

WELCOME to Grace Mennonite Church – October 27th, 2024

WORSHIP TEAM Jordan Wolff
SPEAKER Pastor Daniel Doerksen
"Unity's Testimony" – John 17:20-23, Ephesians 4:1-7
Series: Becoming a Great Commission Christian

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY:

Supervised Nursery during the worship service for ages 1 & 2 (in the Upstairs Nursery space; ask an usher if you need directions).

Children's Church for ages 3-5 will be dismissed by announcement (in the basement; ask an usher if you need directions).

MOMS & TOTS in the GYM
For young moms and their preschool children every Tuesday at 10am in the church gym. Invite a friend!

KIDS OF GRACE Wed, Nov 6th
for kids age 4-grade 6, 6:30-8pm.

YOUNG ADULTS:

Bible Study
Nov 4th, at 7:30pm, at NGMC

Talk with Stuart Mufford if you have any questions.

WOMEN OF GRACE:

What's Your Story?
Oct 30th, 7:30pm, in the Dining Hall

Video Testimony: Tracey Unger
(Denyne Krahn's Sister-in-Law)
Special Feature: Marsha Reimer

*Please bring your favourite book!

YOUTH MINISTRY:

SENIOR YOUTH Grades 10-12
Bible Study
Monday, October 28th, 7-10pm

JUNIOR YOUTH Grades 7-9
Pumpkin Carving
*Bring a pumpkin and carving tools.
Tuesday, October 29th, 7-9pm

October is Pastor Appreciation Month!

Please take some time to show your appreciation for our pastors and their wives in some way this month. There are 5 large envelopes (one for each pastor) on the foyer bulletin board; please feel free to slip notes of encouragement and/or gift cards into them.

MEN'S BREAKFAST:

Saturday, November 9th
8:00-9:30am, in the Dining Hall

Speaker: Mark Neudorf

THIS WEEK:

Tuesday – **Moms & Tots in the Gym** 10am-12pm
Adult Drop-In Floor Hockey 9-10pm in the Gym
Wednesday – **Evening Prayer Meeting** 7pm in the Conference Room
Women of Grace 7:30pm in the Dining Hall
Thursday – **Adult Drop-In Pickleball** 7-9pm in the Gym

Praise & Worship Night: November 9th at 7:30 pm at NGMC with Millar College of the Bible's Music Team, Replica.

Baptism & Membership Sunday: November 10th

Christmas Day Choir directed by Joyce Unger: Practices start on Tuesday, November 12 at 7:30pm – see signup sheet on the bulletin board.

Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes: filled boxes are due November 17th!

Christmas in Punnichy: Saturday, November 30th – See signup sheet on bulletin board or talk to Pastor Daniel.

Annual General Meeting 2025: Friday, February 7th – mark your calendars! Nomination forms are available in the foyer. There is also an online form available through the link on the church website this year (<http://gracech.ca>)! Nomination forms are due November 12th.

The NGMC 100th Anniversary Celebration: July 4th & 5th, 2026 – Photos are needed now for the slideshow. Please email them to office@gracech.ca or bring them to Clarissa at the office for her to copy. Thank you!

**If you wish to borrow something from the church including items from the kitchen, please sign out the item(s) with Clarissa in the church office.*

PRAYER & PRAISE:

Mission Focus this Month: Prairie Hope Women's Centre (Teen Challenge)

- Xavier Stobbs (3-year-old son of Graham & Monica Stobbs, grandson of John & Shirley Martens) battling high-risk cancer.
- Pray for our pastors and their wives; October is Pastor Appreciation month!
- Pray as Jon Epp's cancer has spread.
- Curtis Doering with Operation Mobilization in Taiwan till January.
- Conflict in Israel and Ukraine.
- Pray for Henry Friesen and family.
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MEN'S MINISTRY: FIGHT CLUB

Fight Club is for men who want to overcome sexual sin.

We will meet October 23, 7:30-9:30pm, then will continue meeting the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of every month going forward.

We are going through the book "More Than a Battle" by Joe Rigney. For more information including the meeting location, please contact Jordan Janzen or Joshua Janzen.

Victory is possible but you need to fight!

"I say then: Walk in the Spirit, and you shall not fulfill the lust of the flesh."
Galatians 5:16

Having trouble hearing the service?
FM receivers are available from the sound booth.



CALL FOR NOMINATIONS FOR AGM 2025:

***Nomination Forms** are now available for the 2025 AGM in the foyer; an online nomination form is also available on the church website this year (<http://gracech.ca>).

WOMEN OF GRACE:

For All Women Age 18+ – Save the Date!
Women of Grace Spring Retreat
at The Quest, Christopher Lake – March 28-30th, 2025.
Interested in helping plan our retreat?
Sign up on the bulletin board.

WOMEN'S MINISTRY: HEALING HOPE SUPPORT GROUP

To facilitate the healing journey for women who have been wounded by their spouse's sexual betrayal/pornography use.

12 sessions, Friday evenings at 7:30pm, beginning Nov 1st
Contact Sara Unger for information, location, and to register.

COST: \$40 includes book "Hope After Betrayal" + workbook
or

\$15 workbook only (if you already own the "Hope After Betrayal" book).



*Church Camp 2025:
July 25-27 at
Camp Kinasao
– save the date!
More info to come.*