

PRAYER FOCUS – APRIL 18, 2021

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

- 1. Missionary Focus:** Pray for Jake & Dorothy Fehr, serving in Bolivia with the Great Commission Foundation: “We arrived in Bolivia on February 12th. Thank you for your prayers. We had a wonderful welcome from our Bolivia friends. On March 1st RCB hired a new Spanish radio broadcaster, Ruben Salazar. We are excited about doing live Spanish broadcasting. Jake has been busy catching up with the programming and radio equipment since being back. He continues to do the Low German news each week. The Shekinah Centre has been busy. Dorothy is in charge of the bookings and the guest apartment has been full most nights. It is a joy to serve the missionaries that come in from the country and international guests. Please pray that we will be a blessing and encouragement to all whom we host and serve. Pray for Jake and the staff as they plan expanding/improvements to the radio station in Concepcion City (cost estimate of \$20,000). Thank you for your prayers and support! – Jake & Dorothy”
- 2. Birthdays:** Verna Froese (18th), John Miller (18th), Myrtle Loepky (22nd), Russ Ens (23rd), Dave Peters (24th), Hazel Regehr (24th).
- 3. Church Family:** John/Mandi Letkeman, Cassidy, Aviannah – Carl/Myrtle Loepky – Grant/Anita Loepky – James/Sheryle Loepky – Veronica Loepky
- 4. SEC:** Board of Missions: Greg Fehr, Darrell Loewen, Crystal Nelson, Greg Nelson
- 5. Prayer Requests:**
 - Zach, a single friend of LaVerne’s, has been diagnosed with stage 4 pancreatic cancer and given approx. one year to live. Zach is a non-believer. Pray for him and his family.
 - Pray for university/college students who are currently writing exams.
 - Ralph Nicotine is having a colonoscopy to help determine the cause of his ill health. Pray for clear results and diagnosis.
- 6. Sister Churches:**
 - Region #1, SK/AB: Hepburn Gospel Church: Jesse/Kelsey Doell
 - Region #2, MB C: Nassau Street Church: Al/Monica Letkeman
 - Region #3, MN S: Glencross Mennonite Church: Peter/Audrey Redekopp
 - Region #4, ON: Blenheim EMM Church: Aron/Annie Wiebe
 - Region #6, BZ: Spanish Lookout: Blaine/Melissa Dueck
- 7. EMMC Missionaries:** Willie & Margaret Enns, serving in Santa Cruz, Bolivia.
- 8. Westside Pastors’ Group:** Curtis Zoerb @ Massey Place Community Church
- 9. Parachurch Ministries:** Saskatoon Pregnancy Options Centre: “I am excited to share the news that after a diligent interview process of several promising candidates, (thank you to all who applied), the SPOC board has offered the position of Executive Director to Dorothea Cook, of Newcastle, England, soon to be of Saskatoon, Saskatchewan. Please pray for Dee and her family as they cross the Atlantic to make their home in our city, province, and country. – Cathy LeFleche”

Welcome to

Sutherland Evangelical Church



*Watch and
pray so that
you will not
fall into
temptation.
The spirit is
willing, but
the flesh is
weak.”*

Mark 14:38

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Lead Pastor: Dale Doerksen - Youth Pastor: Adam Fehr

First Sunday Service: 9:30AM – Second Sunday Service: 11:00AM

April 18, 2021

WELCOME TO CHURCH!

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

ORDER OF SERVICE:

PRELUDE: *Mary Friesen*

WORSHIP IN SONG: *Betty Guenter*

MINISTRY REMINDERS: *Pastor Dale*

SCRIPTURE FOCUS: *Mark 14:32-42*

WORSHIP IN SONG: *Betty Guenter*

COMMUNION SERVICE

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

CLOSING SONG: *Betty Guenter*

BENEDICTION: *Pastor Dale*

THIS WEEK

MONDAY: *Kadesh AGM, via Zoom, for those who have registered. To participate, email tim@campkadesh.com for an invitation link and package.*

WEDNESDAY, 7PM: *Bible study on Mark 14:1-72. (overflow area or on Zoom)*

THURSDAY, 7PM: *Council meeting in the church overflow area.*

YOUTH / C&C

THURSDAY, 7-9PM: *College & Career Night*

FRIDAY, 7-9PM: *Youth Night*

NEXT SUNDAY

- Two worship services: 9:30AM & 11:00AM. You should have received an email concerning registration.
- If you are willing to help clean between services, please let the office know.
- Those serving in the worship time (ushers, cleaners, sound, music, etc.), do not need to register.
- If you are unable to join us in person, join in our live-streamed service, on our YouTube channel: Sutherland Evangelical Church.

USHERS: 9:30AM – *Lindsay & Ken* 11:00AM – *George & Nathan*

WORSHIP LEADER: *Pastor Adam* OFFERING COUNTER: *George*

POWER POINT: *Bonnie* SOUND: *LaVerne*

MESSAGE: *"Daniel's Integrity & Faith" – Daniel 1*

USHERS:

9:30AM - *Dave & Lyndon*

11:00AM - *Greg F & Darrell*

OFFERING COUNTER:

Darrell



No offering will be taken – your offering/tithe can be dropped off in the Offering Box by the entrance. Etransfer available: treasurer@sutherlandevangelicalchurch.com. If you are a first-time donor, please provide your mailing address when sending an e-transfer. Cheques can be mailed or dropped off at the church office. Do not send cash through the mail.

DATES TO REMEMBER

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/

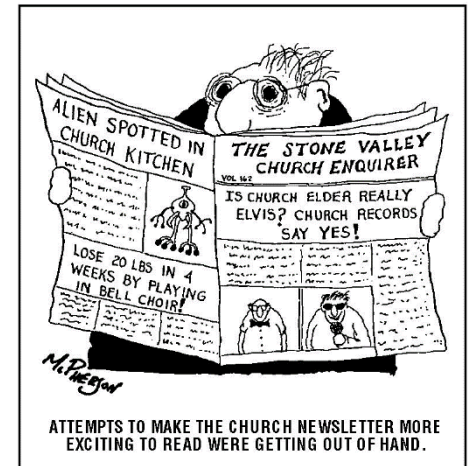
SEC NEWS

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 Hampers: The school principal mentioned that they need: shirts, pants, socks (any kid's size), as well as lice shampoo. Any donated items, including food, can be placed in designated bin by exit door (northwest corner). April deadline: April 25th. Monetary donations should be made through the offering (cash/cheque/ettransfer).

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 Little & 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. Pray that we would be able to rebuild our fulltime staff.
- Applications are open for all summer staff positions. For info see our website www.campkadesh.com click on "Team", then "Summer Employment." Pray that we would find the perfect staff for the summer.



Facing the Hard Stuff in Life

Mark 14:32-42 – SEC – April 18, 2021

Introduction:

A. How to face life's challenges:

1. Identify _____ in our situation – move beyond _____ . (33-34)
 - a) Name our regret.
 - b) _____ our loss.
 - c) Cast our cares on God.
 - d) _____ – do not let discouragement become despair.

2. Find _____ in the presence and understanding of others – don't face difficulty _____ . (32-34, 37)

3. Maintain a _____ to God's authority – while God is able to relieve us, He may choose _____ to. (35-36)

4. Be _____ to obey – we can only resist temptation as we _____ and pray. (38-40)

5. _____ to follow God's will – face the challenges _____ on. (41-42)

B. Application – Watch & Pray:

_____ up!

- ↳ To sleep is to stop _____.
- ↳ To sleep is to reject God's _____.
- ↳ To sleep is to trust in our own _____.

Conclusion: