

# WELCOME

Joy to the World

Luke 1:39-56

Jason Heide

## THIS WEEK @ SEMC

### MONDAY

**1:30 PM** Mission Sisters  
Christmas Party

### TUESDAY

**7:00 PM** JR. Youth Gr. 6-8  
**7:00 PM** Trustee Meeting

### THURSDAY

**7:00 AM** Men's Breakfast  
**9:30 AM** Prayer  
**7:00 PM** SR. Youth Gr. 9-12

### SATURDAY

**7:00 PM** Young Adults  
Christmas Party

### LOOKING AHEAD

#### SUNDAY, DECEMBER 17

10:45 AM  
SEMC CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

#### FRIDAY, DECEMBER 22

7:00 PM  
DANNY PLETT CHRISTMAS  
CONCERT

#### SUNDAY, DECEMBER 24

10:45 AM Worship Service  
*NO Sunday School*

#### SUNDAY, DECEMBER 31

10:45 AM Worship Service  
*NO Sunday School*

### THIS WEEK'S MEMORY VERSE

For I am not ashamed of the gospel, because it is the power of God that brings salvation to everyone who believes: first to the Jew, then to the Gentile. Romans 1:16 (NIV)

## OPPORTUNITIES

SEMC is looking for **event supervisors** for rentals. If you are interested in some extra income, contact the Church Office.


There will be a fun "Meet and Greet" reception following our **SEMC Christmas Concert with Danny Plett** on Friday, Dec 22. We're looking for your best homemade Christmas baking to provide for this exciting event! Please sign up to donate at the Connect Centre. Many, many thanks in advance!

### **Are you musical or tech savvy?**

You are welcome and invited to serve through music or on a tech team. We are looking for singers, guitar, projection tech, etc. Contact **Brandon Post**, Director of Worship Arts, for more info: [bpost@semconline.com](mailto:bpost@semconline.com).

**Sunday School** is looking for a teacher for the Grade 5-6 girls class. If you are interested, contact **Paige Heide** [paigeheide@gmail.com](mailto:paigeheide@gmail.com)

For those interested, there is a **SEMC Mailbox List** handout available at the Connect Center.

 Looking for a 3 bedroom place? Call Sarah Barkman for more information: 204-326-2685.

Want to know more about God's plan for the nations and how you fit into that plan? Josh and Priscilla Hagen are opening up their home and hosting **Momentum Yes**, a 9-week course beginning Sunday, January 21 at 5 PM. A light supper will be included. There's still space for a few more to sign up. Contact the Hagens or the Church Office.



We are looking to update our **Pictorial Directory** in the next couple of months. If your image is missing from the current directory or if your photo needs to be updated, please email your photo to [office@semconline.com](mailto:office@semconline.com). Additionally, if you need to update your contact information please let the church

Your child is invited to participate in **SEMC's Christmas Program!** Our program will be held Sunday, Dec. 17 during the Worship Service at 10:45.

*The Nursery Department* will be singing a few songs. Practices will be during the regular Sunday School hour.

*Kindergarten - Grade 4* will be singing a few songs. Practices will take place during the Sunday School large group time, as well as during the second half of the worship service today, Dec. 10. A dress rehearsal will take place Sunday, Dec. 17 during the Sunday School hour. Youth are invited to join.

### **Any questions?**

Talk to Pastor Jason or Erica Rempel.

## PRAYER REQUESTS

Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. Philippians 4:6

### Our Congregation

**Condolences to Tim & Chelsea Falk.** Tim's opa, Abe Plett, passed away Thursday morning.

**Lena Dueck** thanks everyone for their prayers during her hip surgery and recovery.

**Ben Penner** in palliative care.

**Clarence Dyck** as he recovers from a broken shoulder.

Please pray for the **Discovery Time team of Arborgate School** in LaBroquerie. Pray that the obstacles would be removed and the paperwork would be completed soon so teaching can begin, and that many children would learn of Jesus. Pray for a coordinator to replace Adrienne Buhler.

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

### Our Workers

**Andrea Dyck** - I appreciate your prayers as I am setting up courses for the New Year. I hope to choose topics that will be a blessing and support to families around the world. Pray also as I come alongside members who are really struggling in their families and relationships. Pray for them to have strength, clarity and healing.

### Prayer Opportunity

Do you have a heart for the unreached people of the world? Come to the youth room here at SEMC, **December 10 at 4 pm for a time of prayer and fasp.**

Contact Isaiah Loewen if you interested. 204-392-0600.



# December 10, 2023

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WE ARE GLAD YOU ARE HERE

9:30 AM Sunday School

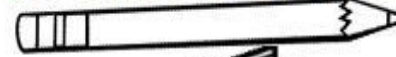
10:45 AM Worship Service



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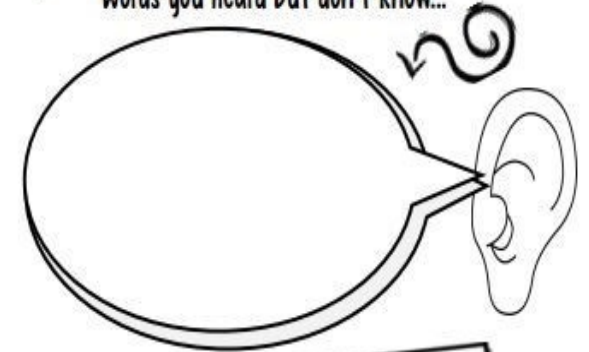
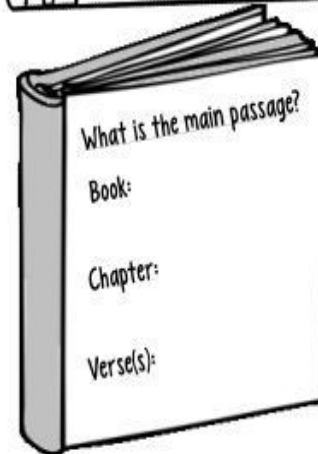
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## Sermon Notes FOR KIDS

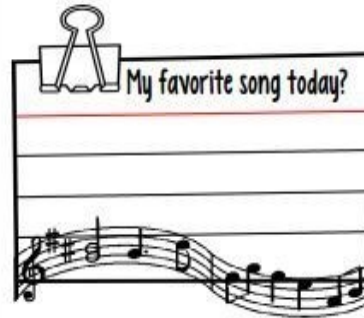


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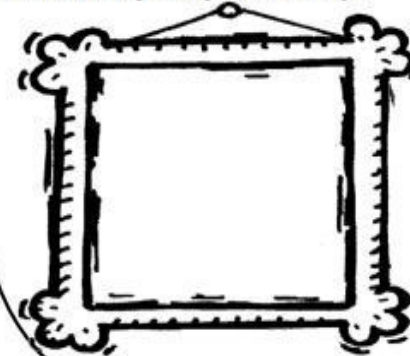
Words you heard but don't know...



What are you learning about God from this message?



Draw something that you heard today...



After the service complete the following:

The most important thing I learned today was....

I can use this in my life by....