### **24** January 18–24

### MONDAY

Office Closed Movers & Shakers-1:30 pm Floor Hockey-7:30 pm

### TUESDAY

**HISWEEKATMCIVC** 

Seniors Breakfast 8 am-walk in the gym 8:30 am-Breakfast Ladies Fellowship Circle-1:30 pm McIvor Quilters-4 pm

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UPCOMINGEVENTS				
Jan 25	Monday Afternoon			
	Bible Study			

Feb 16	Seniors Breakfast	
	Ladies Fellowship Circle	

**Blood Donor Clinic** 

**Financial Meeting** 

Sunday Morning Gathering-10 am

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SUNDAY

Prayer Meeting-9 am

Mom's Group-10 am

Boys/Girls Club-7 pm

Youth Night-7 & 7:30 pm

The Exchange-11:15 am

Food Bank-10 am

Feb 2 Ladies Fellowship Circle Feb. 20 Feb 7 **Communion Sunday** Feb 21 Feb 10 Afternoon Ladies March 5 Mexico Fundraiser Fellowship

### **PROPERTYCOMMITTEE**

Please direct questions regarding our property to the Church Office. Property Committee members will be in charge of opening/closing and set-ups during the week as follows:

Jan 11-17	Terry Kesterke
Jan 18-24	Jason Cassie
Jan 25-31	Devyn Toews

Please contact the person listed above for access to the church.

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# Mclvor Church

Come as you are Experience the Spirit's Freedom Go give Witness

**January 17, 2016** 

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### **Seeds of the Kingdom**

Matthew 13:24-30: 36-43 With Pastor Denver Wilson

Gathering-10 AM The Exchange-11:15 AM

# &WORSHIP PRAISEANDPRAYER

Please pray for our missionary of the week-Stephanie Dyck-Power to Change (Christian Embassy)

### **Tony & Roxanna Petersen MB Mission (Germany)**

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Pray for effective ministry as the Petersens serve the local church in Peine through worship, prayer, preaching, outreach, children and vouth ministries.

### Square One World Media:

Jacob Funk produces weekly episodes of Square One World Media's Low German radio program, "Licht vom Evangelium". Pray for creativity and insight as Jacob continues to make this long-running program a valued source of inspiration and teaching for listeners.

### WORSHIP

### WORSHIPLEADER

Pastor Gerald Hildebrand

#### SCRIPTUREREADER

Lily Polnau

#### **AUDIOVISUAL**

Chuck Isaak Ed Giesbrecht

### MUSIC

Anne Friesen Shauna Plett Andrew Regehr Issac Epp David Thiessen Denver Wilson Justin Fraser

### **NEXTSUNDAY**

Seeds of the Kingdom: What a Treasure Matthew 13:31-33; 44-52; with Pastor Gerald Hildebrand

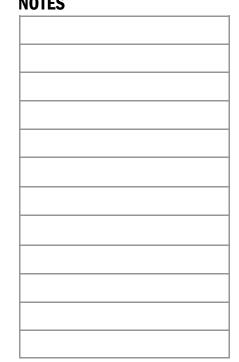
Ingrid Neufeld, Karin & Herb Suderman and their sister, Wili and her children, would like to thank McIvor Church for their prayer support at the passing of their brother-in-law, husband and father. Jack Bass.

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.

### NOTES



# **\$\$** & ANNOUNCEMENTS

### **EMPLOYMENTOPPORTUNITY Office Administrator** Substitutes Needed

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We are recruiting a team of substitutes to be able to cover all days of the week and all months of the year in the church office. We are looking ahead to vacation time, training sessions and any unexpected absences due to illness or emergency. Thanks to those who have made themselves available already. If you have some office admin skills and experience, and would be willing and available to round out our substitute pool, please contact Bonnie Keep: mcivor@mcivorchurch.com or (204) 339-1691

### BIBLESTUDY

All are welcome to attend the Monday Bible Study which will be held every other Monday in the Fellowship Room at 1:30 pm. The next study is on Jan 25th. Contact Ed & Anne Kublick if you need more information.

### **MEN'SRETREAT**

McIvor Men's Retreat: Gentlemen of all ages, mark your calendar for the annual Men's Retreat on March 4-6 at Red Rock Bible Camp. Contact Ed Giesbrecht if you have questions.

### IT'S COOOOLD OUTSIDE!

McIvor Missions committee continues to support Secret Place Ministries and is asking for your help. Over the next three Sundays we will be collecting mittens and socks for distribution to the men and women who rely on Secret Place Ministries for spiritual and other needs.

There will be a collection basket in the main foyer each Sunday for you to drop of your generous donations.

If you have questions please contact any committee member for details. Thank you for your support!

### **EVENINGSERVICES**

McIvor has been holding Sunday **Evening Services since November** 2015. These have been meaningful gatherings for those who have attended: but we have also felt that the small attendance does not warrant continuation in the current format. Church Council has therefore decided to suspend these services, effective immediately. We are planning to resume the Thursday evening "Burning Embers" services in the summer months, and will continue exploring other gathering opportunities that serve the community.

### **VOLUNTEERSNEEDED**

The residents of Donwood Manor Personal Care Home need volunteers to help with their meals, recreational activities and birthday parties. Please call Wanda Derksen at 204-668-4410, visit www.donwoodmanor.org or see the church bulletin board for more information.

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Kids **Our Daily Bread** devotionals are available on the kids table outside the main sanctuary doors.

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.

Supervised playtime for kids ages 0-5 is available in the preschool playroom behind the sanctuary during the service.

### THE EXCHANGE

The Exchange: Preschool for ages 2-5 starts at 11:15 am in the preschool sanctuary.

**The Exchange: Kids** for grades 1-5 starts at 11:15 am. Please check in at the sign-in counter in the basement.

**The Exchange: Youth** starts at 11:15 am for youth grades 6-12. Check the map downstairs for the location of Jr. High small group meeting rooms. Sr. High meets in the youth lounge.

The Exchange: Coffee House–All ages are invited to come and grab a coffee or espresso from the Coffee House located near the front entrance.

### WOMEN'SMINISTRY

Ladies Fellowship Circle Coffee Time Jan 19 @ 1:30 pm

Speaker-Charlene Epp Feb 2 @ 1:30 pm



## Exchange: Youth

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### youthNIGHTS

### JR SR HIGH HIGH.

### Star Wars Week #3-Jan 22

Star Wars round three! Come join us for some fun Star Wars games, and don't forget to dress up! 7-9:30 at McIvor. Cost is \$2.

### Star Wars: The Final Battle-Jan 29

The fate of the galaxy will be decided! Come join us for some fun Star Wars games, and don't forget to dress up! 7-9:30 at McIvor. Cost is \$2.

### Jan 22-Home Groups

Grades 9-10 at the Badgley's (34 Chornick Drive); Grades 11-12 at the Epp's (26 Mahonee Drive) 7:30-10 pm

### Jan 29-Worship Night

Grades 9-12 at McIvor Church (200 McIvor Ave.) 7:30-10 pm





Young Adult Ministry We have a few small groups

designed for different ages and interests. If you are interested in joining a small group or would like more information, please email Pastor Denver: <u>dwilson@mcivorchurch.com</u>