

# Grace Mennonite Church

Worship Service

Sunday, November 11

10:00 am



...peace

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10:00 a.m. – Worship Service  
 Pastors Mel Letkeman & Kyle Penner  
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### Peace Sunday II

#### *O Come, Let us Adore Him*

Welcome and Life of the Congregation

Call to Worship

***Come, thou long-expected Jesus*** HWB# 178

***The Mountain of God***

Responsive Reading HWB# 856

Remembering

Time with Children

*Children's Church for age 3 through grade 8 will meet in the foyer*

Being part of Grace Mennonite with Werner & Karen Pries  
 1990's

Selections of Scripture

What can "Peace" mean this "Peace Day"?

***Come, we that love the Lord*** HWB# 14

Congregational Prayer & Offering

*There is more love somewhere*

***There is more love somewhere*** STJ# 109

Benediction

***There is more love somewhere*** STJ# 109

vs. 1 love; vs. 2 peace

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#### Participants in today's Worship Service:

Worship Speaker:	Dr. Lois Edmund
Worship Leader:	James Barkman
Song Leaders:	Oulash
Accompanists:	Oulash
Children's Church:	Tom Wiebe, Sarah Dyck, Enid Letkeman, Kyle Penner
Children's Time:	Mel Letkeman
Ushers:	Garry Barkman, Reid Gerbrandt
Coffee Servers:	Curtis & Patty Penner
Sound Tec:	Matt Boese
Computer Tec:	Jessica Boese

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**Sunday, November 18**

**Peace Sunday III**

Isaiah 2:1-4

What stories of peace and violence have shaped your worldview?

**With Kyle Penner**

### **Sunday's at Grace**

**Children's Church for ages 3 to Grade 8 is held during the worship service.**

You may pick up your children following the worship service in the upper level, classrooms 10, 11, 12, 13 & 14.

**Sisters of Grace & Adult Formation – 11:15**

All are welcome to meet with Dr. Lois Edmund to discuss 'Individual and family patterns of conflict', today. 'Working with conflict as a community' - November 18  
We will meet in the room adjacent to the sanctuary.

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**November 25**

**Eternity Sunday**

We will have an opportunity to light a candle in remembrance of a loved one during the worship service.

### **We Pray**

We continue to pray for **Gavin and Mandy Barkman** as Gavin recovers from an emergency liver transplant in Toronto.  
Gavin is the son to **Garry & Sylvia Barkman**.

We pray for **Abe & Lorna Penner**,  
as Abe recovers from cancer surgery this past week.

We pray for our house bound and care home residents:  
**Nancy Pauls, Jake Penner, Frank & Martha Plett, Linda Martens.**  
**We pray for continued patience for these residents and their families,**  
**as they live their lives with varied challenges.**

**Prayer for this week:**

Pray that we will be aware of how we foster, or do not, peace in our lives and in life around us.

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*Please pray for peaceful office relationships between  
Kyle and Mel after today's CFL playoff game.*

Grace is planning **child dedication** in the next 3 months. If you are attending Grace and would like to dedicate your child, please contact Mel Letkeman.

## Grace Financial Update:

General giving budget for 2018 - \$404,305

Actual giving to October 31 - \$284,719

There are some extra expenses associated with opening up our building during the renovation that will need to be paid for. If you would like to receive a report on your individual giving to date, please contact Phil Guenther.

## Opportunities at Grace

### Singing at Bethesda Place - Wednesday, November 14, 2:45 pm

You are invited to join fellow Grace Singers as we brighten the lives of the folks who live at Bethesda Place by singing for them on Wednesday. We serve coffee to the residents starting at 2:45 pm and then sing for about 30 minutes. You are then invited to stay for coffee and fellowship in the staff lounge.

### Grace Women's Coffee: Wednesday, November 21, 10 am

All ladies who attend Grace Mennonite Church are invited to a monthly Ladies Coffee on the 3rd Wednesday of each month at 10:00 am in the church basement. Moms with kids are most welcome to come too.

### **CALLING ALL SINGERS!**

***Please come and join the Grace Christmas Eve Choir!***

***Rehearsals on Sundays,***

***Dec. 2, 9, and 16 from 11:30 – 1:00 p.m.***

***All are Welcome!***

***Conductor: Shirley Bestvater Accompanist: Kim Sidorchuk***



Thank you to everyone who organized and participated in the church auction. \$35,800 was raised!

### This week at Grace:

Sunday: (11<sup>th</sup>) Worship at Bridgepark Manor, 9:30 am

Monday: Red River English classes (Monday thru Thursday)  
Sandwich preparation for HSD students, 9:00 am

Tuesday: Soup's On, 5:00 pm

Wednesday: Worship at Bethesda Place, 2:45 pm

Thursday: Sweet Surrender book study, 7:30 – 9:00 pm

*Mandate 4: Need Fulfilment – Should our spouse be our primary source of personal need fulfilment? Mandate 5: Love – Should marital love be romantic?*

Friday: Soup's On, 5:00 pm

Sunday: (18<sup>th</sup>) Worship at Resthaven, 2:30 pm

## Grace contacts:

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*Bulletin submissions are due Thursday 9 am*