

PRAYER FOCUS – FEBRUARY 23, 2020

“Devote yourselves to prayer, keeping alert in it with an attitude of thanksgiving.” – Colossians 4:2

To activate the Prayer Chain, call/email the church or text Bonnie.
If you would like to be a part of the prayer chain, please contact the church office.

- Missionaries:** Pray for Nate and Tash, serving with Ethnos Canada: “Here we are in the 2nd month of 2020. I have tried to write a little update every week for our private Facebook group. If you have a Facebook account and would like to be a part of that group, please contact us to make that happen (nateenns@ethnos.ca). One change that is coming for me (Nate) involves analyzing stats for engagement by the public with a book called “From Darkness to Light”. Tash has been busily getting ready for our mission to switch life and health insurance providers. This year there is no class of new students being trained here at Durham. Despite the disappointment it has opened up a lot of housing on campus for missionaries who ‘unexpectedly’ needed somewhere to stay (none of this was unexpected to God). Prayer Requests: For wisdom as we try to make the best of our time (especially in the times we can’t see the value of our contributions); For God’s call to be missionaries for kids and youth coming to learn about missions this summer. Praise God: For the mechanic who fixed our van and for friends who lent us their extra car.; For the people preparing to be trained as missionaries in the Fall of 2020.”
- Birthdays:** Kirsten Neufeld (Tuesday)
- Church Family:** Paul/Liz Ginther – Betty Guenter – Arlen/Arleen Guenther, Declan – Justin/Amber Hamilton, Lincoln, Kinley – Shawn Harms
- Pray for:**
 - Pray for Amanda Scherr who is dealing with health issues.
 - Pray for 5-year-old Rhodes McNair and his family as they adjust to life around Rhode’s cancer treatments.
- SEC:** Pray for our Board of Christian Education: Darlene (Director), Mandi (Children’s Church), Karen (Librarian), Rachel (Sunday School), Chris (Youth)
- Sister Churches:**
 - Region #1, SK/AB: Sutherland Evangelical Church: Dale/Sheryl Doerksen
 - Region #2, MB C: Bagot Community Chapel: Michael/Janice Fehr
 - Region #3, MB S: Winkler EMM Church: Dale/Lori Dueck
 - Region #4, ON: Blenheim EMM Church: Aron/Annie Wiebe
 - Region #6, Belize: Blue Creek EMMC: John/Marian Krahn
- EMMC Missionaries:** Bill Kehler in Santa Cruz, Bolivia
- Westside Pastors’ Group:** Keith Pankratz – Pleasant Hill Mennonite Church
- Parachurch Ministries:** Grace Missions – Eugene Ens

Welcome to

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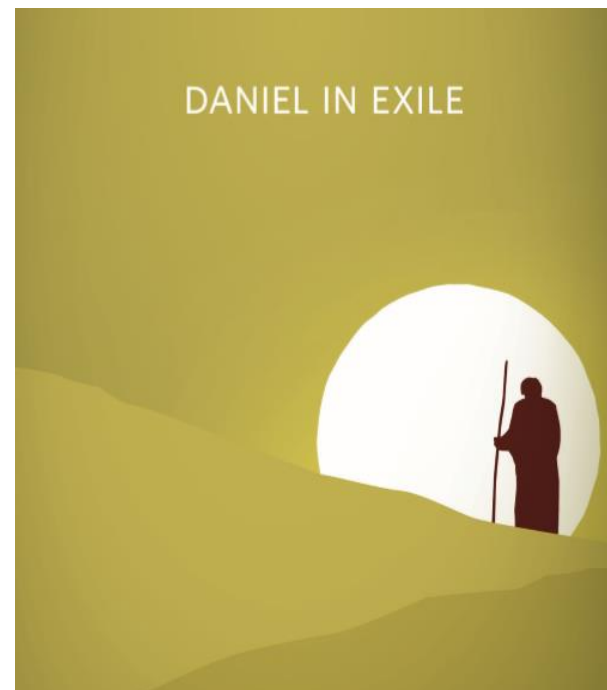
Lead Pastor: Dale Doerksen

Youth Pastor: Chris Stein

Sunday School: 9:30AM

Worship Service: 10:30AM

DANIEL IN EXILE



February 23, 2020

TODAY – COMMUNION SUNDAY

“When Jesus had given thanks, he broke it and said, “This is my body, which is for you; do this in remembrance of me.” – 1 Corinthians 11:24

USHERS: Phil/Russ/Greg F

GREETERS: Jake & Lynnette/Alice

OFFERTORY: “Great is Thy Faithfulness”

OFFERING COUNTER: Keenan

CHILDREN’S CHURCH: Kirsten & Caden

SCRIPTURE FOCUS: Daniel 6:1-14

(p 257 The Story OR p 725 in pew Bible)

THIS WEEK

TUESDAY, 7PM: Heart of Worship practice

WEDNESDAY, 9:30AM: Moms’ Group

– All moms welcome!

