

PRAYER FOCUS – SEPTEMBER 1, 2024

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

- 1. Focus on Missions:** Please pray for Ken & Bertha Guenther, serving with SEND International: Prayer requests:
 - The leadership training that Ken is planning for November.
 - Our new missionaries as they complete their pre-field prep and support raising.
 - Protection for our missionaries still working in Ukraine.
 - For wisdom as we mentor and coach younger missionaries and leaders.
 - Additional financial support for us.Schedule:
 - Sept 10-17 - Travel to Ohio & Kentucky (Mission Leader's Conference)
 - Sept 24-30 - Church planting workshop in Romania (Ken)
 - Oct 29-Nov 12 - Directors' Council and leadership training in Athens (Ken)
- 2. Church Family:** Phil & Shirley Epp – Adam & Britney Fehr – Greg & Teresa Fehr – Lois Fehr – Sheldon & Debbie Fehr – Dietrich & Donna Friesen – Eva Friesen
- 3. Birthdays:** Brendan Neufeld (Monday), Dietrich Friesen (Tuesday)
- 4. Prayer Requests:**
 - Pray for Lyndon & Kirsten Neufeld and family as they make plans for an extended stay in Calgary for Logan's bone marrow transplant. Pray for health, peace, safety, accommodations, and that all the details will come together for a successful outcome.
 - Pray for Arie Van Duyvendyk who has been dealing with an infection and confusion over the past week or so.
 - Pray for Xavier who has begun his radiation treatment.
- 5. SEC:** Pray for the upcoming church camp! Pray for those who are busy with preparations. Pray for travel safety and safety for all the activities. Pray for God's blessing in fellowship and unity.
- 6. Sister Churches:**

Region 1, SK/AB: Sutherland Evangelical Church—Dale & Sheryl Doerksen
Region 2, MB C: Niverville Community Fellowship—David & Kendra Funk
Region 3, MN S: Glencross Mennonite Church—Peter & Audrey Redekopp
Region 4, ON: Blenheim EMMC—Peter Brejcha
Region 6, BZ: Blue Creek—Henry & Sara Janzen
- 7. Westside Pastors' Group:** Jerry Richards—Bay Park Baptist Church
- 8. Camp Kadesh:** "Another successful summer season has ended, and we took a short break from programming this past week to give our FT staff a short break. Fall starts back into a mix of rental groups and school programming. If anyone is interested in being a part of the cabins renovations we are planning, reach out to our office at info@campkadesh.com."

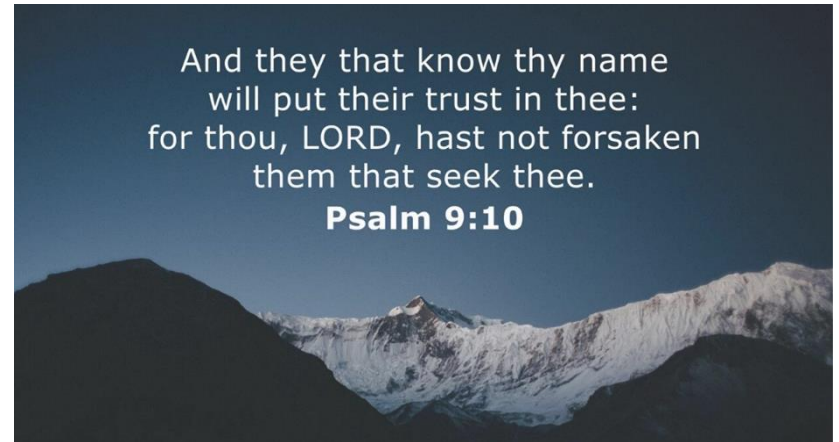
Welcome to

Sutherland
Evangelical Church



And they that know thy name
will put their trust in thee:
for thou, LORD, hast not forsaken
them that seek thee.

Psalm 9:10



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SUNDAY SCHOOL: 9:30AM ■ SUNDAY WORSHIP: 10:30AM

LEAD PASTOR: Dale Doerksen ■ YOUTH PASTOR: Adam Fehr

- Tithes/offerings can be placed in the Offering Box on the back table.
- Etransfer 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.

