

PRAYER FOCUS

JANUARY 20, 2019

To activate the Prayer Chain, call/email the church office or text Bonnie (306-229-7139).

1. **Missionaries:** Pray for:

a) Pray for Ken & Bertha Guenther, serving with SEND International: "We are thankful for this refreshing time on sabbatical, new things learned, new friends made and time with family. Please pray with us: that we will have the strength, wisdom and discipline to implement what we have learned; that the Lord will give us opportunities to disciple SEND missionaries; that we'll receive our passports from the Ukrainian embassy before Ken's trip from Saskatoon to Michigan (Jan 21); for funds needed for the Muslim workers consultation in Dec 2019."



b) Wayne Senger is leaving tomorrow (Jan 21) for a short-term mission trip to Mexico. Pray for safety and for God's will as Wayne seeks to serve.

2. **SEC Family:** Darrell/Darlene Loewen - Lorraine Loewen - Wilf/Anne Loewen - Jan McKechnie - Jeff/Sally Meadows - John/Tina Miller - Brock Neilson

3. **Celebrating a birthday this week:** Zach Loeppky (today), Mary Peters (Sat.), Wilf Loewen (Sat.).



4. **Prayer Requests:**

-Continue to pray for Aron & Tina Fehr - ongoing health issues.
-Pray for John & Ruth Wiebe. Praise the Lord, there has been a slight improvement in John's health. Please also pray for John's skin cancer surgery, scheduled for January 24th.

5. **SEC:** Pray for our New Beginnings Committee: Angela Ens, Amber Hamilton, Kirsten Neufeld, Janie Wiebe.

6. **Sister Churches:**

Region #1, SK/AB: Warman Gospel Church - John Yoder (Chair)
Region #2, MB C: Nassau Street Church, Winnipeg: Al/Monica Letkeman
Region #3, MB S: Altona EMM Church: Ken/Jeanne Dueck
Region #4, ON: Aylmer EMM Church: Michael/Anne Marie Krahn
Region #6, Belize: Gospel Fellowship Chapel, Shipyard: Pete/Tina Banman

7. **EMMC Missionaries:** Ruben & Guadalupe Mercado, serving in Santa Cruz, Bolivia

8. **Westside Pastors' Group:** Pastor Curtis Zoerb - Massey Place Community Church

9. **Para-Church Ministries:** Millar College of the Bible - Phil Ruten (President)

Welcome to

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Pastor: Dale Doerksen

Youth Pastor: Chris Stein

Sunday School: 9:30AM

Worship Service: 10:30AM



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TODAY

Name Tag Sunday: Please participate by picking up a name tag from the back table.

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

Ushers: Lyndon/James/Lindsay

Greeters: Don/Janice/Maria

Order of Service

Prelude: Amber Hamilton

Worship in Song: Heart of Worship

Scripture Focus: Job 2:1-13 - Greg Nelson

Ministry Reminders: Greg Nelson

Worship in Giving-Offertory: Lacey Wiebe

Prayer Time: Pastor Dale

Worship in Song: Heart of Worship

Children's Prayer: Greg Nelson

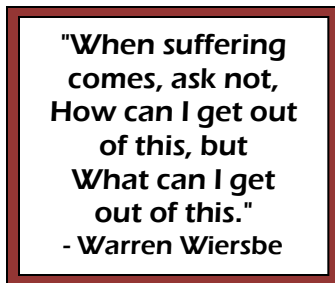
Message: "Faith: Up Close & Personal"
- Job 2:1-13 - Pastor Dale

Communion

Benevolence Offering

Closing Song: Heart of Worship

Benediction: Pastor Dale



"When times are good, be happy; but when times are bad, consider this: God has made the one as well as the other. Therefore, no one can discover anything about their future."
-Ecclesiastes 7:14

THIS WEEK @ SEC

WEDNESDAY, 9:30AM: Moms' Group. All moms welcome.

WEDNESDAY, 6PM: Session 2 of Alpha. Please come and bring a friend or neighbour who may have questions about God or Christianity. We begin with supper at 6PM and wrap up by 8PM. For those who do not attend, please pray for God to open hearts to His Word.



YOUTH/COLLEGE & CAREER

THURSDAY: Guys' Night in The Beacon. Devotional & Nerf war.

FRIDAY, 7PM: Devotional & sledding. Meet in the Beacon.

SATURDAY, 6:40PM: Ladies' Night + Chris. Devotional & visitation.
Meet at Roni & Tori's by 6:40PM.



NEXT SUNDAY

Ushers: Lindsay/Keenan/Jake

Prelude: Mandi

Sound: Brendan

Children's Church: Alicia & Caley

Greeters: Phil & Shirley/Pete & Mary

Power Point: Darlene

Worship Leader: Pastor Chris

Message: Pastor Dale - Job 3:1-26

SEC NEWS

From our pastor: Last week we started a series on the life of Job, with a focus on mental health. It would be helpful to read through Job a few times in the next month or two. I would also like to include some mental health testimonies in our services. Others can be encouraged by hearing how you cope in the midst of your mental health challenges. Contact Pastor Dale if you are willing to share a testimony.

From John & Ruth Wiebe: We wish to express our gratitude to the church family for all of your love and support through your prayers, meals, groceries, cards, messages of encouragement through texts and emails. We continue to covet your prayers as there has been a slight improvement in John's health over the last several weeks. In addition, please also pray for John's skin cancer surgery scheduled for Thursday, Jan. 24. We miss you all. With love, John & Ruth.

Directory Update: Please update your directory with the following new address for Arie & Adrie Van Duyvendyk: Luther Riverside Terrace 411 - 915 Saskatchewan Cres. Saskatoon SK S7M 0M7 (phone number remains the same)

8th Annual Men's Quad Retreat: April 26-28. See insert.

MPSM (Camp Kadesh) Annual Meeting: 7PM, March 11, 2019 at Dalmeny Bible Church.

The Women's Sunday School Class will be starting a new study on February 10th called "It's Not Supposed to Be This Way" by Lysa Terkeurst. To make sure we have enough study books, please sign up on the sheet at the back or let Bonnie know that you will be attending. We meet in the board room each Sunday and all women are welcome.

Question from our Social Committee: "Do you have a CROKINOLE BOARD (not the buttons, just the board) that the Social Committee could borrow? Please call Jan at 306-343-1424 and leave a message (Jan doesn't text). Thanks!"

Fusion 2:1 Marriage Retreat: Feb. 22-24 at Manitou Springs Resort Centre. Our church is one of several sponsoring this retreat. Contact the church office for info or to register.

Kadesh News: (1) We continue in the season of hiring. (2) This past week we started into our winter school programming. (3) Looking ahead to Spring/Summer we are looking for another trailer for camp. If you have an older trailer you are looking to sell or donate, please contact us in the camp office. We're not looking for large or beautiful but simply a good trailer for one married couple to sleep and have a small amount of personal space at camp. (4) Thank you for your continued prayers and support.

Community Events

Jan. 20, 7PM. City wide Hymn Sing at Cornerstone Church. Everyone welcome. Refreshments to follow.

Feb. 22/19: Date Night Tour @ Elim Church, sponsored by Focus on the Family. Clean comedy for couples. Ticket (\$15) info at: FunandFaith.ca. See poster.

March 1-2: Sisterhood YXE Conference @ Elim Church. See poster.

March 23, 8:45AM - 5PM: Promise Keepers Men's Conference @ Cornerstone Church (1315 Lenore Drive). Register at www.promisekeepers.ca. Early-bird pricing until March 5th. See poster.

Faith: Up Close & Personal

Job 2:1-13

Background to the book of Job:

1. Divine Justice - Retribution Principle
2. The Suffering of the righteous - Understanding God and circumstance
3. True wisdom is to devote one's self to our creator.

Structure:

- Chaps. 1&2 - Job's tests.
- Chap. 3 - Job's sorrow.
- Chaps. 4-31 - Dialogue between Job & three friends.
- Chaps. 32-37 - Elihu's response.
- Chaps. 38-42 - God answers Job.
- Chaps. 40&42 - Job's repentance and restoration.

Introduction: Purpose of Chapter 2

Satan believes Job will curse God if He is personally attacked.
God believes Job will endure even if he is personally attacked.

A. Job's disease was:

1. _____ & extreme.
2. Incurable & _____.
3. _____ & demoralizing.
4. Isolating & _____.

B. Job's response was:

1. A continual _____ to be a person of integrity (3).
2. A compassionate _____ towards his wife (9-10).
3. A _____ commitment to trust God (10-13).

Application:

1. Persevere in the face of _____.
2. Persevere despite the discouragement of _____.
3. Consider God's _____ - we cannot do _____.
4. Consider our _____ - hurt people, _____ people.

Conclusion: Job _____ the test.