WELCOME to Grace Mennonite Church - February 16th, 2025

WORSHIP TEAM SPEAKER

Tanya Derksen
Pastor Daniel Doerksen

SPIRITUAL GROWTH: INSIGHTS FROM 2 PETER Part 5 – "Right Thinking" – 2 Peter 3:1-13

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY:

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

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

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, March* 5th For kids age 4-grade 6, 6:30-8pm.

YOUNG ADULTS:

Trivia Night & Breakfast Cereal Potluck Buffet Feb 17th, at 7:30pm, at NGMC.

Talk with Stuart Mufford if you have any questions.

YOUTH MINISTRY:

SENIOR YOUTH Grades 10-12

Bible Study Monday, February 17th, 6-10pm

JR & SR YOUTH Grades 7-12

Music Hour!

Tuesday, February 18th, 5:45-6:45pm

JUNIOR YOUTH Grades 7-9

Bible Study

Tuesday, February 18th, 7-9pm

JR & SR YOUTH (+ Parents)

Table Mountain Ski Trip Saturday, March 1st --- **Register ASAP!**

WOMEN OF GRACE presents

Dearly Beloved: Join us on Feb 26th at 7:30pm in the Dining Hall for a Valentine's-themed evening.

Keynote Speaker: Susanah Laguerre

Trifles & Games & Love Testimonials

*All women 18+ please consider joining us as we connect in friendship as women in the church and community.

FOUNDATIONS CLASS: STARTING MARCH 30TH AT 10AM

If you are interested in learning more about the essentials of the Christian faith, join us March 30th at 10am. This class is required for baptism. See Pastor Darryl or Pastor Daniel for more info.

MEMBERSHIP SUNDAY: MAY 4TH

Meeting for those interested in church membership on **Tuesday**, **February 25 at 7pm** in the conference room. Talk with Pastor Daniel or Pastor Darryl if interested.

THIS WEEK:

Mon, Wed, & Fri – **Drop-In Indoor Walking** 9-10:30am in the Gym.

Monday – Adult Drop-In Pickleball 2-4pm in the Gym.

Tuesday – Moms & Tots in the Gym 10am-12pm.

Adult Drop-In Floor Hockey 9-10pm in the Gym.

Wednesday – **Evening Prayer Meeting** 7-8pm in the Conference Room.

Thursday – Adult Drop-In Pickleball 7-9pm in the Gym.

DivorceCare: Hepburn MB Church is facilitating DivorceCare, a 13-week support group once again. Starting Monday, Feb 24th, 7-9pm; see pamphlet on bulletin board.

Spring Women's Retreat: March 28th-30th at The Quest, Christopher Lake. Guest Speaker: Pattie Janzen. Cost: \$160 per person (confirmed). See signup sheet on the foyer bulletin board.

***As the NGMC Sabbatical Policy states that Pastors will receive a sabbatical every 5 years, Pastor Daniel will be away on sabbatical from April 21 till August 23. This is a time for him to be away from the regular demands of ministry to rejuvenate and to increase and improve ministry skills.

Church Family Camp: July 25-27. If you would like to book a campsite at Camp Kinasao rather than stay in a cabin, booking has opened for those; there are up to 10 sites available. See Clarissa for what the church camp rates would be if booking a campsite instead of a cabin.

PRAYER & PRAISE:

Mission Focus this Month: The Bridge on 20th

- Xavier Stobbs (3-year-old son of Graham & Monica Stobbs, grandson of John & Shirley Martens) battling high-risk cancer.
- Pray for Jon Epp as he continues to battle cancer.
- Pray for John Klassen (Sara Unger's dad) dealing with cancer and recovering from surgery; radiation began January 31.
- Pray for Jake Fehr (Terry Fehr's & Cheryl Friesen's dad) dealing with cancer.
- Pray for new members to Council and new Committee members.
- Emily Fehr recovering from wrist surgery.
- Joanne McLellan (Punnichy) recovering from surgery.
- Pray for Tina Peters (Kelvin Peters' mother, Leander Peters' grandma) who is in hospital with a fractured vertebra.

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