

PRAYER ITEMS

Bridgeway

Pray for our Pastoral Search team as they pursue leads for our new Lead Pastor. Ask God to give them wisdom and discernment as they continue to work on this.

Sick & Shut In

Helen Doerksen
Henrietta Friesen, Elizabeth Regier
Kay Hoffman, Nettie Falk, John Tacholsky
John Braun
Margaret Dyck, Margaret Gerbrandt,
Herb Tacholsky, Arlone Wirsche, Ormond
Klaassen, John Neustaeter
Ruth Martens, Gertie Penner, Sheila Froese

Cypress House
Herbert Nursing Home
Herbert Heritage Manor
Gull Lake Care Centre
The Meadows

At Home

Saskatchewan Conference of MB Churches

DO YOU KNOW SOMEONE? The SKMB Executive Board has four members but operates best with five. Join us as we pray for this need... that the right person, gifted and drawn to serve the SKMB family would either be shoulder-tapped or prompted by the Lord to step forward. Do you know such a person?

MB Pastors

Pray for Ken & Marion Graham serving in Foam Lake.

MB Missions

Otto & Marjorie Ekk **serve with** MB Mission in Portugal. Pray for this couple who provide oversight to various church plants and ministries. The church in Portugal, like the country itself, is experiencing great financial stress but praise God for those who are emerging as solid leaders during a difficult time.

Swift Current Churches

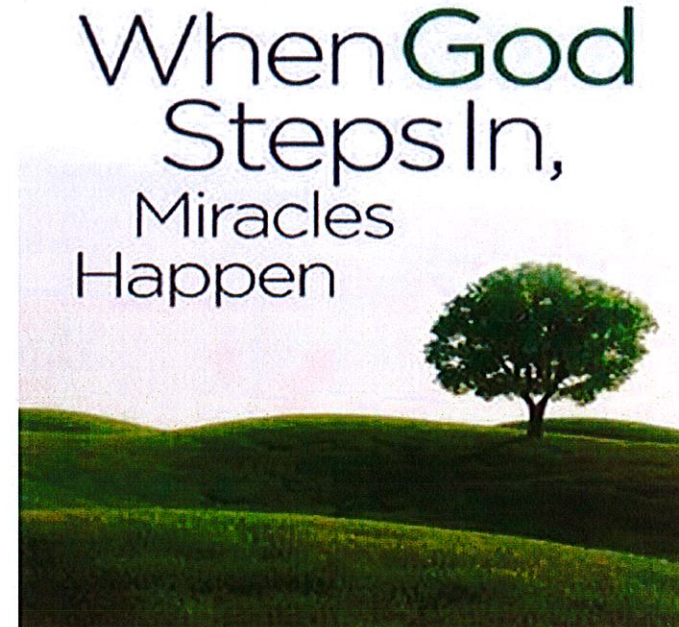
Pray for the ministry at Bridgeway Community Church.

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SUNDAY JANUARY 8, 2017

Our Mission

To Glorify God and Make Him Known



Our Core Values

To live Christ-Centered lives of
Love, Grace, Humility, Spiritual Maturity
& Mission.

This Morning at Bridgeway

9:30 Life Classes & Coffee Hour Fellowship
10:45 Worship, Prayer & the Word
Chad Martens: Luke 1:1-45

Welcome to our Sunday Morning worship service. This morning Dave Funk and his team will lead us into worship with songs of praise and will minister during the Offering time. Chad Martens will bring the message from Luke.

Children's bulletins for ages 3-6 and 7-12 are available at the Children's Ministry Bulletin Board.

Nursery – Supervised Child Care is available during the worship service in the "Play Room" in the north hallway for ages 4 and under

January 8 – Honey & Chase Martens

January 15 – Jordi Sutton & Marg Wieler

THIS WEEK January 9-14, 2017

Office Hours: 9 – 12 & 1 – 4

MONDAY

*Bridgeway Quilters

9:00-4:00 Bring a bag lunch

*Evening Quilting

6:45

TUESDAY

*MOPS

9:30-11:30

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

*Youth – Bible Study

7:00-10:00

SATURDAY

UPCOMING EVENTS:

January 15 – Director of Ministries – Phil Gunther

January 15 – Herbert Heritage Manor Service

February 3&4 – IF:Gathering

February 5 – Potluck & Annual Meeting @ 1pm



It has been great to see how many Bridgeway readers have taken up the "Book a Month" challenge. The following have read at least four books since the beginning of September:

Marilyn Wall

Ruth Friesen

Honey Martens

Elsie Thiessen

Danae Martens



The following group has started on the challenge and can easily catch up in the next four months:

John Friesen

Lee Funk

Chase Martens

Sheila Froese

Elise Hildebrandt

Sylvia Martens

It's not too late to join Bridgeway readers in this challenge. If you can read eight books between now and the end of April, your achievement will be acknowledged at the end of April along with those listed above.

HAPPY READING

Life Groups meet on the following days:

Scott & Mabel - Sunday 9:30-10:30am

Jerry & Lee Funk – Sunday

Bob & Betty Cappelle - Tuesday

Marilyn Wall – Tuesday

Ryan & Rachel Wiebe – Tuesday

Joe Martens - Wednesday

Harold & Sylvia Martens – Wednesday

Gerald & Joyce Voth – Wednesday

Lorna Werner – Thursday

**Looking to join a life group? For more information contact
Harold and Sylvia Martens.**

Gospel of Luke Study Questions
Chap 1:1-56

- As we begin a sermon series on the gospel of Luke we will look at many stories regarding our Savior and his disciples. What are the assumptions regarding discipleship that you have before we look into the Scripture? What does being a disciple mean to you? What are some stories that come to mind in the gospels regarding discipleship?
- What qualities make a good disciple? What is required of a disciple? What does being a disciple of Christ look like in our world today? How has this changed from the days of Jesus?
- Zechariah was a righteous man and yet struggled to believe God would do something miraculous in his family's life. What is God teaching him in this story? What do we learn about God in this story? Why use silence as a punishment?
- The theme of bringing forth servants of God from women unable to have children is repeated in the Scripture. Why does God choose this method and what can we learn from it?
- Why would God have given Elizabeth a miraculous pregnancy, months before Mary? How does God use the bond of family as a support structure for Mary? How has God used your friends and family as a support structure for you? How is God calling or using you to be a support to others?
- What hardships will Mary face after her decision in verse 38? How big of a decision was that? In what areas of our lives is God calling us to give Him control and be His servant?
- Read verses 37 & 45. Discuss what these verse means to you and how you can live out this belief.