

Grace Mennonite Church

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Child Dedication

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Pastors Mel Letkeman & Kyle Penner

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Order of Worship

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Welcome

Life of the Congregation

Call to Worship

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[Luke 2:22-38](#)

Share the World with your Children
...Share your Children with the World

Jesus, Be the Center VT # 584

Congregational Prayer

Lord Make Me an Instrument

Benediction

Worship Speaker	Mel Letkeman
Worship Leader	Brenda Penner
Musicians	Shara Dueck, Jen Rogalsky, David Graham, Darren Reimer
Ushers	Sarah Neufeld, Doug Kathler
Technicians	Joe Dueck, Chris Peters
Coffee Servers	Trudi Graham, Leni Schroeder

Child Dedication

Peter Charles ♦ Parents: James & Sarah Barkman
Andrew George ♦ Parents: Gary & Heidi Bergman
Calvin Peter ♦ Parents: Matthew & Jessica Boese
Joan Louise Martens ♦ Parents: Joel Coursey & Heidi Martens
Dominic Ian Benjamin ♦ Parents: David Graham & Lise McMillan
Norah Clementine ♦ Parents: Matthew Penner & Lindsey Banman

Sundays at Grace

Sunday, October 3rd - World Communion

Speaker - Maysoun Darweesh

Migration and Resettlement Coordinator with MCC Manitoba

We will be sharing communion. Bread and juice will be provided.

If you are joining us via livestream, please have bread and juice ready at home for communion.

Children's Church for ages 3 to Grade 8 will be held outdoors during the worship service on October 3, 17 & 31.

See the announcement in the bulletin for more details.

Sunday worship services will also be livestreamed at 10:00 am.

Please go to the YouTube website and search for Grace Mennonite Steinbach channel.

All are welcome to join us for coffee outside following the morning worship service.

We Pray Together

Pray for our congregation: Continue to pray for **Alyssa Van Alstyne** as she recovers from surgery in Winnipeg.

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

Prayer for the week: Look through the directory and pray for a family with young children this week.

Prayer for our World: Pray for us as we reflect on the TRC and our relationships with Indigenous Peoples this coming Thursday.

This Week at Grace ❖ September 26 – October 1

Sunday (26th)	Family Wiener Roast at A-Maze-in-Corn! 3-6 pm - RSVP with Kyle. All families with children are welcome!
Monday	Soup's On Lunch Program, 9:00 am
Tuesday	Soup's On Take Out only, 4:30 pm
Wednesday	Middle School Youth , 7:00 pm – 8:30 pm Outdoor Movie – Bring a chair, snacks, blanket.
Thursday	National Day for Truth and Reconciliation ...a time of prayer, lament and hope 10:30 am – 12:00 pm Come and sit around the fire, walk the labyrinth and join us for a short time of guided prayer at 11:00 am. High School Youth , 7:30 pm – 9:00 pm Wear running shoes to go door to door.
Friday	Soup's On Take Out only, 4:30 pm

Children's Church - For the next two months Children's Church is going to run an outdoor program on alternating Sundays. When the children are dismissed from the sanctuary they will be led outside to meet with their teachers. The program will be divided into two groups: ages 3- grade 4 and grades 5-8. We will meet in cold weather but will cancel if it is raining. We will re-assess the format of the program at the end of October. Children's Church will run on October 3rd, October 17th and October 31st. If you have any questions or would like to volunteer please contact Ange Neufeld at 204-791-7442 or angeneufeld@hotmail.com.

Little Bits of Grace meets 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of the month at the Jake Epp Library Park 10:00 am – 12:00 pm. Bring a lawn chair/blanket/snacks.

Greetings from the Book Room! Could you please look under your bed, coffee table or the car seats to see if you have any church library books? If you find any, please return them to the church ASAP. Thanks for the support. Vi and Patty

September 27 – October 1: Truth and Reconciliation Week

Hosted by the National Centre for Truth and Reconciliation, this five-day national event is geared for Grades 5-12 participants and educators, and will initiate vital conversations on Indigenous treaties, First Nation, Métis and Inuit land claims and the residential school system. See [NCTR - Truth & Reconciliation Week](#)

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