

PRAYER FOCUS – NOVEMBER 26, 2023

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

1. **Missionary Focus:** Pray for Kevin and Marti Goertzen, serving with Ethnos Canada: "Marti and I are always aware of your support in our ministry, and we thank you for the encouragement, the occasional email, the phone call, coffee, or meal. In this ministry, we need to continue learning. Learning so we can create excellent discipleship materials. Learning so we can communicate the gospel well in this ever-changing culture. Learning so we can support the church that lives in this ever-changing world. Always learning. I mentioned in my last email that me and 2 others on our team are registered to take an online Romans class out of the Ethnos Bible Institute in the States. We have completed several assignments/quizzes and even a live event online. I'm a little nervous about the 'Predestination' assignment and its associated test but looking into the book of Romans has been incredible. There is a class in this school I would love to take called 'Post Modern Evangelism'. I think it would be a great class to learn how to navigate the changing culture. Another class I'm taking is out of the Durham Campus in Ontario. It's called 'Foundations of Grace'. Fairly self-explanatory, we are discovering grace. Technically, Paul shows the grace of God a lot in his letter to the Romans. So, I'm getting a double dose of grace this semester. Trusting God to do a double dose of 'grace-work' in my heart as well. May I walk away from those classes recognizing, with a keen heart, the grace of God in my life, and that I might be ever-more gracious with those around me, and in all my relationships. Thank you for praying!"
2. **Church Family:** John/Mandi Letkeman, Cassidy, Aviannah – Carl/Myrtle Loeppky – Grant/Anita Loeppky – James/Sheryle Loeppky – Veronica Loeppky
3. **Birthdays:** James Loeppky (Tuesday)
4. **Prayer Requests:**
 - Lois Fehr –struggling with some health issues.
 - Steve Froese-has recovered enough to now be in a Saskatoon hospital for continued care/recovery.
 - Mary Cloutier's son, Dennis—waiting to have surgery on his gallbladder.
5. **SEC:** New Beginnings Committee: Britney, Veronica, and Victoria
6. **Sister Churches:**
 - Region 1, SK/AB: Hepburn Gospel Church—Jesse/Kelsey Doell
 - Region 2, MB C: Gospel Fellowship Church—Darrell/Corrina Dyck
 - Region 3, MN S: Winkler EMMC
 - Region 4, ON: Aylmer EMMC—Michael/Anne Marie Krahn
 - Region 6, MX: Colonial Del Valle EMMC
7. **EMMC Missionaries:** Bill & Ester Kehler—San Jose, Bolivia
8. **Westside Pastors' Group:** Bay Park Baptist Church—Jerry Richards
9. **Parachurch Ministries:** Power to Change

Welcome to

Sutherland Evangelical Church



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Lead Pastor: Dale Doerksen—Youth Pastor: Adam Fehr

Sunday School: 9:30AM—Worship: 10:30AM

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Tithes & Offerings Giving Options:

- Place your tithe/offering in the Offering Box on the back table (offering envelopes are available in the pew-chairs).
- Etransfer your tithe/offering to treasurer@sutherlandevangelicalchurch.com (be sure to leave a comment with your address if this is a first-time gift).
- Automatic monthly withdrawals—contact our treasurer or the church office.

ORDER OF SERVICE

PRELUDE: *Mandi Letkeman*

WELCOME & OPENING PRAYER: *Pastor Adam*

OPENING SONGS: *Music Team*

SCRIPTURE READING #1: (*Psalm 107:4-43*)—*Tyler Wiebe*

ANNOUNCEMENTS: *Nikolas Rathje*

SCRIPTURE READING #2: (*Jonah 2:1-10*)—*Caley Wiebe*

PASTORAL PRAYER: *Pastor Adam*

SINGING: *Music Team*

MESSAGE: *Pastor Adam*

CLOSING SONG: *Music Team*

BENEDICTION: *Pastor Adam*



USHERS:
Lyndon & Keenan
OFFERING COUNTER:
Keenan

**CHILDREN'S
ACTIVITY SHEETS**
are available on the
Literature Table.



THIS WEEK

MONDAY: SEC Connection newsletter submission deadline.

