

Winkler Bergthaler Mennonite Church

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Worship Service

Sunday, May 14, 2023

9:30 am

Mother's Day

Prelude – Lori Klassen

Call to Worship & Prayer – Jack Froese

Worship in Song – Ladies Quartet

Awaken The Dawn

Shout to the North

I will Praise Him Still

Sharing

Announcements & Prayer – Jack Froese

Offering/Offertory – Lori Klassen

Scripture Reading – Susan Klassen

1 Samuel 1:1 - 28

Message – Pastor Dean Huber

The Four Characteristics of a Godly Mother

Worship in Song – Ladies Quartet

MH #58 For the Beauty of the Earth

Prayer & Benediction – Pastor Dean Huber

Postlude – Lori Klassen

“Loving God, Loving Each Other, and Loving Our Community”

Sound: John Penner **Computer:** Stephanie Beatty

Video: Brad Funk

Sunday, May 21, 2023

9:30 am **Worship Service:** Pastor Victor Engbrecht

10:45 am **Men's Sunday School (Music Room)**

10:45 am **Ladies Sunday School (Meeting Room)**

10:45 am **Children's Sunday School (Room 128, 130)**

10:45 am **Special Sunday School (Room 127)**

THIS WEEK AT WINKLER BERGTHALER

Tuesday 9:30 am Women's Prayer Group

Wednesday 7:00 am Men's Prayer Time

9:00 am Blanket Tying

Friday 7:30 pm Youth/Young Adults - Youth Room

Focus on Missions

Missionaries of the Week

Don & Char Epp

Central Station Community Care Program

Please pray for the care program as it brings individuals, families and their supporters together, to work through complicated life issues and make life better.

Life in the Church

Blanket Tying For Relief Purposes

Men, women, young and old are all welcome to take part in blanket tying Wednesday, May 17th at 9:00 am in our Meeting Room. Bring your own thimble. Please call Meg Suderman (325-4523) if you have questions.

Church Family - Praises and Concern

Persons with Health Needs

BTHC: Abe A. Friesen, Caroline Hamm, Dave Wiebe

Swan Lake Hospital: Mary Dueck, John Suderman

Red River Valley Lodge (Morris): Rita Friesen

Expression of Sympathy

Scott Ferguson of Steinbach passed away on Saturday, May 6th.

He was the son-in-law to John and Sally Letkeman.

His funeral was held on Saturday, May 13th.

Special Sunday School Class

Pray for Anna Friesen as she teaches the class and for the students as they grow deeper in the knowledge of God.

Pastor Victor Engbrecht

This morning, Pastor Victor is preaching at Glencross Mennonite Church.

Administrative Secretary

Susan Klassen is retiring as Administrative Secretary.

We are looking for a person to fill this position. A resume can be dropped off at the church office or emailed to office@wbmc.ca.

Contact Esther Dyck (325-3743) for information.

Communion

On Sunday, May 28th we will be receiving new members into our congregation as well as celebrating communion. The persons transferring their membership into our congregation are Anne-Marie Friesen, Max Friesen, Mary Reimer, and John & Marge Zacharias.

Birthdays This Week

Ruth Janz	14	Dorothy Hiebert	18
Anita Rudi	18	Nettie Dueck	19
Howard Ginter	18	Dietrich Martens	19
Terry Klassen	18	Marla Wiebe	20

Anniversaries This Week

Leonard & Anne Penner	May 16, 1981	42 Years
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Community and Other Events

Sixteen13 Ministry Need

There is a Ukrainian Family of 4 that just moved to Winnipeg from Ukraine. They are living with a family. Their wish is to move to Winkler and start a life here. They are asking for one-month financial support of \$2,000 to get established with an apartment and purchase housing items at thrift stores. A donation of \$1,000.00 has already been received, leaving \$1,000 to be raised. If you would like to help this family donations will be accepted at our church office or place in our offering bag. Please make cheques payable to Assembly of all Nations. In the memo write: Ukrainian Relief Fund.

Scripture for This Week

- Proverbs 31:10 – 31
- Acts 1:12 – 26
- Ephesians 1:3 – 23
- Psalm 68:1 – 20
- Psalm 68:21 – 35
- Psalm 47
- 1 Peter 4:7 - 19

Coming Events

May 28

Communion

June 11

Church Family Picnic

June 13

Quarterly Membership Meeting

Quotes for the Week

There are many who are reading this who have come from homes in which they had a **godly father** and a **godly mother**. They were instructed by them, and they have never gotten away from the things taught them in the home.

McGee, J. V. (1997). Thru the Bible commentary (electronic ed., Vol. 3, p. 7). Thomas Nelson.

Dr. Billy Graham said this, speaking of **his mother**...: **“She was one of the most beautiful women I’ve ever known, and she instilled in me a love for the Bible even when it didn’t seem to interest me. She began to read to my brothers and sisters from devotionals, and many times I thought them extremely boring. Although the testimony of my mother’s life helped mold and taught me how to live, the testimony of her last days gave me insight in how to die.”**

Rogers, A. (2017). How to Raise Godly Children. In Adrian Rogers Sermon Archive (1 Sa 1:2–17). Rogers Family Trust.

If you’re a mother with young children, seek out an older relative or church member who can encourage you, pray for you, and teach you the ways of a **godly mother. If you’re a more experienced mom, look for young women who appear to be without that kind of help. It is something **God directs in His Word**, and it will be a mutual blessing.**

Hayford, J. W., & Parrish, M. W. (1994). Biblical ministries through women: God’s daughters and God’s work. Thomas Nelson.

Pastoral Staff: Dean Huber, Victor Engbrecht

Administrative Secretary: Susan Klassen

Custodians: Edwin Siemens

Church Office Hours: Monday - Friday 8:00 am - Noon; 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm