

CONFERENCE NEWS

College Park Covenant Church, Saskatoon, Saskatchewan

It is so good to be part of shared ministry with Canadian Covenant family. Thanks for praying for us! At College Park Covenant here in Saskatoon, we have been brainstorming about what is next in terms of our obedience and responsiveness to Jesus. In the next season, how will we continue to: meet needs, steward resources, extend hospitality and generosity, and treat people with respect and dignity?

Our Clothing Depot (which has been running almost 10 years) will be closing down in a few weeks. Hundreds of people across the city have been touched by this ministry over the years. On Sunday, our children have been preparing little cards to go in gift packs for people who come to the final depot and party, November 6. I shared below the one that caught my eye and heart...

Please pray:

- For our brainstorming and discernment as a body.
- For our growing children demographic and the early stages of a full blown youth ministry :)
- For our Young Adults group who are now meeting regularly.
- For Spirit led engagement with our neighbours, friends and coworkers.
- For significant discipling relationships to deepen within our body.
- For our journey through Immerse: Beginnings - the bible reading movement we are engaged in this fall.
- For congregation and pastor during the upcoming pastoral sabbatical in February-March for Pastor Kirsten.

Thanks for being 'in it together' with us in prayer,
Pastor Kirsten Waldschmidt

WHAT'S YOUR NEXT STEP?

"Pray in the Spirit at all times and on every occasion. Stay alert and be persistent in your prayers for all believers everywhere." ~Eph. 6:18

A great "Next step..." for all of us is to pray - to just plain and simply, pray. Richard Foster says *"The primary purpose of prayer is to bring us into such a life of communion with the Father that, by the power of the Spirit, we are increasingly conformed to the image of the Son."*

This simple act of prayer puts us obediently before the Father and in that position of obedience, God starts to work - on us and in the world around us.

If you're looking for a great book to read on prayer, check out: *"Prayer: Finding the Heart's True Home"*, by Richard Foster. It's truly a **fantastic and encouraging** book about prayer.



COFFEE FELLOWSHIP

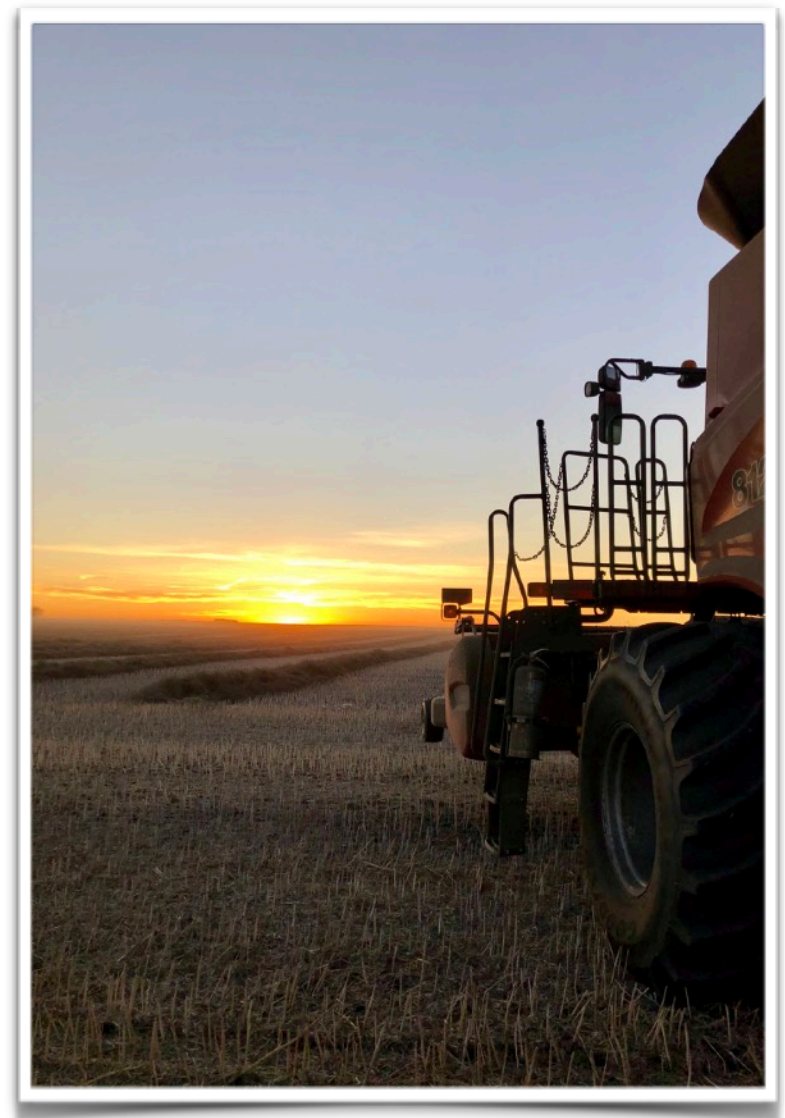
*We love to fellowship together after the Sunday morning service. Join us downstairs for a cup of coffee & some goodies.
A huge thank you to all who provide the treats every week!*

Oct 28	Edie & Carolyn	Dec 2	Elnice & Delora
Nov 4	Sarah & Pattie	Dec 9	Stacey & Marlies
Nov 11	Linda & Charlene	Dec 16	Ruth & Jenell
Nov 18	Lise & Lisa R.	Dec 23	MaryLou & Lauren
Nov 25	Eunice & Veronica	Dec 30	Kathy & Lori

MALMO MISSION COVENANT CHURCH

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MISSION COVENANT CHURCH



TODAY'S WORSHIP

We're so glad that you joined us this morning. A warm welcome to Todd & Bekki Johnson & family. They'll be sharing in the service about their call to missions in Albania.