September 1, 2024

THIS MORNING

USHERS: *Darrell & Lindsay*

OFFERING COUNTER: *Lindsay*

ORDER OF SERVICE

PRELUDE: *Mandi Letkeman*

WORSHIP IN SONG: *Zach Loepky*

WELCOME & PRAYER: *Keenan Regehr*

MINISTRY REMINDERS: *Keenan Regehr*

PASTORAL PRAYER: *Pastor Dale*

WORSHIP IN SONG: *Zach Loepky*

SCRIPTURE FOCUS: *Psalm 63:1-11 – Keenan Regehr*

MESSAGE: *“Seeking the God of All Comfort” – Psalm 63—Pastor Dale*

CLOSING SONG: *Zach Loepky*

BENEDICTION: *Pastor Dale*

Children’s
activity
sheets are
available
on the
Literature
Table.

THIS WEEK

TUESDAY: Office closed

FRIDAY – SUNDAY: Church Camp @ Kadesh! For those registered for Church Camp, please read the following notes and reminders:

- ↳ Bring cookies or muffins for snack to share.
- ↳ All rooms & cabins have single beds only.
- ↳ Bring lanterns &/or flashlights for campfire time.
- ↳ Closed toed shoes are required in the kitchen.
- ↳ Everyone is welcome to participate in the Sand Sculpture Olympics! Show off your creativity and compete for the winning sand creation! Medal Ceremony to follow and an extra special prize for the gold medalists! All ages invited to participate! Some supplies will be provided but if you have any sand tools you think will be useful, please bring them along!
- ↳ If your registration isn’t paid up yet, please do ASAP.



NEXT SUNDAY—NO SERVICE @ SEC

10:30AM: Church at Camp! Because most of SEC will be at church camp, **there will not be a service in our church on Sept 8.**

Everyone is welcome to drive to Kadesh for church.

MESSAGE: Psalm 71 - “Confidence in God”

CALENDAR

SEPT 11, 7-9PM: Sr Youth Kick-Off

SEPT 13, 7-9PM: Jr Youth Kick-Off

SEPT 15, 9:30AM: Sunday School resumes! Coffee ready by 9:15.

SEPT 19, 6:30PM: Council meeting

SEPT 21, 9AM: Community Garage Sale (see note below)

SEPT 28, 9AM: SEC Men’s Breakfast. \$10/person—upon arrival.

SEC NEWS

A Big THANK YOU to all who helped with the Community BBQ on Aug 24th. It is much appreciated.

The SEC Drama Committee is looking for actors for a Christmas drama. Practice dates will be set to best accommodate everyone. Talk to Darlene or Shirley if interested.

Logan Neufeld will be heading to Calgary on Sept 10, for a bone marrow transplant. This will be a 2 to 3 month stay for the procedure and monitoring. We are setting up a fundraiser to help pay for all the extra travel and living expenses. Please designate your gift for Lyndon & Kirsten, and we will forward it on to them. Gifts are not tax receiptable. Please pray for strength and protection for Logan right now, for a successful treatment, and for complete healing.

Small Groups: Coming this fall! Check the back table for a signup sheet.

Garage Sale: SEC is hosting a neighbourhood garage sale on Sept. 21, from 9AM – 3PM. We could use a few more helpers on Friday evening to set out items, or to watch tables on Saturday for a few hours. We also need your donations of good, used items to sell. Please place them in the chairs storage area beside the kitchen or in the church garage and label them “garage sale.”

Bible Study



COMMUNITY EVENTS

Friday, Sept 27: 25th: Anniversary Gala & Silent Auction for Saskatoon Pregnancy Options Centre @ Prairieland Park, Saskatoon. To register for complimentary tickets: 306-665-7550 or contact@saskatoonpregnancy.com

Oct 18-20: Youth Edge @ Millar College of the Bible—Pambrun Campus. Registrations open **Sept 2nd**. For more info: <https://www.millarcollege.ca/youthedge>. (Pastor Adam is willing to help with organizing car-pooling, etc., but the SEC youth will not be going as a group.)

Seeking the God of All Comfort
Psalm 63:1-11 – SEC – Sept.1/24

Introduction:

A. _____ for the Lord (1)

B. Vision of God's _____. (2-3)

C. _____ for the Lord. (4-5)

A. _____ for the Lord. (6-8)

B. Vision of God's _____. (9-10)

C. _____ for the Lord. (11)

D. Application:

1. God responds to _____ and personal longing. (1, 6-8)

How is your _____ for God?

2. We should respond in _____ worship. (3-5, 11)

What would you be willing to _____ for?

3. _____ God's name means living in ways that are consistent with His character. (4, 11)

Is your life _____ Christ?

Conclusion: