

## PRAYER FOCUS – APRIL 11, 2021

To activate the Prayer Chain, call/email the church or text Bonnie.

- 1. Missionary Focus:** Pray for Joel and Amber Cera, serving with Christlike Ministries in Mexico: “Recent ministry opportunities have opened up for Pastor Joel and the Villa Esperanza Church. Immigrants from such places as Haiti and Cuba have been arriving in and around Ciudad Juarez, (Juarez City) with hopes that they will be permitted to enter the USA, due to recent changes in the presidency. Immigrants have been settling in along the border crossing between Juarez and El Paso, Texas. Joel has been to minister to these immigrants along the border who have congregated on the Mexican side, with food, drink and gospel literature. He has also become aware of a community of immigrants who have settled in the Anapra neighborhood in northern Juarez, the part of the city closest to the border crossing. This community of around 300 people have really appreciated pastor Joel's visits with food, drinks, gospel literature, etc. Since Christlike's designated drug rehab center property (situated about ten blocks from our Outreach Center) has not taken root, Joel envisions using the property to house displaced immigrants. Recently a family from Haiti was housed on the Outreach Center for several days, in a spare room in the duplex. The three-times-weekly food distribution from the rehab property continues into the neighbourhood. The Villa Esperanza Church continues to thrive. Joel and Amber thank SEC for continued support of their ministry.”
- 2. Birthdays:** Janice Klassen (13<sup>th</sup>), Nathan Wiebe (17<sup>th</sup>)
- 3. Church Family:** Shawn/Ashleigh Klassen, Avery – Jack/Jia Lee, Soyul, Yunui – Brayden Letkeman – Debbie Letkeman – Jordyn Letkeman
- 4. SEC:** Board of Christian Education: Adam Fehr (Youth), Darlene Loewen (Director), Carol Janzen (Sunday School), Karen Neufeld (Library). Pray for the numerous areas of church ministry that this board covers as well as the need to fill the Children's Church Coordinator position.
- 5. Prayer Requests:**
  - Ralph Nicotine has been unwell. Pray for healing.
  - John & Ruth Wiebe
  - Tina Fehr
- 6. Sister Churches:**
  - Region #1, SK/AB: Hague Gospel Church: currently without a pastor.
  - Region #2, MB C: Morrow Gospel Church, Winnipeg: Jacob/Arlene Friesen
  - Region #3, MN S: Bergfeld Mennonite Church: James/Rhonda Friesen
  - Region #4, ON: Aylmer EMM Church: Michael/Anne Marie Krahn
  - Region #6, MX: Colonia Del Valle: Diedrich/Tina Dyck
- 7. EMMC Missionaries:** Diedrich & Judy Harms, serving in Mexico/Texas
- 8. Westside Pastors' Group:** Adam Wiebe at Bay Park Baptist Church
- 9. Parachurch Ministries:** Impact Canada Ministries – Michael Ruten

Welcome to  
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Lead Pastor: Dale Doerksen - Youth Pastor: Adam Fehr

Sunday School: 9:30AM

Worship Service 10:30AM

**April 11, 2021**

## WELCOME TO CHURCH!

Thank you for adhering to COVID protocols: masks, physical distancing, etc.

### ORDER OF SERVICE:

PRELUDE: *Eva Regehr*

WELCOME & CALL TO WORSHIP: *Ken Peters*

OPENING PRAYER: *Ken Peters*

PRAISE & WORSHIP: *Worship Team*

MINISTRY REMINDERS: *Ken Peters*

SCRIPTURE FOCUS: *Mark 14:1-11 – Ken Peters*

CHILDREN'S STORY: *Sheryl Doerksen*

PRAISE & WORSHIP: *Worship Team*

MESSAGE: *"Extravagant Love" – Mark 14:1-11 – Pastor Dale*

CLOSING SONG: *Worship Team*

BENEDICTION: *Pastor Dale*

USHERS:  
*James/Sheldon/Russ*  
OFFERING COUNTER:  
*Russ*

All submissions for  
*The SEC Connection*  
newsletter must be  
in by today (11<sup>th</sup>).

No offering will be taken – your offering/tithe can be dropped off in the Offering Box by the entrance. Etransfer available: [treasurer@sutherlandevangelicalchurch.com](mailto:treasurer@sutherlandevangelicalchurch.com)

## THIS WEEK

WEDNESDAY, 7PM: Bible study on Mark 13:1-37. Join us at the church **OR** connect by Zoom (connect via the link sent to your email each Tuesday/Wednesday - you do not need to reply to the email). Prayer requests for our prayer time can be sent to [pastordale@sutherlandevangelicalchurch.com](mailto:pastordale@sutherlandevangelicalchurch.com).

