

## **PRAYER FOCUS – JUNE 12, 2022**

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

1. **Missionary Focus:** Pray for Pete & Cathy Dyck, serving in Mexico with WEC International: "Recently we were reminded to not give up doing good, with the promise that we will reap in God's perfect timing. In Corupo we are continuing to develop friendships with unbelieving families. Pray that God would give clarity when sharing. We are starting an English class for children. We can't, at this point, do a Bible club so we have a brief discussion, focusing on building character, instilling Biblical truths in an indirect way. Pray that God would use our efforts. Pray for Mr.



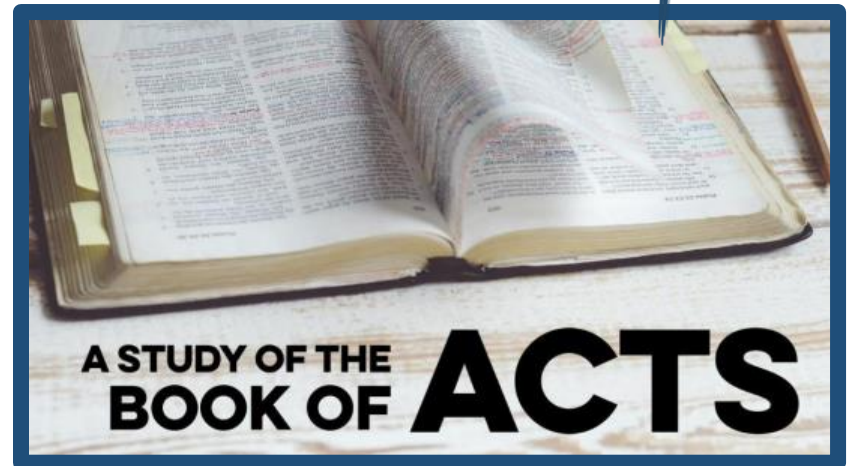
Joaquin who lost his wife 1.5 years ago and then a son. In his loneliness he questions God about his sufferings. The children's ministry in Angahuan has its ups & downs. Pray that God will give the local leadership wisdom in guiding this ministry in the right direction. This year the Lord opened

another place of ministry, here in Charapan. We have developed a friendship with Cesar and Cecilia. Pray that they would continue to lean on the Lord and be encouraged in Him. Thank you for your faithful prayers. May God bless you! – Pete & Cathy"



2. **Birthdays:** LaVerne W (Mon), Crystal N (Wed), Brayden L (Thurs)
3. **Church Family:** Jack/Jia Lee, Soyul, Yunui – Brayden Letkeman, Debbie Letkeman – Dustin Letkeman, Jayce, Kaleya – Jordyn Letkeman
4. **Prayer Requests:**
  - Pray for Sandy Pinkerton, recovering from knee replacement surgery.
  - Pray for Eva Friesen, waiting to see a specialist concerning abdominal issues.
  - Pray for Lois Fehr, recovering from hip replacement surgery.
  - Pray for Arie van Duyvendyk, recovering at home after receiving a pacemaker in hospital.
  - Pray for Della Cooper (Pastor Dale's sister), who is having surgery for a detached retina on Tuesday, June 14<sup>th</sup>.
  - Thank you to those who have been praying for John and Ruth. Praise the Lord, a suitable condo has become available for them to purchase.
5. **SEC:** Kitchen Co-coordinators: Shirley Epp & Matilda Peters
6. **Sister Churches:**
  - Region #1, SK/AB: Hague Gospel Church
  - Region #2, MB C: Gospel Fellowship, Steinbach – Darrell/Corinna Dyck
  - Region #3, MN S: Gospel Mission Church, Winkler – Claude/Micheline Lainey
  - Region #4, ON: Deer Run Church, Leamington – Ike/Maria Unger
  - Region #6, MX: Colonia Del Valle – Daniel Penner
7. **EMMC Missionaries:** Ester Fehr, serving in radio ministry in San Jose, Bolivia.
8. **Westside Pastors' Group:** Adam Wiebe – Bay Park Baptist Church
9. **Para-Church Ministries:** Wycliffe Bible Translators – Garry Williams

## *Welcome to* **Sutherland** **Evangelical Church**



### **SUTHERLAND EVANGELICAL CHURCH**

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Lead Pastor: Dale Doerksen - Youth Pastor: Adam Fehr

Sunday Worship: 10:30AM

### **GIVING:**

- Your offering/tithe can be dropped off in the Offering Box by the entrance.
- E-transfer available: [treasurer@sutherlandevangelicalchurch.com](mailto:treasurer@sutherlandevangelicalchurch.com).
- For specific giving, please clearly designate your offering.
- First time donors, please provide your mailing address!

## **JUNE 12, 2022**

## ORDER OF SERVICE

PRELUDE: *Mandi Letkeman*

WORSHIP IN SONG: *Hearts of Praise*

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS: *Keenan Regehr*

OPENING PRAYER: *Keenan Regehr*

MISSION REPORT: *Tony Ens (NCEM)*

SCRIPTURE FOCUS: *Acts 9:20-31*

– *Keenan Regehr*

WORSHIP IN SONG: *Hearts of Praise*

MESSAGE: *"The Extreme Irony of God"*

– *Acts 9:19a-31 – Pastor Dale*

CLOSING SONG: *Hearts of Praise*

BENEDICTION: *Pastor Dale*

USHERS: *George & Phil*  
OFFERING COUNTER: *George*

There is no Children's Church during the summer months. There are kids' activity sheets available on the literature table (east side of sanctuary) to be used during the worship service. Please return crayons, pencils & clipboards to their bins as you leave.

"The most dangerous irony is that people are angry with others because of their own incompetence."

## THIS WEEK

TUESDAY, NOON: Weekly Prayer Meeting in Youth Wing.

WEDNESDAY, 7PM: Campfire Devotions-SEC backyard. A fire, scripture, conversation, and YOU! Everyone is welcome! If you are interested in leading a short devotional, please contact Janice Klassen: 306-491-9867 or [jan\\_klas@hotmail.com](mailto:jan_klas@hotmail.com).

THURSDAY, 6:30PM: Council Meeting in the Admin Building.

SATURDAY, 7PM: Bridal Shower for Anne Germain—a time to offer blessings and encouragement to our bride-to-be! (Looking for a simple gift idea? This bride would welcome perennial flowers.)



## YOUTH / C&C

THURSDAY, 7-9PM: C&C Night in The Beacon

FRIDAY, 7-9PM: Youth Night in The Beacon (Snack: Matilda & Betty)

## NEXT SUNDAY

[COFFEE, SUNDAY SCHOOL & CHILDREN'S CHURCH]

WORSHIP LEADER: *Greg N.*

PRELUDE: *Mary F.*

POWER POINT: *Lacey*

SOUND: *John B.*

LIVESTREAM: *Veronica*

USHERS: *Nathan & James*

OFFERING COUNTER: *James*

SPEAKER: *Ken Peters*

\*Pastor Dale will be reporting and preaching in the Glencross EMMC Church in southern Manitoba.



"The irony of the human condition is that we are so focused on reaching some point in our journey, some happiness, or some goal, that we seem to forget that the journey itself is where life happens."

## SEC NEWS

**Congratulations** to Lacey Wiebe, who graduates from Warman High School on June 17<sup>th</sup>! God bless you, Lacey, as you make plans for the future!



**The SEC Connection:** the June 2022 issue of The SEC Connection is available! Find a copy on the back table or check your email.

**Communion Sunday:** June 26<sup>th</sup>

### From our Treasurer:

General Fund as of May 31<sup>st</sup>:

\$109,536 Actual income	\$109,536 Actual income
\$126,045 Budgeted income	\$109,991 Actual expenses
(\$16,509) Budget deficit	(\$455) Net loss



**Matthew and Anne** invite you to join them at their wedding ceremony on July 2<sup>nd</sup> at 1PM at the Barn Playhouse. Please let Anne know if you plan to attend.

**Summer Schedule:** During the summer weeks (June 12-Sept. 4) when there is no Sunday School and no Children's Church, there WILL be activity sheets available for the children to make use of during the worship service. A big thank you to all who have taught the Good News through the fall/winter/spring.... enjoy your break!

**Volunteers Needed:** Thank you to the volunteers that we have lined up for Pastor Adam's times away this summer. **Only one more week needs to be covered (July 27-30).** If you can pitch in to clean the church that week, please talk to Pastor Adam or contact the office. Thanks!

**EMMC 2022 Art Contest!** "It's the opportunity for artists and writers of all ages to share their skill and love of art with the broader EMMC Church family. Submissions will be accepted July 1 to July 31, inclusive. Winners announced in September." Contact the church for more details or go to [emmc.ca](http://emmc.ca) and look under "events".



"Beautiful irony is when the very thing that tried to destroy you, instead made you stronger."

## **The Extreme Irony of God**

Acts 9:19b-31 – SEC – June 12/22

### **Introduction:**

#### **A. Saul's Early Ministry:**

1. \_\_\_\_\_ – Isn't this exactly what Saul was \_\_\_\_\_? (19b-22)
2. \_\_\_\_\_ threats – Saul has to flee \_\_\_\_\_. (22-25)
3. \_\_\_\_\_ – Saul seeks to join up with the apostles, but they question his \_\_\_\_\_. (26-27)
4. \_\_\_\_\_ threats – Saul has to flee \_\_\_\_\_. (28-30)
5. \_\_\_\_\_ – The church in the region enjoys a time of \_\_\_\_\_. (31)

#### **B. Lessons from Saul's story:**

1. Speak the truth \_\_\_\_\_ – we can't remain \_\_\_\_\_.
2. Speak the truth \_\_\_\_\_ – we have a \_\_\_\_\_ faith.
3. Be willing to \_\_\_\_\_ others – take a \_\_\_\_\_ on people.
4. Trust our \_\_\_\_\_ God-He will have His \_\_\_\_\_.

### **Conclusion:**

**“The chief persecutor becomes  
chief \_\_\_\_\_ of Jesus.**

**The man who set out to kill Christians has  
to \_\_\_\_\_ for his life.**

**The church suffering its greatest persecution  
enjoys a time of \_\_\_\_\_.”**