If you are in need of hearing assistance, please see today's Audio team, Darryl & Delora, in the back corner of the sanctuary & they'll be able to provide you with a hearing device.

OUR WORSHIP LEADERS

- Pastor Randall
- Allison Pluim

OUR WORSHIP SONGS

- Everlasting God
- God my Rock
- Because He Lives (Amen)

OUR SCRIPTURE

- Mark 10:46 - 52 (NIV)

- Just As I Am
- Jude Doxology

***'Kids Place' is available downstairs for restless toddlers & their caregivers.*

OUR COMMUNITY NEEDS PRAYER

Monday:

- ❖ Pastors & Leaders of Malmo
- ❖ Be praying for 'What's Next', for each of us here at Malmo
- ❖ Audrey - health

Tuesday:

- ❖ Sieg & Maxine
- ❖ Kathy - back pain & for specialist appointment
- ❖ Carol L - medical procedure today. Pray all goes well.

Wednesday:

- ❖ Youth Night
- ❖ Rick Zerk - lung cancer
- ❖ Reid family-Steve, health/tests; Lisa, anticipated surgery; Matt, knee injury; Callah, concussion.

Thursday:

- ❖ Dave A
- ❖ Nadene - health
- ❖ Kathy's daughter, Laura - foster daughter, new pacemaker

Friday:

- ❖ Gwen E.
- ❖ Pattie - specialist appointment. Pray for answers
- ❖ Bert & Vivian

Saturday:

- ❖ College Park Covenant Church, Saskatoon, SK
- ❖ Helen M.
- ❖ Malmo New Build Committee - pray for wisdom in decisions

"I urge you, first of all, to pray for all people. Ask God to help them; intercede on their behalf, and give thanks for them."

~1Timothy 2:1 NLT

Email prayer requests to: malmoprayer@gmail.com

Life at Malmo

THIS WEEK

Sunday	Sunday School (9:45am) Worship Service (11:00am)
Tuesday	Men's Prayer (6:30am)
Wednesday	Youth Night at New Sweden Church (6:00 - 8:30pm)
Thursday	Care Home Services - Good Shepherd (6:30pm) - Peace Hills (7:30pm)
Friday	Youth Shoveler's Bible Study at Pastor Marc's (4:00pm)
Saturday	"A Breath of Fresh Air" Ladies Retreat
Next Sunday	Sunday School (9:45am) Worship Service (11:00am) (Conference Superintendent, Glenn Peterson will be with us during our worship service.)

***Pastor Randall & Lauralea are away on vacation from October 30th to November 26th*

NEXT STEP OPPORTUNITIES

"A BREATH OF FRESH AIR"

LADIES RETREAT

NOV. 3

A time of relaxing, worship, fellowship & food with reflections from Beth Moore's "A Woman's Heart". Location: Pattie P's home. Cost \$20. Sign up sheet on bulletin board.

Deadline to sign up is TODAY! (room for 16 ladies)

ECUADOR MISSIONS TRIP

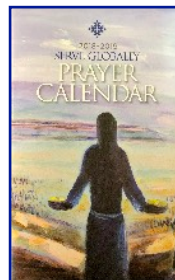
FEB. 15-25/19

Registration deadline extended to November 15th! Information pamphlets are available on the Malmo Info table.

ISRAEL/PALESTINE STUDY TOUR

MAY 9-18/19

Cost: \$2,000 USD/person plus airfare. Space is limited to 42 people. Send a deposit of \$300 before January 15/19 to reserve your spot. Information pamphlets are on the Malmo Info table in the foyer.



The new 2018/19 Missionary Prayer Calendars are in!
(Thanks Jenell for bringing them home from Chicago!)
Pick up your copy in the black cubbies under the church mailboxes.

NEWS

PASTOR APPRECIATION

Thank you for your appreciations and encouragements. 😊 Your words and cards have had been a really neat thing. We are grateful for your ongoing prayers for us, our families and our work. That's what really makes good things happen here. Thank you so much.
Pastors Randall and Marc

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD SHOEBOXES

Christmas Shoeboxes are available! Take some boxes, fill them with gifts & goodies and bring them back on November 11th. We'll be sending them off with our love & prayers.

SMALL GROUP OPPORTUNITIES

"Just Open the Door" Small Group

- *Just Open the Door*, by Jen Schmidt, is a 7-week study on a biblical look at hospitality. This study will help us think about hospitality differently and equip us to walk a road of welcome in our daily lives. Meeting Wednesday mornings from 9:30 to 11:00am. See Pattie if you are interested in participating.

"Crescendo" Small Group

- A 6-week small-group study for 'Boomers' and older adults. This study will be about developing the holistic & ongoing growth of adults in the later phases of life including spiritual, physical, intellectual, community, emotional & service aspects of life & discipleship. Be prepared to share & participate in the Word, in discussion & in prayer. The group will meet, alternating between a town location at Dennis & Ruth's, and a country location at Andy & Jenell's. Begins Thursday, November 1st at 7:00pm. Talk to Ruth or Jenell if you are interested in participating.

"Discipleship Book Club" Small Group

- *The Good and Beautiful God: Falling in Love with the God Jesus Knows*, by James Bryan Smith. An important step in our journey towards Christlikeness is thinking right thoughts about God. This book helps us on this journey through teaching, stories, & spiritual practices. This is a 9-chapter study with flexible meeting times. See Pastor Marc if you are interested.

Small Group at Lorne & Eunice Nelson's

- This group meets weekly for bible study, sharing and prayer. Pastor Randall will be doing some teaching there, after November. Talk to Lorne or Eunice if you are interested.