

...as he was praying,
heaven was opened.

Luke 3:21b



Prayer Requests

Pray for our Congregation

Pray for all the **ministry roles** in our church to be filled.

Pray for the Children's Ministry Director Search Committee:

Wendell Heppner (Council Rep), **Tammy Klassen**, **Dale Sawatzky** (Chair), **Melissa Thiessen**, and **Scott Wiebe**.

Pray the person God wants for this position will apply and be selected.

Pray for **Cornie & Helen Fehr**.

Pray for **Regina Genchewski** and **Helen Penner** in Bethesda Place, and for **Elma Reimer** in Resthaven.

Erma Schellenberg is in Bethesda Rehab.

Pray for the health of **Karla Coldwell**, **Trudie Friesen**, **Art & Barb Pelletier**, **Grant Reimer**.

Yvonne Thiessen is thankful for a good health report and appreciates continued prayer.

Pray for Churches In Region 8 & our Community

Pray for Kris Duerksen, Pastor at **Southland Church** and for Darcy Sproule, Pastor at **Ridgewood Church (EMC)**.

Our Workers *This month, we are highlighting*

Albert Martens, *with Athletes in Action*.

Praise God for a successful time ministering at Tadoule Lake. Continue to pray for Albert, who will be ministering next in Fairford Lake, from today until August 18.

Around our World

Pray for the people in Indonesia who were injured, displaced, and who lost loved ones from an earthquake.



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August 12, 2018

Worship Service 10:00am

**JOINING GOD
MAKING
DISCIPLES**



Matthew 28: 18-20

#JoiningGod #GatherGrowGo



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GATHER • GROW • GO

You are Welcome here!

Worship is led by Joel Jolly & Team

Welcome: Garth Koop

Congregational Singing

Offertory

Message: Jason Heide - Proverbs 1:1-17

"The Way of Wisdom"

Benediction



This Week

Thursday	7:00am 9:30am	Men's Breakfast at Uncle Jakes Prayer
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SEMC Vision

We Envision...

An environment of openness with God and each other,

- as we **gather**

Becoming more like Jesus,

- as we **grow**

Being missionaries where we live and around the world,

- as we **go**

Core Values

We value...

- Truth
- A Relationship with God
- Authenticity
- This Household of the Faith
- All People



Youth Events *Stay tuned for summer events*



Upcoming Events

Sunday School for all ages begins Sunday, September 9, at 9:30am.

Man Camp - September 21-23, at Camp Arnes. Registration brochures at the Connect Centre. Cost is \$130, or \$110 if you register today.



Church News

From the family of Brian & Helen Warkentin: Thanks for your thoughts and prayers during the difficult time of my mother's illness and passing. It has been a huge support.

Our new "**Spiritual Life and Care Ministry**" is inviting congregants to be part of the Home Visitation Team. If you like visiting people in their homes and you're interested in being part of the team, contact Peter Toews or Pastor Garth for more details.

Do you have one or two portable basketball hoops we could use for Church Kick Off? Please contact the office. 204-326-6572 or office@semconline.com.

Pastor Garry returns to the office August 15, and **Pastor Garth** is back in the office August 21.

Sunday School Teachers Needed: 2 Large Group Leaders, Grade 1 Boys & Girls, Grade 2/3 Boys half time, Grade 4 Boys half time, Grade 7/8 Girls. Please talk to Paige Heide if interested.

Are you looking to get involved with music in our church, or Powerpoint on Sunday mornings? Contact Joel Jolly jjolly@semconline.com.

Toddler Time is in need of leaders starting in September. For more information, email Crystal Breer, crystalbreer@gmail.com or call 204-371-6269.

Our **Worship through Giving**, August 5, was \$11,185.10