

Grace Mennonite Church

Eternity Sunday

Worship Service

Sunday, November 25

10:00 am



...we light a candle

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10:00 a.m. – Worship Service
 Pastors Mel Letkeman & Kyle Penner
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Welcome

Come, let us all unite to sing HWB# 12

Life of the Congregation

Call to Worship

Let the whole creation cry HWB# 51

Prayer of Remembering

Lighting Candles of Remembrance

All are welcome to light a candle in remembrance of a loved one.

Children may leave for children's church.

Healer of our every ill HWB# 377

Being part of Grace Mennonite with Mark & Tamara Rempel
 2010's

Prayer of the Children

Living with and gathered to our people
Selections from Genesis

Congregational Prayer & Offering

You shall go out with joy HWB# 427

Benediction

Participants in today's Worship Service:

Worship Speaker:	Mel Letkeman
Worship Leader:	Trudi Graham
Song Leader:	Elbert Toews
Accompanist:	Margaret Boschman
Children's Church:	Leni Schroeder, Rebeka Schroeder, Joy Neufeld, Enid Letkeman
Ushers:	Doug Kathler, Sarah Neufeld
Coffee Servers:	Barb & Phil Guenther
Sound Tec:	Bruce Blatz

This Sunday

We welcome to our Eternity Sunday Worship Service the families and friends of Grace members who have passed away in 2018:

Jack Epp, Dan Travers, Art Baerg, Lorraine Sawatsky, Tony Unger.

We pray that all those who are grieving will find peace and comfort in remembering your loved one this morning.

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

We invite all women for a time of sharing and prayer as we read the book:

We Make the Road by Walking (Brian McLaren)

We will meet in the lounge located in the lower level.

Adult Formation – 11:15

"There will be a meeting, as promised, for all those interested in learning more about the Peace Project at the Mennonite Heritage Village. That's downstairs today after church at 11:20. Committee members Evelyn Friesen, Al Hamm and Elbert Toews would like to share with you about the nature of and hopes for the project - the vision, the challenges, the impact potential and the opportunities afforded. Q and A's too. Related literature will be available. Bring your coffee to the room adjacent to the sanctuary, today at 11:20."

We Pray

We pray for those in our community who use the resources that help with their lives on a daily basis: **Agape House, Soup's On, Southeast Helping Hands, Today House, Steinbach Community Outreach.**

Prayer for this week:

Pray that as you grieve you will find peace and comfort in remembering your loved one this week.

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!***



Advent Worship at Grace

Sunday, December 2

First Advent & Communion

Luke 2:21-38

What are we longing for?



December 9

Second Advent

Little Bits of Grace lunch

December 2 – December 23

The **Children's Church** program will be collecting for both local and global needs over Advent.

During the service,

the youngest class will be collecting boxes of cereal to donate to Helping Hands Food Bank.

After the service,

the K-4 classes will be collecting donation money to create hygiene kits for MCC.

The children will run a "store" where you can buy the items needed to assemble the kits.

A note from the Grace Women's Coffee Time: The Women's Christmas tea will not be held this year. All women are invited to our Christmas Coffee Time, December 19, at 10 am. More info to follow.

The facilities committee would like to thank those who helped clean the church this past week and also those who provided coffee break.

This week at Grace:

Monday: Red River English classes (Monday thru Thursday)

Sandwich preparation for HSD students, 9:00 am

Tuesday: Soup's On, 5:00 pm

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

Mandate 8: Conflict: Should conflict in marriage be understood as relational weakness?

Mandate 9: Dissolution: Should marital dissolution be understood as personal failure?

Middle School youth dessert potluck, 7-9 pm at Mike's house.

Friday: Soup's On, 5:00 pm

Please see the bulletin for community and church conference events and opportunities.

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