

Winkler Bergthaler Mennonite Church
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Worship Service
Sunday, January 18, 2026, 9:30 a.m.

Prelude – Irene Krahn

Worship in Song – Helen Reimer
When Love Shines In

Welcome, Announcements, Call to Worship Prayer – Alvin Thiessen

Offering/Offertory – Irene Krahn

Worship in Song – Helen Reimer
O God, Our Help in Ages Past
Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah MH 311

Scripture Reading – John Giesbrecht
2 Corinthians 11:1-15

Sermon – Dean Huber
Paul's Great Concern for the Church

Prayer & Benediction – Dean Huber

Worship in Song – Helen Reimer
Great is Thy Faithfulness MH 534

Next Sunday, January 25, 2026

9:30 a.m. Worship Service 10:45 a.m. Adult Sunday School

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

Focus on Missions

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Zambia Community

Church Family Information

The Nomination Committee is announcing the resignation of the WBMC Church Council Executive – namely Dennis Derksen, Jack Froese, and Terrance Klassen, effective after our upcoming annual meeting. We thank each one of them for their dedicated service in the leadership role of our church. The Nomination Committee will be accepting the name(s) of any member(s) willing to serve as Chairperson, Vice Chairperson and Secretary. The date of elections for their positions will be announced at a later date. Please contact any members of the Nominating Committee for more information or to submit candidate name(s).

Dorothy Giesbrecht passed away on January 11. Her funeral was on January 15. She was a sister to Margaret and George Ens. Please remember the family in prayer.

Thank you to Alvin Wiens and his crew for clearing the snow off the parking lot.

Donation receipts will be available January 18 & 25 before and after the services in the east foyer.

In preparation for our annual membership meeting in early 2026, all committee chairpersons are asked to submit a report of their committee happenings for our annual report book. Please prepare and submit (email if possible) your report to Ashley in the office by January 22, 2026.

The Wednesday afternoon bible study will resume January 21 at 2 p.m. The study will explore the James, a most practical book of instruction and exhortation to Christians who are experiencing problems, as we all do.

The attendance last Sunday, January 11, was 139.

Persons receiving care away from home

HSC:

Ester Siemens

Birthdays This Week

Sally Letkeman	20	Edna Peters	20
Evan Dueck	21	Bill Unrau	22
Bradley Funk	23	Alfred Dyck	23
Isaac A. Dyck	25		

Anniversaries This Week

John R. & Nettie Wall	January 21, 1994	32
Grant & Carey Martens	January 21, 1996	30

Scripture Reading for Devotions this week

- 2 Corinthians 2:1-8
 - Luke 10:25-34, 36-37
 - Isaiah 43:1-7
 - Exodus 31:1-11
 - Acts 12:5-11
 - Matthew 1:18-25
 - Isaiah 52:4-10
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Community Events

Light & Shadow: The Supernatural Word of the Bible

From the beginning, light has stood against darkness-and scripture reveals a world shaped by unseen spiritual realities and God’s sovereign purpose. Light & Shadow invites you to explore the supernatural thread woven throughout the Bible. Each week, we’ll examine what we know, what we think, and what we don’t know about the spiritual realm, grounded in God’s Word and guided by His truth. This course runs Wednesday evenings at 7pm in the gym, starting January 21, for 10 weeks. Please call or email Pathway to register, (204) 332-1616 or info@pathwaycc.net

Jesus Conference

Join us for the Jesus Conference taking place on January 23rd & 24th at Winkler Bible Camp. The theme this year is “The Joy of the Resurrection”. The conference is for all Christians who want to grow in their knowledge and love of Christ. The Jesus Conference is held in partnership between local churches and Steinbach Bible College. The cost for the conference is \$30 with lunch being provided on Saturday. Register at the following site. <https://form.jotform.com/253364836780264>

The Datenight Tour

Join us on February 2 at Pathway Community Church from 7-9 p.m. for the Datenight Tour, a clean comedy for couples. The cost per ticket is \$20-30 per person. For more information and to buy tickets go to funandfaith.com

Missionfest Manitoba

Missionfest Manitoba is coming up February 6-8! Join us at Church of the Rock located at 1397 Buffalo Place, Winnipeg, for a weekend of learning about God at work here and around the world as speakers share about our theme, *Who is this King of Glory?* Experience fascinating breakout sessions and great worship and explore over 130 ministries and missions. Youth and Young Adults will love *After Hours* on Friday night! You won't want to miss this opportunity to be informed, inspired, equipped and engaged in the Great Commission. For more information, go to www.missionfestmanitoba.org

Quotes

Paul's concern for the church at Corinth was well established (cf. 1 Cor. 1:10). And his interest in her *spiritual welfare* was freshly aroused by the **potential harm** from the false teachers. He was concerned that the false teachers would eventually gain converts and more influence within the fellowship, leading to an ideological war between their ***faction and Paul and his supporters***.

MacArthur, J. F., Jr. (1997). The power of integrity: building a life without compromise (pp. 85–86). Crossway Books.

Read Acts 19 and learn all you can about how the church at Ephesus was begun; read Acts 20:17–38 **and learn** of ***Paul's concern for the church***.

Vaughan, C. (2002). Ephesians (p. 16). Founders Press.

Office Hours: Mon. & Fri. 9:00 – 12:00; 1:00 - 3:00; Tue. - Thu. 8:30-3:00

Custodian: Jay Froese

Secretaries: Ashley Elias, Carey Martens

Pastor: Dean Huber: 1 (306) 270-7514