WELCOME to Grace Mennonite

Church — December 21st, 2025

WORSHIP TEAM Tanya Derksen
MISSIONS SPOT Julie Gibson

ADVENT READING Clayton & Marg Wiebe SPEAKER Pastor Mitchell Fehr

"Which Side Are You On?"
The Gift of Truth – John 18:28-38
HOPE FROM HEAVEN | 4™ SUNDAY OF ADVENT

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY:

Babies of Grace – Supervised Nursery available 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 (<u>upstairs</u> in the Kindergarten Sunday School classroom, Room # 302; ask an usher for directions if needed).

MOMS & TOTS in the GYM – resumes Jan. 6th For moms and their preschool children Tuesdays at 10am in the church gym. Invite your friends!

KIDS OF GRACE for children age 4–grade 6. – resumes Jan. 7th, 6:15-8:15pm, with the rescheduled Christmas / New Years Party!

Parents, you are welcome to stay!

THIS WEEK:

Mon & Wed – Indoor Walking 9-10:30am.

Monday – Adult Drop-In Pickleball 2-4pm.

Christmas Day Choir Practice at 7:30pm

Tuesday – Age 16+ Drop-In Floor Hockey 9-10pm.

Wednesday – Candlelight Service 7pm.

Thursday – Christmas Day Service 10:30am.

YOUTH MINISTRY:

SR YOUTH Grades 10-12

Movie Night @ Ryan & Dina's Monday, December 22nd, 7-10pm



No Youth

Resumes on Tuesday, January 6th



CHRISTMAS UPCOMING:

- **❖** Christmas Eve Candlelight Service: December 24th at 7pm.
- **♦ Christmas Day Worship Service:** December 25th at 10:30am (with the choir).
- Sunday, December 28th at 11:00am no Sunday School or Children's Church; the Supervised Nursery space is open for parents, though it will not be staffed this Sunday.
- ❖ Sunday, January 4th, 2026 Regular schedule and programming resumes; Sunday School at 10am, worship service at 11am with Supervised Nursery & Children's Church.

CHRISTMAS TREE FUND:

The total amount received will be given as a gift to our missionaries.

If you would like to donate to this fund, please note "Christmas Tree Fund" on your cheque or e-transfer memo.



Please have all year-end giving in by Dec 31st. Thank you!

*e-Transfers: office@gracech.ca.

Youth Farm Bible Camp presents A Corn Maze Christmas Drive Thru Christmas Lights Display. Today, Dec 21, is the last day. See poster on the bulletin board.

The Bridge's Community Christmas Celebration this Tuesday, December 23. All are invited to help. See note on the bulletin board titled <u>The</u> Bridge's Christmas Volunteer Opportunities.

Jan. 17th @ Brian King Centre — BILLY MOLLS, MODERN DAY MOUNTAIN MAN: SHARING THE GOSPEL THROUGH HUNTING. See poster on bulletin board for more details. Open to all! Talk to Gerald Hamm if you have any questions.

Women's Evening Bible Study "When You Pray"

beginning January 13, 7-9pm, biweekly at Denyne Krahn's home. See signup sheet on bulletin board.

*The binder of archived bulletins from ~2009-2015 is missing. If you have it, please notify Clarissa Penner in the NGMC office / return it.

WOMEN'S BRUNCH BIBLE STUDY STARTING

JANUARY 15TH MEETING WEEKLY ON THURSDAYS AT NGMC IN THE MORNING.
"WHEN YOU PRAY"

MORE DETAILS TO COME.

TALK WITH COURTNEY NEUDORF IF YOU ARE INTERESTED / HAVE ANY QUESTIONS.

NGMC 100th Celebration July 4 & 5 -more details coming in January! **NGMC Annual General Meeting:** Friday, January 30, 2026, at 7pm. All are welcome!

Committee year-end reports are due Dec. 31

Looking for volunteers to run the soundboard in the second sanctuary (Dining Hall) sound booth during the worship service. Talk to Pastor Daniel if you are interested.

PRAYER & PRAISE:

Mission Focus this Month: Julie Gibson

- Pray for a missionary kidnapped in Niger.
- Pray for Gerald Zacharias going through chemo treatments for cancer.
- Pray the Bill C-9 amendment will not be passed.

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