

WELCOME to Grace Mennonite Church – August 9th, 2026

PRELUDE Ashley Braun
WORSHIP TEAM Dan Braun
SPECIAL ITEM Punnichy Team Send-Off
SCRIPTURE READING Emily Martens
SPEAKER Pastor Darryl Neudorf

"The Effect of God's Grace: Past, Present, and Future" – Titus 2:11-15

A SERIES IN TITUS | GRACE THAT TRANSFORMS

SUMMER BBQ BY DONATION TO FOLLOW – EVERYONE IS WELCOME!

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY:

BABIES OF GRACE Supervised Nursery is available during the worship service for children 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 (upstairs in Room # 302 – the Kindergarten Sunday School classroom; ask an usher for directions if needed).

YOUNG ADULTS:

Monday, August 10th
Ages 18-29 | 7:30pm

YOUTH MINISTRY:

SR YOUTH Grades 10-12
No Sr Youth due to retreat.



JR YOUTH Grades 7-9

Bible Study & Games
Tuesday, August 11th, 7-9:30pm

Summer Youth Retreat sign-ups are open on the website/via QR code. Register ASAP!

Sr Youth Punnichy Retreat **Aug 9-16**
NGMC Volleyball Camp Aug 19-21
Gr 9 Retreat Aug 24-25 (*for students currently finishing grade 8 going into grade 9 in September).
Jr Youth Retreat at the Bergs Aug 29-30

SUMMER SCHEDULE:

June 28 – Sept 6:

The worship service begins at 10:30am. No Sunday School.
Children's Church & Supervised Nursery are continuing through the summer!

Summer barbecues by donation put on by the deacons to follow the worship service!

Clarissa will be out of the office from August 9th – 15th. Her next day in the office is Tuesday, August 18th. She apologizes for any inconvenience this may cause.

THIS WEEK:

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

Young Adults 7:30pm.

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

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

Sunday, August 23: Celebrating 25 years with Pastor Brent as NGMC's youth pastor!

Save the Date for FallFest 2026 – Saturday, September 19th, 11am-3pm!

Missionary Visit opportunity! Join a team from NGMC going to Nicaragua in March 2027 to visit Daniel and Jenna. Talk to someone from the Missions Committee if you are interested (Jonney Ginther, Edith Thiessen, Devin Fehr, or Denyne Krahn).

HELP REQUESTS FOR THE YOUNG ADULTS GROUP:

- #1.** The YA group is looking for donations of board & card games. If you have a game to donate, please drop it off with Clarissa at the office.
- #2.** There is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board to help supply snacks for the YA group.

CHILD DEDICATION: Sunday, September 20th

Contact Clarissa Penner in the church office if you would like to have your child dedicated.

PRAYER & PRAISE:

Mission Focus this Month: V & K

- Sherri Wagner is on the waitlist for shoulder surgery; pray for a short wait time.
- Pray that the youth retreats are a blessing.
- Pray for those from NGMC working at camps this summer.
- Pray for Isaac (Nettie) Klassen who had a fall and is in hospital.
- Pray for Sydney Thiessen still needing to raise more financial support before she can leave for the mission field in Mexico.
- Pray for the family of Ed Neufeld who passed away this week (Ed was Brad Neufeld's dad and Alma Sawatzky's brother).
- **Kingdom Rock VBS at Punnichy Prayer Requests:**
 - The kids come to VBS and their families
 - Wisdom to make the most of gospel opportunities
 - Strength and unity for the team
 - Wednesday Evening Community Outreach at Punnichy
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Deb & Gerald Zacharias wish to express their appreciation for all the prayers said on their behalf as Gerald battles cancer.