

THIS WEEK

Mon: Victoria Day - Church Office Closed
Tues: Youth 6:30-8:30 PM
Wed: Sew'n Sews 9 AM
Fri: Parents & Tots 9:30-11:30 AM

Next Sunday: Youth Sunday

Every Sunday: Ukrainian Slavic Church meets here 2-6 PM
First Friday of each Month – Ladies Puzzle/Game Night 7 PM
Third Friday of each Month – Men's Game Night 7 PM
Every Friday Morning – Men's Prayer Time 6:30 AM in Heritage Hall
First Sunday Evening each Month – Contending Prayer Evening 7 PM

PLANNING AHEAD

June 8 'Fun at Frieda's' Ladies Event
June 16 Worship in the City – No service at SMBC
July 7-12 Star Lake Family Camp
July 28 Outdoor Service & BBQ Lunch

YOUTH Tuesday, May 21
6:30-8:30 PM

CHURCH FAMILY NEWS & OPPORTUNITIES

- **Birthday congratulations to:**
 - Sophie Brown, celebrating 97 years on May 22nd.
 - Ruth Giesbrecht, celebrating 85 years on May 23rd.
 - Grace Krahn, celebrating 89 years on May 25th.
- **If you don't** receive weekly email information and would like to be included, please contact the church office.
- **To help make** space for young families that need to sit at the back of the sanctuary, and for those with mobility difficulties, would you consider sitting closer to the front? Also, would you consider moving to the center of your pew? This would help those who come into the sanctuary after the service has already started to find a seat.

Prayer = Presence + Power + Privilege 24/7

Let's pray for:

- 2024 Theme: "As the Father sent me, I send you." John 20:21**
May we understand God's call on each of our lives.
- The team working up** at the Midway Bible Camp site this weekend.
- Elmdale School Discovery Team.**
- God's peace, presence & protection in Israel & Gaza.**
- Provision for the refugee family** we will sponsor. (Malawi)
- Those with health concerns:** Ted Lepp, Teenie Kehler (St. Anne Hospital), Anne Toews.
- 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, Aurelie Thiessen.

Sunday Pre-Service Outdoor Prayer Walk: Meet Sunday mornings at 8:30 AM in the foyer. We will pray as we walk around our church building.



Ladies, Join Us For Fun at Frieda's

Saturday, June 8 1-5:30 PM
Road 36E, #37070



Pool, Hot Tub, Art, Lawn Games, Food, Devotional

Enjoy time together outside and be a mutual encouragement to one another in Jesus Christ.

Items to bring: Lawn chair, painting smock/old t-shirt, swimwear & towel, finger food to share.

Sign-up May 26 or June 2 in the foyer.

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 it to an usher or bring it to the Welcome Centre.

College & Career

Meet Friday evenings at 7 PM. For more info and location, contact Aimie at 204-408-8940.

Next Contending Prayer Evening Sunday, June 2 @ 7 PM

Come and join us, along with your kids,
in Heritage Hall to pray together.

Life Culture – Walk for Life

Join the Walk for Life on Sunday, June 2nd at KR Barkman Park in Steinbach. There is a BBQ from 1:00 to 2:00 pm, with the Walk beginning at 2:00 pm. Bring along a new baby item to help single moms.

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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Sunday, May 19, 2024

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

**“I will not leave you as orphans;
I will come to you.”
John 14:18**

Service Leader: Pastor Stefan
Music Leader: Lorie Friesen
Scripture Reading: Neoma Goertzen
John 14:15-31

**Message: Pastor Kelby
“A Promise Fulfilled”**

- Our service is also available through our phone service & livestream.
 - **Children's Church & nursery care available during the service.**
 - **Thank you for your tithes & offerings. Please use the offering box at the Welcome Centre to deposit your giving.**
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**SMBC Sunday Morning Phone Service
1-888-919-5948**

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

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.

Today's Nursery Workers: Denise Hoepfner, Nicole Krieger, Kerstin Klassen, Sophia Kornelsen

Today's Children's Church Workers: Chris Dyck, Kara Penner, Justin Penner, Jaime Niessen, Ezra Lepp, Tessa Warkentin, Molly Winkler

May 26th Nursery Workers: Johanna, Corina, Nolyn Martens, Claudia Dueck, Emma Schulz

May 26th Children's Church: No Children's Church – Youth Sunday