

THIS WEEK

Tues: Youth 6:30-8:30 PM
Wed: Sew'n Sews 9 AM
Zoom Bible Study 7 PM
Fri: Parents & Tots 9:30 AM
Seniors and College & Career Event
→ 7 PM – Fellowship Hall
→ Join us for games & a time of connecting!
Sat: Hosting our Ukraine Friends

Next Sunday: Speaker – Pastor Kelby

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

PLANNING AHEAD

April 19 Church Baby Shower 6:30 PM

April 23 Baptism Service
→ Celebration Lunch to follow for church family.
→ Borscht & Rollkuchen will be served.

April 30 **Annual Congregational Meeting – following a lunch.**
→ Ministry Fair. More details to come.

May 27 Ladies Event 9:30 AM - 2 PM

July 9-14 Star Lake Family Camp

Sept 22-24 Men's Retreat at Camp Arnes

Nov 17-18 Teaching Church: Interpreting Scripture Today
→ with Mark Wessner. Here at SMBC.



YOUTH Tuesday, April 11
6:30-8:30 PM

CHURCH FAMILY NEWS & OPPORTUNITIES

- **Happy Birthday** to Anne Enns who celebrated 92 years on April 8th. God bless you.
- Laura Martens (Goertzen) has requested a release of membership in order to join the Steinbach EMC Church. We wish her God's blessing as she worships there with her husband Zach.

Sunday, April 30 – Annual Congregational Meeting

We will share a potluck lunch before our meeting:

Last names A-L, bring a hot dish to serve 8-10.

Last names M-Z, bring a dessert to serve 8-10.

Prayer = Presence + Power + Privilege 24/7

Let's pray for:

- A deeper appreciation for Jesus' sacrifice for us.**
- Growth in learning to live in step with the Spirit.
- Those considering ministry positions as we prepare for our Annual Congregational Meeting.
- God's sustaining power for all affected by the war in Ukraine.**
- Provision for the refugee family** we will sponsor. (Malawi)
- Those with health concerns:** Ted Lepp, Kristin Serger.
- Our care-home residents/house-bound members.**
- Our missionaries & members in service:** Heriberto & Viola Ayala, Jennifer Enns, Melissa, Lloyd & Carol Letkeman, Jeremy & Adrienne Penner, Sandra & Isra Chavez Plett, Val Schinkel, Morgan & Krista Serger.
- Short-term Ministry:** Sieg & Elenore Dyck (MDS in Louisiana), Harold & Valerie Kroeker (SOWER ministry in Arizona & Texas), Doro Schulz (6-12 months with Teach Beyond, Brazil)

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 8-16.

Use the link sent in the weekly SMBC Friday email to join.

Study Guides in print form available at the Info Center.

S.H.A.P.E. WORKSHOP

During the Sunday School Hour – Will begin April 16

DISCOVERING & UNLEASHING

YOUR S.H.A.P.E. FOR MINISTRY

GOAL: To create a pathway for disciples of Christ to engage fully as they serve Him, empowered by the Holy Spirit, and guided by the wisdom of other mature believers. Especially for those still looking to find their unique ministry contribution to SMBC!

Contact Pastor Kelby if you are interested.

LOCATION: Room 1-06 behind the Library.

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.

College & Career

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

Easter Sunrise Choral Service

with the Eastman Community Choir

Easter Sunday, April 9 @ 7 AM

Grace Mennonite Church, 430 Third St. Steinbach

Church Baby Shower

Wednesday, April 19th 6:30 PM

in Fellowship Hall



All ladies and girls are invited to come celebrate with:

→ Bethany Drewlo & daughter, Charlotte, born January 12

→ Kianna Penner & daughter, Lily, born February 11

Hearing God Today: A Prayer Workshop

Facilitator: Pastor Walter

No gimmicks. No empty promises. No highfalutin theological discourses. Just real, down-to-earth yet inspirational, Bible-based teaching and practical insights into developing your prayer life, in keeping with recent teaching from 1 Corinthians 14 on the gift of prophecy. And perhaps some life-changing experiences in prayer await you as well.

Begins next Sunday, April 16, in Pastor Walter's office during the Sunday School/Bible Class hour at 11 AM.

NOTES:

SMBC Mission Statement

As disciples of Jesus, we are being transformed by the Spirit to share God's love with 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.

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Church Office Hours: Mon-Fri. 9-12, 1:30-4:30



Easter Sunday, April 9, 2023

Worship Service – 9:30 AM / Sunday School – 11 AM

“He was delivered up for our trespasses and raised for our justification.” Romans 4:25

Service Leader: Pastor Kelby
Music Leaders: Henry Dueck & Daniela Klassen
Scripture Reading: Michelle Friesen
1 Corinthians 15:1-11

Message: Pastor Walter
“God’s Stamp of Approval”
1 Corinthians Series 12/16

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- 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 on your phone.

STEINBACH MENNONITE BRETHERN CHURCH

LEAD PASTOR: Walter Fast (walterfast@steinbachmbchurch.ca)
PASTOR OF COMMUNITY LIFE: Kelby Friesen (kelbyfriesen@steinbachmbchurch.ca)
PASTOR OF STUDENT MIN: Stefan Klassen (stefanklassen@steinbachmbchurch.ca)
ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANTS: Barb Hamm/Kathy Winkler (info@steinbachmbchurch.ca)

CHILDREN’S CHURCH/NURSERY



Family Room: Available for parents with small children.

Nursery (ages 0-2): Please sign in at the 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 – EASTER SUNDAY: No Nursery Care or Children’s Church

April 16th Nursery Workers: Rachel & Molly Winkler, Jessica Neufeld, Emery Lepp, Emily Neufeld

April 16th Children’s Church Workers: Chris Dyck, Kara Penner, Carson Neufeld, Jaime Niessen, Andrea & Ezra Lepp