

PRAYER ITEMS

Bridgeway

Praise God for the good Annual Meeting that was held this past Sunday. Pray that God would give us grace to live out in practical ways the Membership Covenant that was approved and passed.

Sick & Shut In

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

Cypress House
SC Care Centre

Herbert Nursing Home
Herbert Heritage Manor
Gull Lake Care Center
Pioneer Lodge

Palliser Regional Care
At Home

Saskatchewan Conference of MB Churches

CLUSTERS: This week Wednesday and Thursday, two of our clusters of pastors and ministers in our SKMB family will gather. Pray that meaningful connections will be made, and God's divine appointments and relationships will be built that will benefit both minister and church.

MB Pastors

Pray for Lyndon & Candace Epp serving at Herbert Church.

MB Missions

Trevor & Joan Godard serve with MB Mission in Mexico. Pray for the Godard's as they provide leadership, training and discipleship at the Matthew Training Center in Guadalajara.

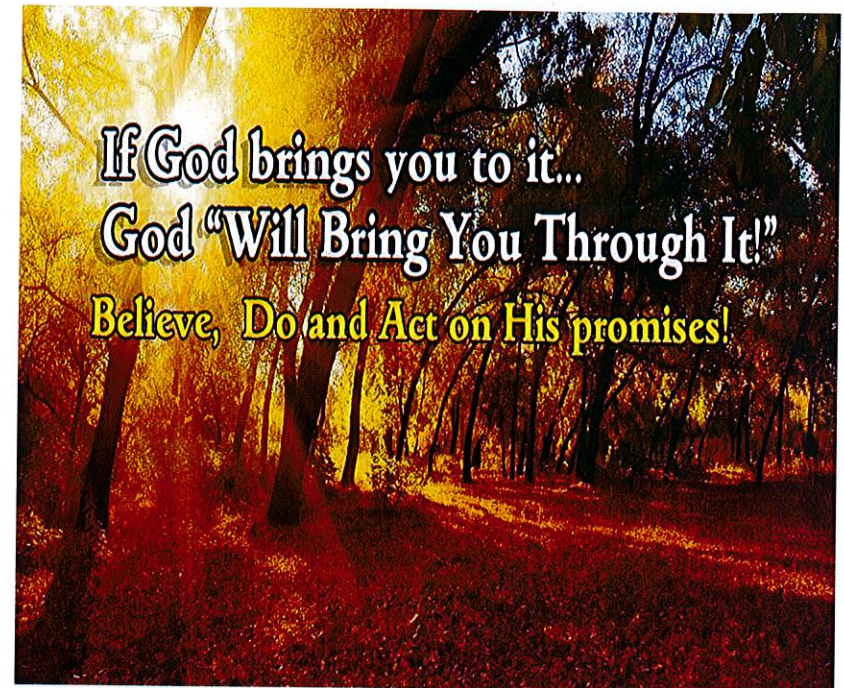
Swift Current Churches

Pray for the ministry at the Alpine Church of God.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 2016

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
10:45 Worship, Prayer & the Word

Welcome to our Sunday Morning Service! Rachel Wiebe and her team will lead us in worship with songs of praise and Olivia Orthner will minister during the Offering time. Curtis Klassen will bring us the next message from our Acts series.

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

Children's church for children ages 4 – grade 3 – during the sermon meet in the back hallway.

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

February 7 – Patricia Orthner

February 14 – Lee Funk

THIS WEEK FEBRUARY 8-13, 2016

Office Hours: 9 – 12 & 1 – 4

MONDAY 9:00-4:00 – Bridgeway Quilters
7:00 – Evening Quilting

TUESDAY 9:30-11:30 - MOPS

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY 6:30- 8:00- AWANA

FRIDAY 7:00-10:00 – Jr. & Sr. Youth

SATURDAY

BAPTISM: There is a Baptism being planned for February 21, 2016. If you want to be part of this please talk to one of the pastors. Classes are being held during the Sunday School hour.

Pastor Bob & Betty are away from February 1 – 11 in Meadow Lake caring for their 3 youngest grandkids while their parents are away.

All donations of furniture, clothes, blankets etc. for the refugee family must be donated through MCC Furniture Store, MCC Thrift Store or Salvation Army.

The Bridgeway Builders will be having a **Valentine Supper** on February 16th @ 5pm (note the time change). Please bring a salad. Meat, Buns & Dessert will be supplied. Would you please sign up at the Office Counter on or before February 14th.

SOAR - Praise the Lord for each one who has donated towards the team going to SOAR their costs are \$1600.00 and to date we have received \$1717.00! These extra funds will be used to do special things for the kids they will be ministering to.

The Sask. Provincial Conference will be held in our Church March 11 & 12. We will need some billets – so if any of you are able to host people in your homes please let the Office know. We need to know how many beds you have available and whether you can accommodate couples/singles etc.

THE SOVEREIGNTY OF GOD AND THE BUILDING
OF HIS CHURCH

Acts 12: 1-24

I. Builds His Church through Suffering Acts 12:1-5

II. Builds His Church through Deliverance Acts 12:6-19

III. Builds His Church through Judgement Acts 12:20-25

STUDY QUESTIONS FOR FEBRUARY 7

In Acts 12 the spotlight turns back to the church in Jerusalem.

Read Acts 12:1-5

What new threat did the church experience in Jerusalem? Why did Herod single out James and Peter to be killed? Why did this please the Jews? For Herod was it a matter of religion or politics?

Why did Herod take so many precautions (heavily guarded) when he put Peter in prison? How might Acts 5:19-24 have played into his decisions?

What “weapon” did the Christians use against Herod’s plan to kill Peter? Think back over the last 11 chapters of Acts. What role has prayer played in the life of the early church? Recall as many as you can. What does this teach us about the importance of prayer?

Read Acts 12:6-11

What surprises you about the fact that Peter was sound asleep while awaiting his execution? How do you sleep the night before a major challenge, operation, difficult meeting, confronting someone or a looming crisis?

Why did Peter remain in a daze until he was well out of the prison? Why did God rescue Peter but allow James to be killed? After you have considered that question turn to Hebrews 11:32-37. What do we do with these passages of scripture?

Read Acts 12:12-17

What humorous details are given about Peter’s attempt to meet with the house church in Mary’s house? What similar responses do we see in our own prayer life?

Read Acts 12:18-24

How did God deal with Herod? What happened to the church in spite of Herod’s actions? What does this tell us about the Jesus’ church.