Please email: sec@sutherlandevangelicalchurch.com

TUESDAY, NOON: Prayer meeting at church in the Youth Wing. Prayer requests can be texted to Pastor Dale.

TUESDAY, 7PM: Heart of Worship practice

WEDNESDAY, 9:30AM: Prayer/Care/Share Group—the last meeting for 2023.

WEDNESDAY, 6:30PM: Decorating for Christmas. The Decorating Committee needs help getting things decorated. Contact Liz Ginther or Janice Klassen.

WEDNESDAY, 7PM: Bible Study (Psalm 73) in the Admin Building. Attend in person or by Zoom—the link will be sent out to the congregation on Tuesday.

SATURDAY: SEC Christmas Celebration & Supper

5 - 5:30PM — join us in the sanctuary for some music/entertainment to set the mood for our Christmas celebration. Music/entertainment provided by Crystal & family.

5:45PM — Full Christmas meal. Cost: by donation.

YOUTH / C&C

THURSDAY, 7-9PM: C&C Night

FRIDAY, 7-9PM: Youth Night—Snack: Vema

DEC 8TH SNACK: Donna

NEXT SUNDAY—FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

COFFEE: *Anita*

WORSHIP LEADER: *Keenan*

OFFERING COUNTER: *Lindsay*

POWERPOINT: *Bonnie*

MESSAGE: *"Praying to a God Who is Far Away" - Psalm 10—Pastor Dale*

MISSION REPORT: *Michaël & Deborah Stippelmans*

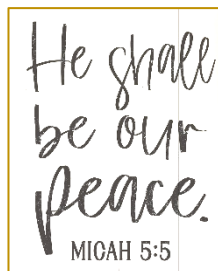


PRELUDE: *Donna*

USHERS: *Lindsay & Greg F*

SOUND: *Victoria*

LIVESTREAM: *Jorgen*



DATES TO REMEMBER

DEC 1: The deadline to order cookie platters from Kadesh. Purchase online www.campkadesh.com/christmas-cookies

DEC 9, 7PM: Young Couples' *Minute-to-Win-It* social in the Youth Wing. \$5/couple. Please bring a snack to share.

DEC 17, 6:30PM: SEC Christmas Program

Jan 20th, 7PM: Camp Kadesh dessert auction fundraiser @ Lakeview Church. Free to attend, raffle prizes. ***Looking for bakers to make fancy cakes/desserts to donate.***



SEC NEWS

In Memory: During the month of December, you are invited to place a poinsettia at the front of the sanctuary in memory of a loved one. Please contact the office (by phone, email, or a note in mailbox #86) with your name and who the poinsettia is in memory of.

Christmas Treat Bags: Please see the signup list on the back table to see how you can help us fill treat bags this year.



Are you receiving our emails? Our bulletin is emailed out each Friday and the Wednesday Bible Study lesson is emailed out each Tuesday. If you are not receiving emails from the SEC office and would like to, please contact the office.

Sutherland School News: Thank you for your continuing support of Sutherland School! We received this message after \$425.00 worth of gift cards were delivered: *'I wanted to reach out and thank you for the gift cards. They have been a huge help to our families. I had 2 parents in tears because they were so grateful to receive the extra support during these tough times.'* Also, Sutherland School will be offering the students an opportunity to choose gifts for their families by running a gift shop at the school. They are collecting donations of toys, household items and gift wrap/bags. If you would like to donate any gently used items, please bring them to the church by December 10th. There will be a bin by the kitchen for donated items. Please see poster for more details.

The EMMC Journal—We have a few left to sell! \$25/each—money goes to our youth!

Benevolence Pantry: Thank you for the donations! It is very full. We now have a small freezer to hold frozen food, which gives us the freedom to accept donations of meat, bread, or other frozen food, to help those in need. Thanks for your support.

Baba's Pirogies Youth Fundraiser will run for the month of November. Proceeds to go to the SEC Youth Kadesh Retreat. Talk to one of our youth to make a purchase.

COMMUNITY NEWS

Teen Challenge: To write an encouraging note to Teen Challenge clients, please visit: www.teenchallenge.ca/note-prairie.

Dec 5, 7PM: Thrive presents a Christmas Extravaganza @ West Portal Church. Christmas drama and coffee. By donation. Book your spot: admin@thrivesk.com