## YOUTH / C&C

THURSDAY, 7-9PM: College & Career Night

FRIDAY, 7-9PM: Youth Night

## NEXT SUNDAY

- 9:30AM: Sunday School for all ages!
- 10:30AM: Worship Service – **Communion Sunday**  
- come with prepared hearts.
- If you are unable to join us in person, join in on our live-streamed service, on our YouTube channel: Sutherland Evangelical Church.



USHERS: *Greg F / Lyndon / Darrell*

WORSHIP LEADER: *Pastor Dale*

OFFERING COUNTER: *Darrell*

POWER POINT: *Roni*

SOUND: *John B / Grant*

MESSAGE: *Mark 14:32-42 – "Facing the Hard Stuff in Life"*

## DATES TO REMEMBER

APRIL 19: Kadesh AGM, via Zoom. To participate, email [tim@campkadesh.com](mailto:tim@campkadesh.com) for an invitation link and package.

APRIL 22, 7PM: Council meeting in church.

MAY 1, 9AM: Guys' Quadding Day: A ride for the day in Nisbet Forest. Everyone is asked to find their own way there, bring your own lunch and supplies. We will meet at the Hague Shell at 9AM and leave for the trails at 9:30---Rain or Shine! See you there!

MAY 26, 7PM: Spiritual Life Board meeting in church. Pastor Dale hosting.

JUNE 4, 5, 6: The EMMC Gathering 2021 @ SEC. "Rooted – Rising to His Call." Available online. For more info go to [www.emmc.ca/the-gathering-2021/](http://www.emmc.ca/the-gathering-2021/)



## SEC NEWS

**Congratulations** to Pastor Dale & Sheryl on the birth of their third granddaughter, Kendra Lynn Doerksen, firstborn of Eric & Jill Doerksen. Kendra was born on April 7<sup>th</sup>, weighing 9lbs. 1oz. and 20.5".



**Church Pews:** Our pews are to be replaced with interlocking chairs. If you would like an old pew, contact one of the Business Board members: Don Klassen, Brendan Neufeld or LaVerne Wiebe. A small donation would be welcomed but not necessary.

**Sutherland School Food Hampers:** The school principal mentioned that they need: shirts, pants, socks (any kid's size), as well as lice shampoo. If anyone would like to donate these items, they can be put in the food bin in the kitchen (food donations remain a priority). April deadline: April 25<sup>th</sup>. Monetary donations should be made through the offering (cash / cheque / etransfer).

### Kadesh Report:

- The last year has been difficult and full of hard decisions. The only financial option for Camp Kadesh was significant layoffs. We bid farewell to Karen Kruger, Jack Liddle & Tim Maier. We wish them the best & God's blessing on new positions that they have found. We are cautiously beginning the search for a new Site Manager and Food Service Manager. Someone for a two-month contract position to be our cook for July/August. If interested, contact Tim Good (306) 940-7372 or [tim@campkadesh.com](mailto:tim@campkadesh.com). Pray that we would be able to rebuild our fulltime staff.
- Applications are open for all summer staff positions. For more info see our website [www.campkadesh.com](http://www.campkadesh.com) click on "Team", then "Summer Employment." Pray that we would find the perfect staff for the summer.
- April 19-AGM, via Zoom. Delegates from member churches will be emailed a Zoom link directly and AGM package directly. Individuals that are not delegates but would like to be a part of the meeting can email [tim@campkadesh.com](mailto:tim@campkadesh.com) for an invitation link and package. Pray for this annual meeting. God is good.

## Extravagant Love

Mark 14:1-11 – SEC – April 11/21

### Introduction:

#### A. Summary:

1. The plot against Jesus (1-2).
  - ↳ Jesus was presumed \_\_\_\_\_ – plan to arrest and kill him.
  - ↳ Chief priests are restrained because of the \_\_\_\_\_.
2. The anointing of Jesus (3-5)
  - ↳ Woman covers Jesus with \_\_\_\_\_ perfume.
  - ↳ Disciples rebuke her for being \_\_\_\_\_.
3. The response of Jesus (6-9).
  - ↳ Jesus \_\_\_\_\_ the woman and her sacrifice.
  - ↳ Jesus alludes to his death and \_\_\_\_\_.
4. The betrayal of Jesus (10-11).
  - ↳ Judas devises a plan to \_\_\_\_\_ Jesus to his enemies.
  - ↳ The chief priests agree to \_\_\_\_\_ him for this.

#### B. Application:

1. No sacrifice for God is \_\_\_\_\_.
2. Jesus is not disregarding the \_\_\_\_\_.
3. How much is too much \_\_\_\_\_ to Christ?

### Conclusion:

**By his extravagant gift, Jesus brought the \_\_\_\_\_ of salvation to our world. Through our extravagant love, that message of grace can \_\_\_\_\_ to go forth.**