

WELCOME

Following Jesus: The Journey

Gospel of Luke

Garth Koop & Jason Heide

THIS WEEK @ SEMC

MONDAY

6:45 PM Church Council

TUESDAY

7:00 PM JR. Youth Kickoff

WEDNESDAY

7:00 PM Afghan Cultural
Awareness Evening

THURSDAY

9:30 AM Prayer
10:00 AM Mom's Morning Out
& Kindle Kids
7:00 PM SR. Youth Kickoff

SATURDAY

7:00 PM Young Adults
Kickoff Bonfire
@ SEMC

LOOKING AHEAD

SUNDAY SCHOOL STARTS

SUNDAY, September 17
9:30 AM
SERVICE 10:45 AM

SEMC GOLF @ GIROUXSALEM

SUNDAY, September 17
3:00 PM
See John Banman for details

MISSIONS SISTERS

MONDAY, September 18
1:30 PM

WELCOME BACK

SUNDAY SCHOOL STARTS

Sept. 17 @ 9:30am

Adult class sign ups and student registration will be available on Sunday mornings before and after the worship service.

Contact Paige Heide
(paigeheide@gmail.com) or
Kaylene Buhler
(dkbuhler@mymts.net) for more in-
formation.

TEACHING OPPORTUNITY

Grade 5-6 girls class
Contact Paige Heide if interested.



Young Adults

will run the 1st & 3rd
Saturdays of the month.
The kickoff will be
Saturday, Sept. 16 • 7-9
with a bonfire and snacks!
Meet @ SEMC.

Danny Plett will be ending his
Christmas tour with a full band and
choir concert at SEMC on
December 22nd!
If you'd like to join the choir, email
the Church Office or sign up at the
Connect Centre.



THIS WEEK'S MEMORY VERSE

Then Jesus came to them and said
"All authority in heaven and on earth
has been given to me. Therefore go
and make disciples of all nations,
baptizing them in the name of the
Father and of the Son and of the Holy
Spirit, and teaching them to obey
everything I have commanded you.
And surely I am with you always, to
the very end of the age."

Matthew 28:18-20

The Sponsorship Committee

is hosting an Information session
regarding welcoming our family from
Afghanistan. This will be a time of
information, updates, and FAQs.
Andrea Dyck will also join us to offer
some cultural insights.

September 13 @ 7 PM
in the youth room.

Seniors Fellowship needs 1 or 2
volunteers to help the coordinators.
If you are interested please contact
Sharon Sagnes
(Schpansky@gmail.com)
or Marge McLean
(mandgmclean@hotmail.com)

Mom's Morning Out & Kindle Kids

All mothers of babies and school age
children are invited to join us for our
kickoff **Thursday, September 14th,**
10:00-11:30AM. There will be
specialty coffees and teas and some
get to know you games!

For more information, contact
Amy Braun, Lisa Martens, Priscilla
Hagen or Adrienne Buhler.

PRAYER REQUESTS

“Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.” 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18

Our Congregation

Abe Teichroeb as he continues treatments.

Continue to pray for our **Afghan family** as they wait.
Pray that they would be able to come to Canada soon.

Pray for the Youth Pastor Search Committee as they meet & look for a candidate. Andrea Dyck, Markus Goertzen, Michelle Klassen, Gary McLean, Henry Nickel & Dan Zilinski.

Robert Friesen, Minna Loewen, Susan Neufeld, Martha Reimer, Mary Reimer, Minnie Reimer & Isaac Schellenberg in Resthaven.

Our Workers

Please pray for **John and Joyce Dyck and Clarence and Hilda Funk** as they share the love of Jesus with many who are hungry to learn more about God.

September 10, 2023

GATHER · GROW · GO

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WE ARE GLAD YOU ARE HERE

10:30 AM Worship Service



Sermon Notes

ADULT & YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL ELECTIVES 2023/2024

CHAPEL CLASS - mixed adults with Arden Thiessen. Continuing studies in the Book of Acts exploring the spread of the early Christian Church through the power of the Holy Spirit.

BASEMENT CLASS - mixed adults with Harold, Steve and Wendell leading us through the book of Exodus. Join us as we explore the history of the origin and early years of Israel as God's chosen people. "Guiding spiritual and moral principles characteristic of the Christian faith for centuries have their foundation in Exodus."

FOUNDATIONS CLASS - will wrap up with the final series of Core Truths to Build Your Life On: looking at Good and Evil, the Afterlife, and the Second Coming. Garth Koop will lead the class.

NEW: YOUNG ADULTS - ages 18-35. Bridger & Keegen Dyck along with Jordan Szeponski will lead us in meaningful connection, looking at Bible Characters from The Prophets, through to the Early Church.

MIRROR IMAGE - all ladies class, including moms & tots, will continue to meet for prayer and encouragement focusing on the book of Hebrews from She Reads Truth. Arlene and Heather will be leading.

NEW: YOUTH - grades 9-12 We are trying something new! Join us for a variety of topics and teachers to better understand the Bible and our World. (in no particular order)

Topics include:

- Bible Characters from the Patriarchs to the Kings
- How to Read/Not Read the Bible
- World Religions
- Spiritual/mental health for Teens

Teachers include: Denver Klassen, Priscilla Hagen, Andrea Dyck, Carl Loewen and others.

Coming in January: Parenting Class - Alpha Children: Leading our children into Right Relationship. Led by Andrea Dyck.

We hope you can join us as together we gather, grow and go!