# PRAYER FOCUS – SEPTEMBER 21, 2025

- To activate the prayer chain, contact the church office, or text Bonnie Wiebe
- To add a prayer request to the bulletin, contact the church office.
- Missionary Focus: Pray for Carl & Pat Whitehead, in Winnipeg, serving with Wycliffe: "We have been back in Canada almost three months and have passed the initial stages of our transition to life in Winnipeg after 51 years of service in Papua New Guinea. The current plan for Carl is still to have a half-time Remote Assignment to SIL-PNG to continue working with the Menya team and to update and expand the Menya dictionary. Pat will give 4 hours/week to SIL-PNG to assist me in my tasks, and, new to her, will be a part-time assignment to SIL Global to work on adapting older technical translation articles to a more modern format to make them available to translators worldwide. Thank you again for your continuing interest in our lives and ministry."
- 2. Church Family: LaVerne & Bonnie Wiebe Nathan & Janie Wiebe, Lacey, Caley, Tyler Henry & Verna Andres Derrick & Janet Arhin
- 3. Birthdays: Isaiah Ens (today), Jorgen Nelson (Thurs), Eva Regehr (Thurs)
- 4. Prayer Requests:
  - -Pray for Carl Wiebe who is going for knee replacement surgery on Tuesday.
  - Pray for Helena Wiebe. Test results show that the tumor and blood clot in her leg have grown. Pray for continued health and healing.
  - Eric Doerksen has been diagnosed with an inguinal hernia. Pray for quick and effective treatment/surgery and good recovery.
  - Carol Janzen is asking for prayer that the polyp found and biopsied (colonoscopy) is benign and for God to shrink it so that no surgery is needed.
  - -Pray for Joan Ector, dealing with health issues.
  - -Pray for Logan Neufeld & his family as they move to healthy bone marrow.
- 5. Sister Churches:

Region 1, SK/AB: Hague Gospel Church—Russ & Sue Wilson Region 2, MB C: Nassau Street Church—Al & Monica Letkeman Region 3, MN S: Church at the Opera House—Richard & Venessa Klassen Region 4, ON: Deer Run Church—Ike & Maria Unger Region 6, MX: Colonial Del Valle—vacant

- 6. EMMC Missionaries: Ben & Bertha Kauenhoffen—Bolivia
- 7. Westside Pastors' Group: Larry Parscheaur—Life Baptist Church
- Parachurch Ministries: Mennonite Disaster Service—prayer letter and volunteer opportunities on our bulletin board.







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- Tithes/offerings can be placed in the Offering Box on the back table.
- Etransfer to <a href="mailto:treasurer@sutherlandevangelicalchurch.com">treasurer@sutherlandevangelicalchurch.com</a>
  → 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**

**USHERS:** Greg Fehr & Mo Thomson

**PRELUDE** 

WORSHIP IN SONG: Devon Atkings
WELCOME & PRAYER: Lindsay Neufeld
MINISTRY REMINDERS: Lindsay Neufeld

PASTORAL PRAYER: Pastor Dale Worship in Song: Devon Atkings

SCRIPTURE FOCUS — JAMES 1:1-8 (PG 977): Lindsay Neufeld

CHILDREN'S PRAYER & DISMISSAL: Lindsay Neufeld

→ Children's Church (for ages 3-7) sign-in clipboard is by the basement stairs.

→ Children ages 8 and up can find a children's bulletin on the back table.

Message - "Consider it Pure Joy.... really" James 1:1-8: Wes Dobson

**CLOSING SONG:** Devon Atkings **BENEDICTION:** Pastor Dale

#### THIS WEEK

TUESDAY, 12PM: Drop-in prayer meeting in the youth wing. Text or email

prayer requests to Pastor Dale.

Tuesday, 7pm: His Praise practice

FRIDAY, 7-9PM: Youth Night—outdoor sports.

## **NEXT SUNDAY: COMMUNION SUNDAY**

\* Come with prepared hearts to share in the Lord's Supper.

COFFEE: Anita PRELUDE: Eva WORSHIP LEADER: Adam Sound: Tori

Ushers: Riley & Keenan Offering Counter: Keenan

POWERPOINT: Roni LIVESTREAM: Adam

Message: "No Escape" – Psalm 139

## **DATES TO REMEMBER**

**OCT 1, 7PM:** The Bible Study group at the church will begin meeting again, studying John 18:1-27.

OCT 5, 12PM: Potluck Fellowship Lunch

OCT 8, 9:30AM: Coffee Fellowship in our dining room. Everyone is welcome!

Oct 24-25: EMMC Region 1 Leadership Retreat @ Rosthern Youth Farm. Guest Speaker: Darrell Kehler. Cost: \$60/person (includes accommodations and meals). See poster for registration details.



#### **SEC News**

THE 2025/26 EVENT WORK TEAMS schedule is in mailboxes today. Please be sure to pick yours up and thank you for serving!

<u>THE FALL MUSIC SCHEDULE</u> is in mailboxes today. Thank you to everyone willing to serve in this way!

THE SEC CONNECTION-September 2025 edition is out! Be sure to pick one up from the back table!



**OUR NEW COFFEE MAKING SYSTEM** has been installed. Please don't attempt to use it until you've talked to Shirley and received some instructions. Thanks.

<u>IF YOU ARE INTERESTED</u> in being involved with a worship team as a musician or vocalist or helping with PowerPoint, playing prelude, livestream, or as a sound person, please reach out to Devon or Mandi.

**OUR SUNDAY SCHOOL DEPARTMENT** is in need of a teacher for the Youth Class. Please contact Mandi Letkeman if this is for you.

<u>LAWN CARE VOLUNTEERS</u> needed until the weather turns colder. It typically takes about 3 hours to cut and trim all the grass. We would love to have two volunteers per week. There is a riding mower that will do most of the work. See the signup sheet on the back table. Contact Lindsay Neufeld with questions.

# **COMMUNITY NEWS**

**GARDEN OF ABUNDANCE GALA** & Silent Auction—Saskatoon Pregnancy Options fundraiser @ Prairieland Park on September 26<sup>th</sup>. Tickets are complimentary. Please see the poster for ticket details.

<u>OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD</u> Special Event—10AM, Sept. 27<sup>th</sup> at Pleasant Hill Church. A fun and beneficial time for shoebox enthusiasts.

**GOSPEL ECHOES FALL BANQUET**—Wednesday, Oct 22 at 6:30PM at Brian King Centre, Warman. To reserve a spot call (306) 239-4228, text (306) 202-6391, or email <a href="mailto:gospelechoes@sasktel.net">gospelechoes@sasktel.net</a>.

<u>A COLORFUL CHRISTMAS—HOPE HAS A NAME</u> tour, December 5<sup>th</sup> at Cornerstone Church, hosted by UCB Radio. For tickets go to <u>www.ucbradio.com/events</u>. See poster for details.

Joel (age 4) was giggling and talking out loud in church.

Cindy (age 6): "You're not supposed to talk out loud in church."

Joel: "Why? Who's going to stop me?"

Cindy: "See those two men by the door? They're hushers!"