WEDNESDAY, 7PM: Young Couples Growth Group

YOUTH / C&C

WEDNESDAY, 7PM: Ladies’ Night + Chris – Devotional / Skating

THURSDAY, 7PM: Guys’ Night – Romans 16 / Movie or TV

FRIDAY, 7PM: Youth Night – Devotional / Bowling

NEXT SUNDAY

Ushers: Dustin/Keenan/Lindsay

Prelude: Betty

Worship Leader: Pastor Dale

Children’s Church: Crystal N/Amber

Message: “The Return Home” – Chapter 19 of The Story

Greeters: Sheldon/Debbie/Maria

Offertory: Karlie & Zach

Offering Counter: Russ

Power Point: Darlene

DATES TO REMEMBER

Thursday March 5, 7PM: SEC Annual Membership Budget Meeting.

Friday March 6, 7PM: Camp Kadesh AGM @ the Martensville Mission Church. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Sunday March 8: SEC Fellowship Lunch

Sunday March 15: Submissions due for *The SEC Connection*. Please submit your article or info to Karen Neufeld or the church office.

Friday April 10, 10:30AM: Good Friday Joint Service @ SEC.

If you are 7 to 12 years old, please pick up a BLUE sermon outline from the back table that has been prepared for you! At the end of the service, take your filled in outline to Pastor Dale for a treat. There will be a monthly draw for a prize, so be sure to have your name on it!

SEC NEWS

Baptism classes will begin in March. Let Pastor Dale know if you are interested or have any questions.

The Adult Sunday School Class is enjoying their study of the book of Revelation and all adults are welcome to join in. They meet in the overflow area each Sunday at 9:30AM.

Directory Updates: Have you made SEC your home church recently? Welcome! We’d love to stay connected with you by having you added to our church directory. Email or phone the church office to get the ball rolling or pick up a Directory Form from the back table.

Good Friday Choir: You are invited to join a combined choir for the Good Friday service. Rehearsals will take place at Massey Place Community Church, 930 Northumberland Ave. at 6:30PM on the Thursday evenings of March 12, 26 and Apr 2. There will also be a short rehearsal & sound check at Sutherland Evangelical Church on Thurs. Apr 9. **Please note: There will be NO rehearsal on March 19.** Contact Pastor Karen Kotanko for more details at 306-291-3797; k_pace@hotmail.com.

The Warman Gospel Church is asking for assistance in the form of a Provisional Council made up of Region One leaders to provide interim leadership as they work towards a “restart”. If you can serve in this way, please contact the church office.

The editors (Karen & Bonnie) of *The SEC Connection* newsletter are looking for submissions of articles about recent or current happenings in our church as well as information about anything that is being planned. If you have something to add, please talk to (or email) them!

Benevolence Pantry Needs: We especially need pasta, spreads (peanut butter, jam, cheese spread), canned meat & canned veggies. Thank you for supporting this ministry!

COMMUNITY NEWS

Feb 23, 7PM: Sunday Night Praise @ Forest Grove Community Church

March 16: Child Evangelism Fellowship banquet @ SEC. RSVP www.cefsask.org/rsvp or 1.800.561.5315. \$5/ticket. See poster.

March 28, 7PM: Chocolate FUNdue Awareness FUNdraiser at The Bridge on 20th. Live entertainment, games, dessert auction & testimonies! \$20/person. For tickets or info go to thebridgesaskatoon.com.

April 3-4: BreakForth Alive Saskatoon @ Rock of Ages Church. Early bird prices in effect; likely to sell out quickly. Go to BreakForthMinistries.com for info or tickets. See poster.



Daniel in Exile

Daniel 1-6; Jeremiah 29-31 - SEC - Feb 23/20

Introduction:

What can we learn from Daniel's example?

1. Daniel displayed courage and _____. Daniel 1-2
2. Daniel was diligent and _____. Daniel 2, 5-6
3. Daniel remained _____ and respectful. Dan. 4-6
 - ↳ Pride will not allow you to accept _____.
Proverbs 11:2
 - ↳ Pride will not allow you to accept guidance.
Proverbs 13:10
 - ↳ Pride will not allow you to accept _____.
Proverbs 16:18
4. Daniel stayed _____ and trustworthy. Daniel 6
5. Daniel showed _____ and devotion. Daniel 2, 4-6

Conclusion:

May the _____ of God's
_____ be equally _____ in us.