WELCOME to Grace Mennonite Church – August 18th, 2024

WORSHIP TEAM	Jordan Wollf
CHILDREN'S FEATURE	Mark Neudorf
SPECIAL ITEM	Punnichy Report / Slideshow
SPEAKER	Pastor Darryl Neudorf
"Can I Doubt God?" – Summer Series in Psalms – Psalm 73	

BBQ lunch by donation to follow.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY:

No Supervised Nursery & No Children's Church.

 \rightarrow Both programs will resume on Sunday, September 8.

MOMS & TOTS GROUP *To resume in September...*

YOUTH MINISTRY:

SENIOR YOUTH Grades 9-12 Bible Study at the O'Soups 7-10pm

JUNIOR YOUTH Grades 6-9 Maya's Backyard Event

7-9:30pm-Bring a lawn chair, running shoes, and a bike if you have one.

NOTE: Our Senior Youth group is looking for some volunteers to help lead Senior Youth. If you are interested in this, please talk with Pastor Brent.

*Office hours are decreased and more variable for July and August. Please be aware a reply may take longer than usual.

**A new photo directory for this fall is in progress. Clarissa will be available to take photos today and next Sunday, August 25, in the courtyard following the morning worship service. Photos can also be submitted to the office by email at <u>office@gracech.ca</u>. Thank you!

Marriage Mentoring is a ministry to help encourage and support couples in strengthening their marriage no matter how long they have been married. If you would like to invest in a younger couple as a husband-and-wife mentor or if you would like to be mentored by another couple, please contact Pastor Darryl in the near future. Questions are welcome!

Fall Fest 2024: Saturday, September 7, 11am-3pm.

**See signup sheet on the bulletin board.

***Need 80 square bales for Fall Fest; willing to buy and sell them after if that suits better than donation. Speak with Ashley (J) Janzen or Amy Neudorf.

THIS WEEK:

Wednesday - Evening Prayer Meeting 7pm in the Conference Room

SUMMER SCHEDULE: Worship Services will now begin at 10:30am through Sept 1. There will be no Sunday School, Children's Church, or Supervised Nursery from June 23-Sept 1. Parents are welcome to use the nursery space upstairs or the dining hall to stay with their young children. There will be a barbecue lunch by donation following the service June 30-Aug 25 – all are welcome!

The Education Committee is in search of Sunday School teachers for the 2024/2025 year:

Grade 4 – 2 Teachers

Family Class – 1 couple to partner with Gord & Donna Neudorf ***If you are interested in serving in this way, please contact Sally Wall (ph. 306-290-8072) or Janet Buhler (ph. 306-230-6085).

The Missions Committee is in search of:

Kids of Grace leader(s) for the 2024/2025 year.

Please speak with Clark Giesbrecht, Jill Wiebe, Edith Thiessen, or Jonney Ginther if interested.

Supervised Nursery / Children's Church: Adults and youth interested in volunteering, please contact Ashley (Thomas) Braun at 780-518-4441.

Computer Tech needed! Pastor Daniel is looking for another computer tech. If interested, please speak with him directly.

PRAYER & PRAISE:

Mission Focus this Month: Daniel & Jenna

- Xavier Stobbs (3-year-old son of Graham & Monica Stobbs, grandson of John & Shirley Martens) battling high-risk cancer.
- Pray for Punnichy's Kingdom Rock (August 11-16).
- Pray for needed Sunday School teachers and Kids of Grade leader(s) for this fall.
- Jon Epp battling cancer.
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Congratulations to Stuart & Katie Mufford on the birth of their son, Alexander Clyde, born on August 3rd!