not in our directory, please pick up a Directory Form from the back table, fill it out and place it in mailbox #86.

**SEC Council** has decided to purchase an AED (automated external defibrillator) at a cost of approx. \$1600.00. They have designated the month of May to raise the funds required. Please mark your donation for this on the offering envelope as "AED Fund". Thank you!

**For The Bridge:** SEC will continue to focus on donations of shampoo and conditioner for the month of May. The goal is to have 25 bottles of each donated by month's end. The green bin by the mailboxes is ready to accept your donations! Thank you!

## **Community News**

**May 25, 7PM:** The Bridge Volunteer Appreciation Evening. Please RSVP by May 21st. 306-382-2855.

**May 26, 4PM:** RGBI Supper and Musical Program @ Smiley's Buffet Centre. RSVP by May 22. 204-254-3639 (RGBI Canada office) or 306-945-4722 (Tim).

**June 8 & 9:** MCC Relief Sale & Auction @ Prairieland Park. See poster for details.



## You Are Invited!

Luke 14:12-24 SEC May 20/18

### **Introduction:**

### **Context:**

At a \_\_\_\_\_ in a prominent home where folks were seeking places of honour. (14:1, 7)

### **Summary:**

- ↳ Use your privilege to help others, not advance your own \_\_\_\_\_. (12-14)
- ↳ Won't it be great to enjoy God's kingdom \_\_\_\_\_! (15)
- ↳ A man puts on a large banquet; makes \_\_\_\_\_, sends out final invite. (16-17)
- ↳ Guests bow out with various \_\_\_\_\_. (18-20)
- ↳ Host turns anger into \_\_\_\_\_.
  - Bring in the \_\_\_\_\_. (13, 21)
  - Bring in the \_\_\_\_\_. (22-23)
  - \_\_\_\_\_ the preoccupied and self-righteous. (24)

### **Application:**

- ↳ Absolution: Jesus = Host; chooses to respond to \_\_\_\_\_ with grace.
- ↳ Access: The invitation is open to \_\_\_\_\_; God is sufficient where we are not.
- ↳ Acceptance: No one is automatically \_\_\_\_\_; the invitation must be accepted. Those who \_\_\_\_\_ cut themselves off from fellowship with God.

### **Conclusion:**

Take-away from today's passage:  
God wants a \_\_\_\_\_ and fulfilling  
\_\_\_\_\_ with you.