

# WELCOME

*Politics: Pursuing Unity  
Despite Our Differences*

Romans 14

Jason Heide

## THIS WEEK @ SEMC

### TODAY

#### LAST SUNDAY SCHOOL

7:00 PM Prayer Gathering

### MONDAY

1:30 PM Mission Sisters  
(MCC Blanket Makers)

### TUESDAY

7:00 PM JR Youth

### WEDNESDAY

6:00 PM SS Teacher  
Appreciation Supper

### THURSDAY

7:00 AM Men's Breakfast  
9:30 AM Prayer  
7:00 PM SR Youth

### UPCOMING EVENTS

#### NEXT SUNDAY, JUNE 1 CHURCH PICNIC

*\*no live stream available*

#### SUNDAY JUNE 8

9:00 AM Q&A with  
Global Missions

#### WEDNESDAY, JUNE 18

Seniors 55+ Fish Fry Event!

#### SUMMER SERVICE START TIMES:

Starting **SUNDAY, JUNE 8**,  
worship services will begin at  
**10AM.**

## CHURCH PICNIC



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**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**

[REGISTRATION](#) now open!

**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.

**If you are working at camp this  
summer, please let the office know  
so we can add you to our prayer  
list.**



We would like to recognize  
all the **GRADS** in our  
congregation, and we don't  
want to miss anyone! If you know of  
any graduates, whether they are  
graduating from high school,  
college, or university, please send an  
email with their name and school to  
the church office.

**SENIORS 55+ FRESH FISH FRY!**  
**Wednesday, June 18**

Sign up at the Connect Center by  
Sunday, June 8!

## 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 Peter and Louella Toews.** Peter's brother-in-law, Gordon Harder of Mountain Lake, MN passed away unexpectedly on May 16.

### Seniors & Housebound

**Robert Friesen, Mary (Jac) Koop, Susan Neufeld, Mary Reimer, Isaac Schellenberg & Agatha Smith** in Resthaven.

### Our Workers

Please pray for **EMC workers around the world** that they would have courage and strength to keep sharing God's love to those around them.



#### **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 [osww.org/km4k](https://osww.org/km4k) 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 25, 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~~ 1 box (30 count) Fruit by the Foot
- 6 boxes (30 count) Old Dutch Individual Chips
- ~~6~~ 3 boxes (30 count) Individually packaged Rice Krispie Squares
- ~~50~~ 10 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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