



Join us for a **prayer meeting** every Wednesday at 9 am.

If you would like to be part of the **prayer e-chain** fill in the yellow form for the prayer chain at the Welcome Centre and hand it in at the office.

If you have a **praise or prayer** request, please drop it into the prayer bowl on the organ. Each request will be prayed for and kept confidential.

## PRAISE AND PRAYER

Please pray for our missionary of the week:

**David Thiessen – MB Mission (Winnipeg)**

### P & C

#### MB Mission (Restricted)

Pray for wisdom and grace as they offer training and resourcing to new church leaders in Southeast Asia.

**Square One World Media:** Praise God that Square One World Media's Russian partners were granted the necessary Visas for their trip to Canada. Pray for them over the next month as they travel through several provinces raising support for Russian-language media and sharing what God is doing through our ministry

## CONNECT

### OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

Mclvor Church Missions Committee has agreed to register as a regional collection site for Operation Christmas Child (OCC).

Many of you are familiar with filling a Shoe Box with items that are then distributed to children in underprivileged areas around the world.

### We need your help with the following

■ A person who has a passion and ability to lead a team of volunteers to oversee the collection of OCC boxes for our church and other churches/community groups during the collection week in November.

■ A group of 4-5 volunteers to assist with the collection of the boxes during National Collection week, Nov 16-22. These volunteers would be on hand to collect boxes as they are dropped off at the church (dates to be determined).

Perhaps your care group or cell group would like to take part of this project on? If you are interested and wish further details and information please contact: Rodney Badgley.

### SCRIPTURE READERS

9:00 am - Lilly Polnau

11:15 am - Grace Tokle

### AUDIOVISUAL

Chuck Isaak

Ed Giesbrecht

### MUSIC

Anne Friesen

Justin Koop

Charlie Goossen

Theo Dyck

Justin Fraser

### COMMUNITY NEWS

Pastor Gerald Hildebrand

During the 2nd service, there are tables set up and materials provided in the overflow section to worship God through painting. We are all creative because we have been made in the image of a creative God, so if you feel called to worship God in this way, we encourage you to do so!

### DIRECTORY UPDATE

It's time to update our phone directory. Due to new privacy laws we are required to get written permission to use/publish your contact information. Feel free to pick up the necessary form, at the information desk or by the mailboxes, to be filled out by you. Once this form is completed please drop it in the offering bag or the church office. Please try to have this done by Oct. 25th. Thank you for your help.

### ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

Congratulations to John & Elsie Redekopp as they will be celebrating 60 years of marriage on Oct 15th.

### BAPTISM CELEBRATION

We have a baptism planned for Oct 18th. Is God calling you to take this step of faith and obedience? Please speak with one of the pastors to express interest or ask any questions.

### NOTICE OF MOTION

On November 15, 2015, at the Fall membership meeting, Council will be asking the congregation to approve revised church governance documents, specifically the Constitution and Bylaw. The revised documents will be distributed in church on Sunday, October 18 following final approval by Council at the October 13 Council meeting.

### FINANCIAL UPDATE

Mclvor Finance Update as of September 30.

Receiptable donations	\$382,884
Expenses	\$450,254
Budget	\$567,425

### IN THE COMMUNITY

#### Donwood Soup & Pie Fundraiser

Friday, Oct. 30 @ 12:00-1:30 pm \$7 at the door in the Donwood Auditorium (165 Donwood Dr.). If you would like to donate pies or buns please contact your Donwood Auxiliary representative or Donwood Manor at 668-4410.

#### Parents/Prospective Students

CMU Campus Visit Days – Discover a university committed to deepen understandings; develop character; nourish faith; and open future vocational paths. CMU's Campus Visit Days open prospective students and parents to a diverse range of programs, amazing faculty, student life opportunities, financial supports, all in a great university context. Upcoming Campus Visit Dates include: Oct 16 (Year One), Oct 23 (during PIT Conference) and Nov 6 (Out of town). Discover CMU!

**Sam's Place Film Night** - Monday, Oct 19 at 7 pm - *How to Survive a Plague*. This award-winning 2012 documentary tells the story of how two coalitions of activists changed the face of the AIDS crisis in the 80's and 90's. They are examples of the way determined individuals and groups can change the world. The film is 109 minutes long and rated 14A for language and subject matter.

### VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

A time for transition at **Square One World Media** - After 9 years of service our **Executive Director, Claude Pratte**, has announced his desire to retire. The Board of Directors has begun its search for a new leader to guide the organization into its next chapter of ministry. Pray with us that God will be present and honoured throughout this process. Visit [www.squareoneworldmedia.com](http://www.squareoneworldmedia.com) for more information or to apply.

# CHILDREN'S & ADULT MINISTRIES

Our next **parent and child dedication** will happen on Sunday, **Oct. 18th**. Any families interested in participating should contact Bonnie in the church office.

**New Kids Bulletins** for ages 3-6 and ages 7-12 are available each week on the kid's table outside the main sanctuary doors. Come check them out!

Supervised playtime for **kids ages 0-5** is available in the JAM'N Kidz room behind the sanctuary during the 2nd service.

## CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL

*Today Sunday School will be held in the gym but next week they will be in their regular classes as follows:*

**JAM'N Kidz Sunday School** for kids **ages 2 - 5** starts at 10:15 am in the JAM'N Kidz room behind the sanctuary.

**Power Hour Sunday School** for kids **grades 1 - 2** starts at 10:15 am. Please check in at the sign in counter in the basement.

## WOMEN'S MINISTRY

### Ladies Fellowship Circle

- Coffee time at the church Oct 20 @ 1:30 pm

### Afternoon Ladies Fellowship

- Giving Thanks with speaker Bettie Bergen - Oct 14th @ 1:30 pm



## YOUNG ADULTS

- **18-19 yr olds:** Miranda Lohvinenko
- **23-26 yr olds:** Devyn Toews
- **26-up:** Pastor Denver Wilson

For information on Stream Groups please contact the leader for your age group.

[www.mcvoryouth.com](http://www.mcvoryouth.com) **youth MINISTRIES**

## youth SUNDAY SCHOOL

*Today Sunday School will be held in the gym but next week they will be in their regular classes as follows:*

Jr. & Sr. High Sunday School starts at 10:15 am for youth grades 6 - 12. Check the map downstairs for the location of the small group meeting rooms.

## youth NIGHTS

JR SR

### HIGH HIGH

#### Girl/Guy Night - Oct 16

Girls meet at Miranda's house (608 Headmaster Row).  
Guys meet at Mclvor Church (200 Mclvor Ave).  
7:00 - 9:30 pm. Cost \$2.

#### Crazy Games Night - Oct 23

Come and play some awesome games around the church!  
7:00 - 9:30 pm. Cost \$2.

#### Oct 16 - Zombie Apocalypse

The church is overrun with zombies! Help us find the cure! 7:00 - 9:30 pm at Mclvor. Cost \$2.

#### Oct 23 - Small Group Week

No large group youth event on Friday. Instead, contact your leader to find out what you'll be doing with your small group this week.

## mexico MISSIONS TRIP

March 25-April 3, 2016



A team of Sr. High youth and adult leaders will build houses with Amor Ministries. We will be flying to Phoenix, then busing to Puerto Penasco.

Estimated cost is \$1450. Lots of fundraising opportunities available!

This year we will be partnering with Ft. Garry MB Church. Limited spots are available. Register by December 13th (or costs go up!) All info and forms available at: [www.mcvoryouth.com/collideforms.html](http://www.mcvoryouth.com/collideforms.html)