

THIS WEEK

Mon: Women's Bible Study 9:30 AM
Tues: **No Youth Tonight**
Wed: Sew'n Sews 9 AM in Heritage Hall
Bethesda Place Sing Song
Zoom Bible Study 7 PM
Thurs: Ladies Prayer Meeting 7 PM
Fri: Parents & Tots 9:30 AM
Ladies Puzzle & Game Night 7 PM
Fri & Sat: L.T. Retreat
Sat: Hosting our Ukraine Friends
Next Sunday: Speaker – Pastor Walter, "The Power of a Trinitarian Faith" Part 1

Every Sunday: Ukrainian Slavic Church meets here 2-6 PM

PLANNING AHEAD

Nov 12 Square One World Media – 75th Anniversary documentary at SMBC 7 PM
Nov 21 Ladies Christmas Event
Nov 27 'Guess who's coming for Lunch' **(Sign-up next week)**

YOUTH Tuesday, November 1

NO YOUTH THIS WEEK

Would you be willing to provide a snack for our youth?
Check out the sign-up sheet on the bulletin board in the hallway leading to the Heritage Hall.

CHURCH FAMILY NEWS & OPPORTUNITIES

- **Happy Birthday** to Peter Harms who celebrates 90 years on Nov. 2. God bless and keep you as you celebrate this special milestone.

Art Auction & Ministry Reporting

Join Morgan & Krista Serger and others from Midway Bible Camp and InterAct Ministries
Saturday, November 19th at 7 PM
in Fellowship Hall

Dessert and drinks will be served.



Prayer = Presence + Power + Privilege 24/7

Let's pray for:

- Our pastors and their families:** Walter & Anne Fast, Kelby & Michelle Friesen, Stefan & Kara Lee Klassen
- The youth away this weekend on the retreat at Red Rock.
- May there truly be "More of Jesus – Less of Me" in 2022!
- An end to the war in Ukraine;** provision for those experiencing loss & displacement, and **those adjusting to life in Steinbach.** (70+ families)
- God's provision for the refugee family** we will sponsor. (Malawi)
- Those with health concerns:** Corbin Bergen, Selma Friesen, Merle Hiebert (recovering from hip replacement surgery), Ted Lepp, Kristin Serger, Ed Thiessen.
- Our care-home residents/house-bound members.**
- Our missionaries & members in service:** Jennifer Enns, Melissa (leaving soon), Lloyd & Carol Letkeman, Jeremy & Adrienne Penner, Sandra & Isra Chavez Plett, Val Schinkel, Morgan & Krista Serger, Viktor & Rita Schulz, Greg Wiens.

In Missionary Mail Rack: Multiply November Daily Prayer Guide

NOTE: Jeremy & Adrienne Penner - Ministry in North America until December 2022. **Dates they are in our area: Oct 20-Nov 9.**

ZOOM BIBLE STUDY – Wednesdays at 7 PM

1 Corinthians: Being the Church in a Pagan Society

Join Pastor Walter in this Zoom Bible Study of 1 Corinthians 1-7, as preparation for a preaching series on the final 8 chapters of that letter in 2023. Use the link sent in the weekly SMBC Friday email to join.

Study Guides in print form available at the Info Center

College & Career

Meet Friday evenings at 7 PM. For more info and location, contact Raf at 204-380-1851.

Are you interested in the Alpha Course??

One of SMBC's Community Life Groups is going through it. If you are interested in coming to see what it's about or would like to bring a friend, call Pastor Walter.



Welcome!

Thank you for joining us for worship.

We'd like to get acquainted & minister to you more effectively. Feel free to complete the "welcome card" located in the pew slot and hand to an usher or one of the pastors.

Ladies - Light Your World Christmas Evening Monday, November 21 at 7 PM



Devotional, simple Christmas craft,
Christmas snacks & singing.

**Sign-up October 30, November 6 & 13
in the foyer.**

Cost: \$5 paid at the door for those who sign up.

Mondays until November 7 - "A Woman Overwhelmed"

A 6-week Bible study on Mary, the mother of Jesus.

Location: Youth Room 9:30 AM – Meet for coffee / 10:00 – Study starts

Questions? Contact Rachel Winkler: 204-392-2875

Operation Christmas Child

The opportunity to pack a shoebox is here. Check out the table in the foyer for info on how to get involved and to pick up a shoebox.

Shoebox Deadline is Sunday, Nov. 13



October is Clergy Appreciation Month

Your loving actions and words of encouragement can help maintain the spirits of our pastors and their families.

God bless you, Pastor Walter, Pastor Kelby & Pastor Stefan – we are grateful for you!

NOTES:

SMBC Mission Statement



We are disciples of Jesus Christ being transformed by the Holy Spirit to communicate & demonstrate God's love to all.

Our Strategic Priorities

- ✓ **Growing in Christ**
We want to establish deep roots in our faith.
- ✓ **Connecting in Community**
We want to actively care for each other.
- ✓ **Being Missional**
We want to actively share our faith.
- ✓ **Supporting Families**
We want to strengthen families.
- ✓ **Developing Leaders**
We want to empower effective leaders.

Responding to the Crisis in Ukraine

Ukrainians are arriving in Steinbach. We are looking for host families. Contact Pastor Kelby for info or if you have questions.

Fill out the form at the Info Center or talk to Pastor Kelby.

Items most needed at this time include:

-clothing, furniture, and household items

Next drop-off dates at Southland Church: Tuesdays, November 1, 15; December 6; 5-8 PM.

CHILDREN'S CHURCH/NURSERY



Family Room: Available for parents with small children.

Nursery (ages 0-2): Please sign in at table in Heritage Hall; drop off your child during the service.

Children's Church (ages 3-6): Sign in at the booth on lower level.

Today's Nursery Workers: Mia Fast

Today's Children's Church Workers: Michelle Peters, Heather Giesbrecht, Liam Dueck, Saige Peters

Nov. 6 Nursery Workers: Val Schinkel, Ruth Ewert, Elda Kehler, Ashley Kehler, Nadia Ayala, Anneli Ayala

Nov. 6 Children's Church Workers: René Schulz, Christian Peters, Damaris Ayala, Tessa Warkentin, Josiah Peters, Emery Lepp



Sunday, October 30, 2022
Worship Service - 9:30 AM / Sunday School – 11 AM

“So after they had fasted and prayed, they placed their hands on them and sent them off.” Acts 13:3

Service Leader: Terri-Lee Broesky
Music Leader: Lorie Friesen
Scripture Reading: Michelle Friesen
Acts 12:24-13:5

Message: Andrew Dyck
MB Biblical Seminary
“The Imposition of Hands”

Join Andrew for a Q&A in the sanctuary during Sunday School
Topic: Ordination

- Our service is also available through our phone service & livestream.
- **Children's Church & nursery care available during the service.**

SMBC Sunday Morning Phone Service
1-888-919-5948

Call just before 9:30 AM to hear the service through your phone.

STEINBACH MENNONITE BRETHREN CHURCH

LEAD PASTOR: Walter Fast (walterfast@steinbachmbchurch.ca)

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PASTOR OF STUDENT MIN: Stefan Klassen (stefanklassen@steinbachmbchurch.ca)

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