

WELCOME

*When what we want,
isn't what we need.*

1 Samuel 8:1-22

Travis Plett

THIS WEEK @ SEMC

MONDAY

Church Office Closed

TUESDAY

7:00 PM JR Youth

WEDNESDAY

12:00 PM Seniors 55+

THURSDAY

9:30 AM Prayer

7:00 PM SR Youth

SATURDAY

7:00 PM Young Adults

UPCOMING EVENTS

SUNDAY, MAY 25

LAST SUNDAY SCHOOL

7:00 PM Prayer Gathering

WEDNESDAY, MAY 28

6:00 PM SS Teacher

Appreciation Supper

SUNDAY, JUNE 1

CHURCH PICNIC

THIS WEEK'S MEMORY VERSE

Yet to all who did receive him, to those who believed in his name,
he gave the right to become children of God. John 1:12 (NIV)

CHURCH PICNIC



CHURCH PICNIC
Sunday, June 1
@ AD Penner Park

9:45 AM Coffee & Gathering Time
10:45 AM Worship Service
BBQ Lunch
Games & Fellowship

*Bring your lawn chairs
and dress for the weather.*

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!



We are looking for
some help Sunday
morning to make this
picnic a success!

VOLUNTEER AREAS NEEDED:

Transportation/Loading/Unloading

- 2 trucks/vans
- 4-5 strong individuals to load up supplies at church and bring them to the park, and then load up and bring supplies back to church.

Clean Up

Many hands make light work! If you can help clean up from lunch we would appreciate it!

6 LARGE Coolers for drinks

*Please sign up at the
Connect Center.*



TRUE NORTH VBS
July 6 - 10, 2025
6:30 PM - 8:45 PM

WHO: Kids entering
Kindergarten through Grade 5 in
Fall 2025

[REGISTRATION](#) now open!

SENIORS 55+ WAFFLE LUNCH
Wednesday, May 21
@ 12:00 PM
Cost is \$10/person

Special Guest:
Carol Thiessen from
Canadian Foodgrains Bank

Sign up at the Connect Center today!

**SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHER
APPRECIATION SUPPER**
Wednesday, May 28 - 6:00 PM

Sunday School Teacher appreciation
supper for all teachers, substitute
teachers and assistants.

SUMMER CAMP WORKERS, get
your short-term missions applications
in by **Sunday, June 22!**

SEMC provides financial support to
those who are working at camp 2 or
more weeks of the summer.
(This does not include CIT weeks.)

Contact the Church Office or Youth
Pastor Justin Marchand for an appli-
cation form.

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

Seniors & Housebound

Eunice Neufeld, Tina Sawatzky & Alice Wiebe in Bethesda Place

Betty Petkau in Silver Lining Care Home

Grant Reimer

Our Workers

Andrew Reimer:

- Pray for Andrew and Terry as they lead weekly Men's Bible study and as they take the men on a retreat at the end of May.
- Pray for Andrew's 1-on-1 connections with individuals seeking support in inner healing and overcoming addictions.
- Pray for Andrew & Amie and their daughters.



KILOMETERS4KIDS June 6-8. Run/walk/bike!

An international fundraising event created by our global worker, Phil Peters, to provide basic education for marginalized children in Africa. Do it alone, as a family or with friends. Check out the website [KM4K](https://www.km4k.org) for more info/how to donate or contact the

GMC. Pledge forms are available at the Connect Center. Donations receiptable through Teach Beyond or Open Schools Worldwide.



The SEMC Global Missions 5 Year Plan is available at the Connect Center. There will be a Q & A session, **Sunday, June 8 @ 9AM** in the Youth Room.



May 18, 2025

GATHER • GROW • GO

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WE ARE GLAD YOU ARE HERE

9:30 AM Sunday School

10:45 AM Worship Service



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VBS Snack Donations Needed!

- ~~5 boxes (40 count) Quaker Chewy Chocolate Chip Granola Bars~~
- ~~3 boxes (60 count) Welch's Gummies~~
- 6 boxes (30 count) Fruit by the Foot
- 6 boxes (30 count) Old Dutch Individual Chips
- ~~6~~ 4 boxes (30 count) Individually packaged Rice Krispie Squares
- ~~50~~ 12 dozen cookies - No Nuts!
- Couple dozen Gluten Free Cookies - No Nuts!

Other VBS Donations Needed!

**These donations need to be at the church by June 1.*

- 4 x White foam board
- 3 x 16 inch lengths of chain
- 10 x floral foam
- ~~15~~ 10 x Christmas Trees
- 2 x Lawn Chairs
- ~~1~~ x Old Fashioned Lantern



*Christmas trees, lawn chairs and lantern
will be labeled and can be picked up at the end of VBS.*

**Sign up sheet available at the
Connect Center!**

Sermon Notes

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