

Glencross Mennonite Church

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Morning Worship Service

November 20, 2011

Deacon Couples

Ken & Irma
Klassen
822-3655

Pete & Louise
Peters
822-3176

Daniel & Helene
Schulz
822-9612

Isaac & Marie
Klassen
325-4161

Dennis &
Colleen
Driedger
325-6932

Art & Carol
Letkeman
822-6449

Song Leader: Garry Klassen
Pianist: Chris Klassen

Worship in Singing:
Call to Worship: Isaac Klassen
Announcements & Offering

Offertory: Ernie Unrau

Worship in Singing

Special Number:

Sariah & Rayelle Driedger

Scripture Reading:

Romans 7:15-25 & Ephesians 1:12

Message: Ben D. Wiebe

"Growing In My Christian Life"

["What's In A Name"?]

John 1:35-42

Closing Song & Prayer

"How great is the **love** the
Father has lavished on us,

that **WE** should be called
children of God!

And that **IS** what **WE** are!

1 John 3:1

THIS WEEK

TUESDAY

- 7:30 Pm Mission board meeting at church. New board members are welcome to attend.

FRIDAY

- 2:30 Pm Ladies Fellowship is serving at the Winkler Salem Home for the November Birthday Party Program. ALL Ladies who are able to come Please Join us and help us sing for the residents.

CELL GROUPS 7:30 Pm

- Ken & Irma's CELL GROUP will be meeting at Ruth and Rudy's
- Phil & Kristy's CELL GROUP is meeting at church.

If there is anyone who isn't in a group and would like to be, feel free to join us.

- Daniel & Helene's GROUP meet at ED & Grace Zacharias

CHURCH PICTORIAL



**IF YOU
HAVE NOT
HAD YOUR
PICTURE TAKEN
PLEASE TALK TO
JENN KLASSEN
OR
CHRIS KLASSEN.**

If you are planning to submit your own family photo please email it to jennmatt@snet.ca **by Dec. 18th.**

If you have questions please contact Jenn Klassen.

COMING UP

Prayer Band Banquet, Dec. 5, 2011 at 6:30 pm at Glencross Fellowship Hall. Today is the last day to get tickets. The cost is \$13.50/ticket.

Glencross Ladies Exec.

Everyone is invited to the **Christmas Eve program**, Dec 24th at 7pm at church! Due to a lack of interest, there will be no choir this year, but if you would like to be involved (singing, reading a poem, instrumental, etc) please talk to Rosemarie Friesen.

Gateway Resources Christmas Concert: 7:00pm Thursday, December 1st, 2011 at the Winkler Berghthaler Mennonite Church 252-6th St. Everyone is welcome.

TAKE NOTE:

**** December Sunday School Teachers can ****
pickup their new material in the hallway
downstairs today and next Sunday.

Inter-Mennonite Chaplaincy Association

You are invited to attend the **Annual General Meeting** of the Inter-Mennonite Chaplaincy Association (IMCA) November 23 at 11am. We will meet at Fort Garry Mennonite Fellowship, 150 Bayridge Ave. in Winnipeg. Reports will be given by our chaplain Mark Von Kampen, the board chair, and the treasurer followed by lunch. We hope to see you there in support of this ministry!

-Lois Nickel, IMCA Board chairperson

Prayer & Praise



- Praise God for redemption. We are washed whiter than snow!
- Praise God that we are called his children.
- Please pray for Gerald & Melissa Klassen and their unborn baby. Melissa had an ultrasound on Monday and there are some concerns about the baby's health. They have a specialist appointment on Tuesday at 8:30am in Winnipeg. Please specifically pray for them at that time, as they wait to find more answers, for the baby's health and healing.
- Please remember to pray for those who are unable to attend: John Hiebert, Jake Enns and those at Tabor Home: Annie Hoepfner, Tina Thiessen, and Esther Martens.
- Pray for missionary of the week:
Wayne and Sadie Thiessen
Working through EMMC as Pastor / Low German Ministries in SANTA CRUZ BOLIVIA.

Inner City Youth Alive is celebrating Christmas again by throwing a party for our North End community on Thursday, December 22, 2011. The 400 to 500 people we usually host come from challenging social and economic conditions, with over half being children. We have been called to work among the poor and bring hope to their world. Our dilemma every year is making sure we have enough food for everyone and a present for every child. We would be so grateful if you or your church would consider helping by donating gifts to these underprivileged children or by providing items for 40-50 hampers we hand out to the families.

Needs.....

Gifts: valued at \$15

Categories: infant - 4 years

5 years - 8 years

9 years - 12 years

Wrapped gifts need to indicate if it is for a boy, girl, or unisex with age.

Hampers:

- 40-50 hampers
- Usable non-perishable food items
- We sometimes include small toys, books, movies or games etc. for the families.

Hampers are given out throughout the evening.

Items should be dropped off from **December 5th - 9th** at Inner City Youth Alive located at 418 Aberdeen Ave in Winnipeg. Pickups can also be arranged.

Please contact Dorian Funk at 582-8779 ext. 215 or dorian@icya.ca in advance if want to participate or if you want more information. Dorian will need to know how many gifts and or the number of hampers you will be providing. This will help us plan accordingly to make sure we have enough for the Christmas celebration.

Thank you very much for considering our request and helping make this beautiful evening happen.

For Bulletin Announcements this week – please call Jenn Klassen at 822-3418 or email: jennmatt@snet.ca by Thursday, 8:00 p.m. Thank You.