

# WELCOME to Grace Mennonite Church – September 1<sup>st</sup>, 2024

**WORSHIP TEAM** Courtney Neudorf  
**SPECIAL MUSIC** Rachel Janzen  
**SPEAKER** Pastor Daniel Doerksen  
"Why Can't We Get Along?"

Part 2 – The Restorative Nature of Humility – Genesis 32 & 33

## CHILDREN'S MINISTRY:

**No Supervised Nursery & No Children's Church.**  
-Both programs will resume next Sunday, September 8.

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

## MEN'S MINISTRY:

**Men's Breakfast**  
**Saturday, September 14, at 8am**  
Guest Speaker: Jerrold Doerksen,  
Former Missionary with Teach  
Beyond.

## YOUTH MINISTRY:


**SENIOR YOUTH Grades 10-12**  
Fishing/Fireside @ Friesen's  
7-10pm

**JUNIOR YOUTH Grades 7-9**  
Game Show Night  
7-9pm

*Our Senior Youth group is in need of volunteers to help lead Senior Youth. If you are interested, please talk with Pastor Brent.*

**Fall Youth Retreat**  
**@ Millar College of the Bible**  
**Gr 9-12, Oct 18-20**  
Online registration begins Sept 2;  
please see form on youth bulletin board.

**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 very soon. Questions are welcome!

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

*\*\*Volunteers are still needed; 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  
Saturday – **FallFest** – 11am-3pm in the parking lot!  
Sunday, September 8<sup>th</sup>:  
- **Sunday School** begins at 10am for all ages (see bulletin insert)  
- **Worship Service** resumes at 11am  
- **Children's Church** resumes (downstairs)  
- **Supervised Nursery** resumes (upstairs)

**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.

**Communion:** *September 8<sup>th</sup>.*  
**New Membership Meeting:** *Sunday, September 15<sup>th</sup> at 7pm.* If you are interested in becoming a member of NGMC, please talk with Pastor Darryl or Pastor Daniel before the 15<sup>th</sup>.

**Missions Sunday:** *September 29<sup>th</sup>.* There will be a soup and pie fundraiser lunch following the service with funds going toward the film Dan Gibson is working on.

**\*\*\*DISHES:** NGMC has purchased new dishes. The old dishes are available in the buffet room for the taking by donation (please note on your e-transfer or cheque that the money is for dishes; cash is also accepted). Thank you! \*\*\*

**\*\*A new photo directory is in progress.** Please submit your photos to the office by email at [office@gracech.ca](mailto:office@gracech.ca). Thank you!

**\*The Sept-Nov 2024 regular-size-print Daily Bread is available on the foyer shelf.** Please help yourself to as many copies as you would like!

## PRAYER & PRAISE:

**Mission Focus this Month:** Velm & Kerstin

- Xavier Stobbs (3-year-old son of Graham & Monica Stobbs, grandson of John & Shirley Martens) battling high-risk cancer.
- Pray for needed Sunday School teacher and Kids of Grace leader(s) for this fall.
- Jon Epp battling cancer.
- Gerald Hamm at home recovering after a heart attack.
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*Congratulations to Logan and Heidi Foth on the birth of their daughter, Olive Emi, born on August 15<sup>th</sup>!*

# 2024/2025 Sunday School Classes

There is a class waiting for you!

Sunday School for all ages starts on Sunday, September 8, at 10:00am.

There will be a light breakfast served from 9:30-10:00am on September 8 to kick off the new Sunday School year. Muffins, cheese, fruit, juice, and coffee will be available.

CLASS	ROOM	TEACHERS
Age 2	309	Crystal Ens
Age 3	310	Kim Fehr, Cathy Fehr
Age 4	311	Ashley (G) Janzen, Rebecca Fehr
Kindergarten/Age 5	302	Heather Braun, Julie Olsen
Grade 1	308	Kathy Wall
Grade 2	305	Ashley (J) Janzen, Nicole Foth
Grade 3	106	Kendra Reimer, Jessica Wiebe
Grade 4	107	Sarah Jane O'Soup, Trish Giesbrecht
Grade 5	109	Shauna Loewen, Denyne Krahn
Grade 6	108	Leander Peters, Mary Gibson
Grade 7-9	110	Stuart Mufford, Jacob Wielinga
Grade 10-12	Youth Room	Devin Fehr, Jordan Janzen
Special Education	304	Angela Wielinga
Family Class	Upstairs Nursery	Gord & Donna Neudorf, Michael & Esther Ruten
Christian Fellowship	Dining Hall	Murray Neudorf, <span style="background-color: yellow;">                    </span>
Mixed Adult Study	Conference	Dan Giesbrecht



\*Please note there will be a Sunday School offering taken each Sunday during class time. All proceeds go toward classes filling Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes.

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

***Christian Fellowship Class in the Dining Hall – 1 teacher to partner with Murray 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).