

Prayer Ministry

Join us for a **prayer meeting** every Wednesday at 9:00am and 7:00pm

If you would like to be part of the **prayer e-chain**, fill in the yellow form for the prayer chain at the Welcome Centre and hand it in at the office.

If you have a praise or prayer request, please drop it into the prayer bowl on the organ. Each request will be prayed for and kept confidential.

Praise & Prayer

Please pray for **Nettie Dyck** in hospital.

Continue to pray for **Gerald & Joanne Hildebrand** while Gerald is on leave.

Continue to pray for **Esme and Rowan Wilson** in Intermediate Care Unit. Pray for their growth and strength.

Please pray for our **missionary of the week: Josh Epp**, Manitoba House.

MB Mission: Pray for **Bob & Chris Davis**, serving in Thailand. Pray for their leadership and resourcing role at the Changed Life Center.

Square One World Media: Praise God for the completion of the first episode of S1WM's new animated show for kids, "Micah's Super Vlog." Pray for the needed financial support to keep producing additional episodes. (You can see and share excerpts from the show at www.squareoneworldmedia.com and on Facebook.)

This week at Mclvor

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| Mon: | | Church Office Closed! |
| Tue: | 8:00 am | Morning Out for Seniors |
| | 1:30 pm | Ladies Fellowship Circle |
| | 4:00 pm | Mclvor Quilters |
| Wed: | 9:00 am | Prayer Meeting |
| | 7:00 pm | Boys & Girls Club |
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| Thurs: | 10:00 am | Food Bank (11am-1pm) |
| Fri: | 6:00 pm | Senior High Youth |
| | 7:00 pm | Junior High Youth |
| Sat: | 10:00 am | Blood Donor Clinic @ Mclvor |
| Sun: | 9:00 am | Worship Service |
| | 10:15 am | Sunday School |
| | 10:15 am | Readers' Circle |
| | 11:00 am | Worship Service |
| | 6:00 pm | The Well |

Upcoming Events

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| Feb 21 | Blood Donor Clinic @ Mclvor |
| Feb 26 | Women's Bible Study begins |
| Feb 27-Mar 1 | Men's Retreat |
| Mar 6-7 | Assembly 2015 |
| Mar 8 | Baptism |

Property Committee

Please direct all concerns regarding property issues to the Committee Chair, Jascha Boge Jr, at 204-981-0672. Property Committee members will be in charge of opening/closing and set-ups during the week as follows:

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| Feb 9-15 | Ed Boge |
| Feb 16-22 | Jascha P. Boge |

Please contact the person listed above for access to the church.

Mclvor's Church Staff

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| Pastor: | Gerald Hildebrand on leave | Youth: | Denver Wilson ext #224 dwilson@mclvorchurch.com |
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February 15, 2015

*"Taste and see that the LORD is good.
Oh, the joys of those who take refuge in him!"*

Psalm 34:8 (NLT)

***"Following Jesus:
Taste it Again for the First Time"***

Today's Worship Services at 9:00 and 11:15 am

"With Jesus on the Mount of Transfiguration"

(Luke 9:28-35)
with John Epp

Children's Ministry

JAM'n Kidz: supervised playtime is provided during the second service. Sunday school today at 10:15 am.

Memory verse: "Great is our Lord and mighty in power." Psalm 147:5

Power Hour Sunday school (gr.1-5): today at 10:15 am.

Memory Verse: "Many are the plans in a person's heart, but it is the Lord's purpose that prevails." Proverbs 19:21

Boys & Girls Clubs: Wednesdays from 7:00—8:30 pm.

Did you know there are new **Kids Bulletins** available every Sunday? They are located on the bench by the JAM'n Kidz bulletin board and are offered for kids ages 3-12.

Youth Sunday School

Jr. High Sunday school—today at 10:15 am.

Sr. High Sunday school—today at 10:15 am.

Worship

Music: Ronalee Goertz, Irv Nickel, Tracey Nickel, Andrew Regehr, James Klassen, Josh Epp, Denver Wilson

Audio/Visual: Josh Goertz, Adam Regehr

Scripture Readers:

9:00 am—Lilly Polnau, 11:15 am—Henry Reimer

Next Sunday: As we enter the Lenten season, we will be starting a new series called "**Cross Angles**" that will run until Easter Sunday. The first sermon in the series, titled "Salvation," will be delivered by Justin Koop and will focus on Mark 1:40-45.

Welcome to our guests...

Visitors are not expected to contribute to the offering; we are just glad to have you as our guest. If you need assistance locating the nursery, rest rooms, etc. our ushers are here to help you.

Announcements

Away from the office this week: Pastor John Unger (holidays) and Pastor Denver Wilson (CMU course).

We are looking for **delegates** to attend **Assembly 2015** in Winkler on March 6 & 7. Please call the church office to register and to receive Assembly 2015 info.

