

THIS WEEK

Mon: Bridal Shower 7 PM
Tues: Youth Leader Meeting 6:30 PM
Wed: Sew'n Sews 9 AM
Thurs: Ladies Bible Study 2 PM in Board Room
Fri: Parents & Tots 9:30-11:30 AM

Next Sunday: Speakers – Ken & Carolee Neufeld, Living Free Ministries
Pastor's Welcome Class continues at 11 AM.

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
Every 2nd & 4th Friday Evening – College & Career

PLANNING AHEAD

Nov 4 **Pumpkin Carnival for kids aged 3-10**
Nov 21-22 **Integrate** (Teaching Church partnership) at SMBC
→ 'Building Relationships Across Cultures'
→ Instructor: Doug Heidebrecht
Nov 24 Ladies Event - More details to come.
Nov 30 Mexico Mission Trip Fundraiser Lunch

YOUTH Leaders Meeting

Tuesday, October 21 6:30 PM

NO YOUTH THIS WEEK

No Sunday School classes for the grade 6 to 12 students today.
These students may join one of the adult classes. There will
still be regular Sunday School for the age 3 to grade 5 classes.

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.

NEW at SMBC – Spanish Ministry

VEN A LA MESA, "Come to the Table" Ministry

Strengthening fellowship among **Spanish-speaking families** through
gatherings every second & fourth Sunday from 4:30-8:30 p.m. in the
Fellowship Hall. Spanish Sunday School classes every Sunday with
new location in classroom off Fellowship Hall.
Let's pray for the leaders, Viola & Heriberto and Elizabeth & Detlef,
that God may continue to guide their service.
If anyone would like to join us to share or practice Spanish, we would
be delighted to welcome you.



Church Bridal Shower

Monday, October 27 7 PM
in Fellowship Hall

All ladies and girls are invited to come & celebrate with:

- Carolyn Dyck, fiancée to Michael Froese
- Rachelle Mattson, fiancée to Stephen Dyck
- Marina Dyck, fiancée to Randolph Peters
- Alma Fehr, fiancée to Leo Derksen (in absentia)
- Julia Arsenault, fiancée to Jimmy Kornelsen

Prayer = Presence + Power + Privilege 24/7

Let's pray for:

- **2025 Theme: ABIDE (Psalm 1 & John 15)**
May we grow in our faith as we abide in Christ.
- **Our pastors & their families:** Walter & Anne Fast, Kelby & Michelle Friesen, Stefan & Kara Lee Klassen; Interns: Gavin & Ainsleigh Broesky, Mark Fortin.
- **Our 2025/26 Food Committee:** Norm Niessen (Chief Chef), René Martens, Stephen Dyck, Erika Penner, Michal Valenta, Brigitte Mueller, Jamie Niessen
- **Our post high school students attending: CMU** – Olivia Harder; **Millar College of the Bible (Pambrun, SK)** – Nadine Fast; **Providence University College** – Damaris Ayala; **SBC** – Gavin Broesky, Melissa Hiebert, Stanley Kehler, Ryan Penner.
- **Those with health concerns:** Alexander Derksen (cancer treatment), George Giesbrecht (cancer treatment), Erika Hiebert (cancer treatment), Ingrid Schulz (cancer treatment), Anne Toews.
- **Our care-home residents/house-bound members.**
Our missionaries & members in service: Heriberto & Viola Ayala, Melissa, Lloyd & Carol Letkeman, Jeremy Martens, Jeremy & Adrienne Penner, Sandra & Isra Chavez Plett, Morgan & Krista Serger, Aurelie Thiessen.
In Missionary Mail Rack: Letter from Aurelie Thiessen

Ladies Bible Study

Thursdays at 2 PM

Bible Study on 1,2,3 John & Jude
Contacts: Yvonne Hiebert or Barb Hamm

COMMUNITY LIFE GROUPS

If you are interested in joining a community life group,
contact Pastor Kelby.



Happening this Fall at SMBC

Pastor’s Welcome Class Begins TODAY, 11 AM
Do you have questions about our church? Are you curious about becoming a member? Contact Pastor Kelby.

Building Relationships Across Cultures, November 21-22
We are excited to welcome Dr. Doug Heidebrecht for our next Teaching Church course in partnership with MB Seminary. Registration is open!
Click on the QR code to go to register or go to the MB Seminary website.

Workshop cost is \$100, but those who register from our church can enter the **promo code SMBC50 for \$50 off.**



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.

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, Interns: Gavin Broesky, Mark Fortin. We are grateful for you!

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Sunday, October 26, 2025
Worship Service / Communion – 9:30 AM
Sunday School – 11 AM

“Be kind to one another, tender-hearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ forgave you.” Ephesians 4:32

Service Leader: Terri-Lee Broesky
Music Leader: Lorie Friesen
Scripture Reader: Aimie Goertzen
Matthew 18:21-35

Message: Pastor Walter
“Doing the hardest thing – Forgiving from the heart”

All communion elements are gluten free.



TODAY: No Children’s Church or nursery care available.
Activity pages for younger children are available for pick-up in the foyer.
Thank you for your tithes & offerings:

- Offering box at the Welcome Centre to deposit your giving.
- E-transfer and payee online options. Info form at Welcome Centre.

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

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