

Winkler Bergthaler Mennonite Church

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Worship Service

Sunday, March 17, 2024

9:30 a.m.

Prelude – Esther Anne Klassen

Worship in Song – Mark Elias
MH 527 *We Praise Thee, Oh God*

Call to Worship, Announcements & Prayer – Dennis Derksen

Offering/Offertory – Esther Anne Klassen

1st Reading – Ray Hamm and Bill Unrau
Jeremiah 31:31-34; Psalm 51:1-12

Worship in Song – Mark Elias
MH 538 *The Love of God*
MH 565 *I Know that my Redeemer Liveth*

2nd Reading – Ray Hamm and Bill Unrau
Hebrews 5:5-10; John 12:20-33

Message – Pastor Victor Engbrecht
The Road to the Cross – Shared Series
Assurance Before the Storm

Worship in Song – Mark Elias
MH 558 *My Hope is Built on Nothing Less*

Prayer & Benediction – Pastor Victor Engbrecht

Postlude – Carol Unrau

Sound: Mark Klassen **Video:** Peter Froese **Computer:** Brad Funk

Pastor Dean Huber
Pastor Vic Engbrecht

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Sunday, March 24, 2024

10:00 a.m. Worship Service: Pastor Dean Huber

This week at Winkler Bergthaler

Tuesday	9:30 a.m.	Women’s Prayer Meeting
Wednesday	7:00 a.m.	Men’s Morning Prayer Time
	2:00 p.m.	Wednesday afternoon Bible Study
	2:00 p.m.	Discovery Group – Crocus 2 nd Floor
	7:00 p.m.	Discovery Group – Oakview Terrace
Thursday	7:30 p.m.	WBMC Youth at Vic & Eileen’s

Focus on Missions

Don and Char Epp

Central Station

Life in the Church

If you are interested in a study of Jude, the Wednesday afternoon Bible study class will be looking at Jude beginning on March 20 and running until April 24. Wednesday afternoons at 2:00 p.m. at the church.

Pastor Dean is ministering at Buhler Active Living Centre this morning.

Videos of our church services are once again available on our Church website (www.wbmc.ca) and on our YouTube channel. Thank-you for your patience as we continue to add more videos over the next several weeks.

On Sunday, March 24, the church service will begin at 10:00 a.m. with Easter Brunch to follow in the Fellowship Hall.

Their will be no Sunday School on March 24 & 31.

Church Family - Praises and Concern

Persons with Health Needs

Prairie View Lodge (Pilot Mound):	Hilda Hamm
Rock Lake Hospital (Crystal City):	Abe L. Friesen
Swan Lake Hospital:	Mary Dueck, John Suderman
BTHC	Elma Friesen, Ella Neufeld
Manitou Care Home:	Abe A. Friesen

Birthdays This Week

Abe Derksen	18	Cornie C. Thiessen	21
Verna Hiebert	22		

Scripture for This Week

- Ecclesiastes 9:7-10
 - Esther 4:10-17
 - Psalm 118:1-9
 - Genesis 25:29-34
 - Ecclesiastes 5:8-15
 - Hebrews 10:19-25
 - Psalm 72:1-7
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Coming Events

March 24

Easter Brunch after service
Service is at 10:00 a.m.

Community and Other Events

Frontiers

On March 24 at 7:00 p.m. we are having a FAITHraiser Dessert Night at the Winkler Bergthaler Church with some other Frontier friends to share about the work of Frontiers. This is the ministry under which Darnell and Christy Epp serve. You can register at frontiers.ca/dessert or call 204-962-7712.

Gateway Resources

Gateway Resources is excited to announce that it will once again be hosting our annual "Faces of Gateway" Fundraising Gala on Thursday, May 2 at the Emmanuel Mennonite Church at 750 15th Street, Winkler.

Get your tickets by April 15 by contacting Corinne Kawa at 204-325-7304 ext. 260 or corinne@gatewayresourcesinc.com. Ticket for the even are \$700 for a table of 8, \$400 for a half table or \$100 for an individual ticket. A tax receipt for the table/ticket, less the meal cost per ticket will be issued following the event.

The Bunker

Our Wednesday night Slot Car group has decided to hold a fundraiser for The Bunker through the Slot Car program! They will be running 4 brackets and each car racing in each bracket has a \$5 race fee attached to it. Racing begins at 7:00, March 20th, at the Bunker. Registration for racing begins at 6:30. All proceeds go towards replacing sports equipment in the gym and board games! If you don't have a Slot Car but would still like to participate, the team running the night has cars that you can use for this event!

Gospel Equipment Ministries

We are having a Sausage & Perogy Dine In/Take Out Fundraiser on Friday, April 5, 5pm-7 pm here at the Bergthaler Church. We continue to send out the Good & Evil Comic Book Action Bible to prisons across Canada. We are looking for volunteers to help on this day. Please sign up after the service or call 204-822-1054. Thank you!

Quotes

“See that no one leads you astray. ⁶ Many will come in my name, saying, ‘I am he!’ and they will lead many astray. ⁷ And when you hear of wars and rumors of wars, do not be alarmed. This must take place, but the end is not yet. ⁸ For nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom. There will be earthquakes in various places; there will be famines. These are but the beginning of the birth pains.” Mk. 13:5b-8 (ESV 2016)

“But in those days, after that tribulation, the sun will be darkened, and the moon will not give its light, ²⁵ and the stars will be falling from heaven, and the powers in the heavens will be shaken. ²⁶ And then they will see the Son of Man coming in clouds with great power and glory. ²⁷ And then he will send out the angels and gather his elect from the four winds, from the ends of the earth to the ends of heaven.” (Mk. 13:24-27)

“From the fig tree learn its lesson: as soon as its branch becomes tender and puts out its leaves, you know that summer is near. ²⁹ So also, when you see these things taking place, you know that he is near, at the very gates. ³⁰ Truly, I say to you, this generation will not pass away until all these things take place. ³¹ Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away.” (Mk. 13:28-31)

Custodians: Edwin Siemens, Jay Froese
Office Hours: Monday & Friday 9:00 – 12:00; 1:00 - 3:00
Tuesday-Thursday 8:30-3:00
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