Please join the Mennonite Brethren Church of Manitoba **Assembly 2015** by **watching online** at www.GMMiTV.com starting at 7pm on Fri, March 6. Visit the website for more details.

Willy and Betty Plett are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter **Danielle** to **Trevor Peters**. An August wedding is being planned.

Victor & Justina Harder would like to thank Mclvor church family for the flowers, meals, visits and prayers they have received.

A free digital copy (pdf format) of "**Waiting for the Resurrection: A Collection of Readings for Lent and Easter**" is available by going to mbseminary.ca/devotional. The readings begin on Ash Wednesday, Feb 18.

Attention men of all ages: Mark your calendar and be sure to sign up for the 2015 Men's Retreat, Feb 27-Mar 1 at Red Rock Bible Camp. Cost is \$85 (\$75 for students). Signup sheet is located in the foyer. For more info contact Ed Giesbrecht.

Women's Ministry

Feb 17—Mclvor Quilters 4:00—9:00 pm.

Feb 17, 1:30 pm—**Ladies Fellowship Circle:** coffee time at church.

Women's Bible Study "**Jonah—Navigating a Life Interrupted**" by Priscilla Shirer will start on Thursday, Feb 26 at 10 am. Cost \$20 (incl. workbook). To register contact Marsha call the church office at 204-339-1691.

Mission

Mclvor church has been invited by Houseblend Ministries to help serve food and spend time with the folks at **Agape Table on Louis Riel Day, Monday, Feb 16, 10:00-12:30**. Please consider taking a couple of hours to join our team this year. There will be a sign up sheet in the foyer between services.

Youth Ministry

www.mcivoryouth.com

*Reminder to complete, sign and bring in a copy of the Annual Parent's Permission Form (available at www.mcivoryouth.com)

Throughout the month of February we will be discussing the topic of *Sex and Relationships*. How does an identity that is shaped by Jesus change the way we think and interact with the areas of sexuality and dating? Please come with your own questions on these topics, ready to dive into honest conversation that is focused on what the Bible has to say and the realities of your world today.



Feb 20—Worship Night

Come for a powerful night of connecting with God in different ways: singing, prayer, journaling and much more! 7:00-9:30 at Mclvor. Cost: \$2.

SOAR Heartland March 26—April 4, 2015: Mclvor is sending a team of Sr. High youth for this experience. **Please contact Pastor Denver** (dwilson@mcivorchurch.com) to express interest. Cost is \$450, with multiple opportunities for fundraising.

Young Adults



Streams

We have three small groups meeting regularly. For information on Stream Groups, please contact:
18-19 yr olds: Miranda Lohvinenko:
20-22 yr olds: Nicole Warren:
23-26 yr olds: Devyn Toews:
26—up: Pastor Denver Wilson: dwilson@mcivorchurch.com

“**The Well**” - a monthly large group gathering of young adults, will take place **Sunday, February 22**, 7:00-10:00 pm at Denver & Jannalee's house. Bring a dessert or snack to share

In the Community...

CMU Vespers tonight at 7:30 pm, Laudamus Auditorium, 500 Shaftesbury Blvd. Everyone welcome.

Providence University College presents **Sisters** by Canadian playwright Wendy Lill, a historical drama that exposes the Canadian residential school system through the eyes of Mary, a young nun. Performances: Thurs, Feb 19 to Sat, Feb 21, 7:30 pm. There will be a talk-back after each performance, allowing audience members to interact with the actors and backstage crew. To reserve tickets, please call 1-204-433-7488.

California Mennonites book launch with author Brian Froese, Feb 25 at 7:00 pm, McNally Robinson Booksellers, 1120 Grant Ave.

Public Lecture, Feb 26, 7 pm, CMU Marpeck Commons, 2299 Grant Ave. Join us to hear Rev. Dr. David Widdicombe's lecture: “To Sow The Wind: An Argument Against the War on Terror and Other Bad Ideas,” presented by CMU's Biblical Theological Studies Department. Visit cmu.ca/events

Union Gospel Mission's urgent need is MILK. Can you help? Donations can be dropped off at 320 Princess St.

SOAR Heartland needs your help! We are looking for individuals, small groups and families to help on-site during the 10-day program (March 26-Apr 4) at Fort Garry MB Church. Come for a shift or come for the whole 10 days! We also need 7000 cookies to be baked prior to program starting. For more info or to sign up for baking or volunteering, please contact Kara at the MB Mission office, 204-415-0670 or winnipeg@mbmission.org

Ten Thousand Villages welcomes applications for fulltime **Store Manager** for Winnipeg, Henderson store. Please submit resumes to michele.burnett@villages.ca. To view the job description please visit tenthousandvillages.ca

Simonhouse Bible Camp is looking for a Program Director, Assistant Program Director, Secretary, Counselor-in-Training Director, counselors, lifeguards and other support staff. For more info contact info@simonhouse.ca