

# WELCOME

God's Presence in Our Story

The Book of Esther

Jason Heide

## THIS WEEK @ SEMC

### TODAY

Youth Fundraiser Lunch

### MONDAY

1:30 PM Mission Sisters  
7:00 PM Membership Meeting

### TUESDAY

7:00 PM JR Youth

### THURSDAY

9:30 AM Prayer  
7:00 PM SR Youth

### UPCOMING EVENTS

**SUNDAY, MARCH 1**  
**EMC Day of Prayer**  
**7:00 PM** Prayer Gathering

**MARCH 6-8**  
Young Adults Retreat

**SATURDAY, MARCH 21**  
FUNDRAISING AUCTION

### THIS WEEK'S MEMORY VERSE

Yet he did not waver through unbelief regarding the promise of God, but was strengthened in his faith and gave glory to God, 21 being fully persuaded that God had power to do what he had promised.

Romans 4:20-21 (NIV)

### SEMC AUCTION FUNDRAISER



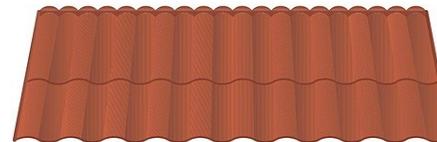
**SATURDAY, MARCH 21**

Doors open @ 6PM  
Auction begins @ 7PM

*THANK YOU for all the items that have been submitted!*

We are looking forward to a fun evening as a church family, with a canteen, hotdogs, and baked goods for sale.

*\*Canteen/Bake Sale items will be cash only.*



**Have you noticed the Awning in the Atrium?**

Each time we reach \$10,000 in donations towards the **Vision Fund**, we will add another roof shingle to the roof awning! We are building towards our \$1,000,000 goal for roof repairs, decreasing our mortgage and supporting our missions vision.

### ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL ELECTIVE

March 1, 8, 15, & 22

Lent: An Invitation to a Holy Reset

*Sign up at the Connect Center.*

### YOUTH FUNDRAISER LUNCH

TODAY after the Service

Our Senior Youth Group is raising money for their Spring Break and Summer missions trips!

You are invited to join them for lunch today after the service.

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### MEMBERSHIP MEETING

Monday, February 23 @ 7PM

### AGENDA:

- Opening devotional & prayer
- Pastoral Report
- Budget overview
- Budget small group discussion
- Small group prayer
- Other business
- Coffee & Cookies in The Well

*While only members are able to vote, anyone who calls SEMC their home church is welcome to attend.*

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### JOIN OUR SUNDAY TECH TEAM!

Serve in Projection or Live Stream Camera once every 4 weeks (Sundays, 8-12) Training will be provided - no experience needed.

Interested?

Email [bpost@semconline.com](mailto:bpost@semconline.com) to learn more!

## 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 Mary (Cornie) Friesen** on the passing of her brother, John Reimer, who passed away Tuesday, February 17.

### Seniors & Housebound

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

### Our Workers

Pray for those involved in **SBC's Mission Exposure** trips over the next 3 weeks. **Carl and Lisa Loewen** lead the MX3 trip to Spain and Morocco along with **Andrew Thiessen** and 10 other students. Pray for safety while they travel, quick adjustments to the new time and culture, and many opportunities to share God's love with those around them. Pray for **Samuel Loewen** as he helps lead the MX1 team to various ministries in Winnipeg. Pray for open hearts for the students to see what God is doing as well as strength to serve.

**Andrea** - This month Andrea is presenting workshops through Recovery of Hope on 'Anxiety: Nurturing Wellbeing in a Worried World' in nearby communities on March 5th in Steinbach. Please pray these be helpful for participants

# February 22, 2026

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WE ARE GLAD YOU ARE HERE

9:30 AM Sunday School

10:45 AM Worship Service



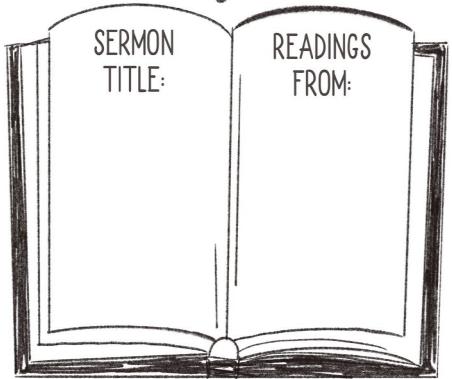
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# SERMON

# Notes

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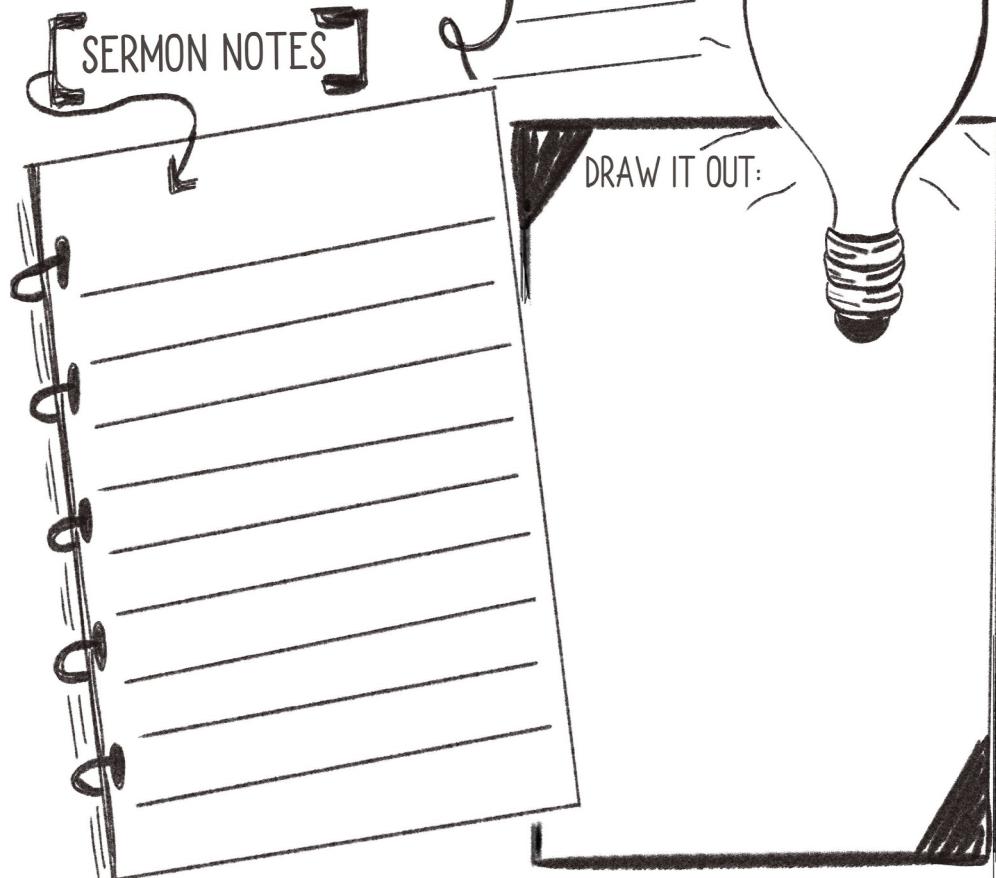
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FAVORITE  
WORSHIP  
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TODAY

## 7 THINGS I HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT:

## SERMON NOTES

## DRAW IT OUT:



# Sermon Notes

today is: