Sermon Notes:

UPCOMING EVENTS

July 13	Church Swim
July 23	Parent/Child Dedication
July 23-27	Vacation Bible School
July 24	Agassiz Prison Ministry
Sept. 10	Church Picnic

THIS WEEK AT BMCPC

Thurs @ 7:00pm	School Prayer
Sun @ 9:00am	Adult Sunday School
Sun @ 10:15am	Worship Service

Secretary Office Hours:

Please note that the secretary will be only be in the office on Friday (July 7) this week. Regular office hours will resume on July 10.

Bulletin deadline: Wednesday @ Noon
Today's sermon podcast will be available on iTunes Monday by noon and the video will posted online Tuesday morning.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD SHOEBOXES

Soccer balls vs. fancy notebooks challenge $10 to sponsor either a boys soccer ball or a girls fancy notebook. Current tally – 54 balls 15 notebooks Our goal 140 of each. Donations for the challenge can be placed in Charla's mailbox #131. All other donations of items, can be placed in the marked tote in the link.

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THE LORD'S DAY JULY 2nd, 2017

Life is a Journey Part 2
Walk With A Purpose
Romans 8:31-32 & Luke 8:22-26 KJV

Minister Vern Wiebe

CHURCH PRAYER NEEDS & REQUESTS

PRAISE THE LORD!

- That His love makes us courageous.
- For the children that will be dedicated to the Lord in July and the parents who are willing to raise them in the Lord.

PRAY:

- For the expectant mothers of our congregation and the children God is weaving together.
- For Derek & Cheryl, Alexa and Mason as they prepare to go to Africa on Tuesday, July 6th.
- For Dan & Melissa, Jacob, Ben and Charlie Whitcombe as they spend the next month in Canada.
- For our church family in care homes: Susana Bergen, Elizabeth Janzen, Annie Kehler, Helena Martin, Henry Neufeld, Katherine Wiebe, Margaret Wiebe.
- For the healing of limbs: John Wiebe (knee), Mark Friesen (leg), Abe Dyck (knee) & John Heinrichs (hand).

- For Joy Dueck (Mazatlan), Samara Thiessen (home), Andrew Penner (home), John W. Giesbrecht (health), Ernie Towarnicki (BTHC).

PRAY for our Missionaries at home & abroad:

- Derek & Cheryl @ RVA Kenya
- Chris & Audrey Harms @ PVBC
- Stephen & Alli Siemens @ BTHC
- Mike & Gaby Dueck @ AF in Mazatlan
- Stacy Giesbrecht @ YWAM Texas
- Dan & Melissa Whitcombe @ BO in Zambia
- Mike & Tanya Giesbrecht @ WBC
- Chloe Wiebe @ WBC

Church News

THANK YOU!

We would like to express our sincere appreciation for the many acts of kindness shown to us in the recent passing of Agatha Giesbrecht – cards, phone calls, food visits and prayers. Your caring is much appreciated and treasured! John, Edward & Grace, Ron & Carolyn, Ray & Deb, and their families.

SCENT FREE SUNDAY MORNINGS

In order to make services enjoyable for everyone, please refrain from using perfume, cologne or other scented products on Sunday mornings. Thank you.

PASTOR ROB ON HOLIDAYS

Please note that Pastor Rob will be on holidays for the next two weeks (till July 17). Any concerns or needs that arise during that time can be directed to Pastor Brent Thiessen.

SANCTUARY RENOVATION

The Lord has been blessing this congregation with growth and we believe it will continue. Adding more seats into the sanctuary has become a priority. In the next two weeks, the nursery/bathroom will be removed and more seating will be added. We apologize for the inconvenience this will cause and ask for your understanding. We will continue to look at long-term solutions to this blessing of growth and will present some ideas at the fall membership meeting. The nursery location will be moved to the Sr. Youth room and the prayer room located across from the library.

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

As we plan for more growth, we see the need for more participation in some of our worship service ministries. We would love to add more musicians to our Worship Team and more PA technicians to our technical team. Please contact our Worship Director Bob Siemens (204-324-3958) to discuss joining the worship team and Zach Worms (Head PA 204-384-6018) to discuss becoming a PA Tech.

CHURCH SWIM EVENING

Join us on Wednesday, July 13, 7-9pm at the Winkler Aquatic Centre (590 Park Street) for a church swim. The cost is $1.25 per person (paid at the door). Bring a snack to share! Sign up in the link.

CHURCH NAMING

God has given us this wonderful opportunity to look at giving our church body a new name. We would love for you to participate in the process by submitting names that would represent who we are in Christ and the direction He wishes us as a church to go. Please prayerfully ask that Lord for a name and submit it to either Pastor Rob or Pastor Brent or Abe Penner. Submission deadline is September 17.

VBS 2017 JULY 23-27

VBS is still looking for some extra helpers! VBS will be held Sunday to Thursday evenings, July 23-27. We are looking for: 8 group helpers (assist the main group leader getting kids from one station to the next), 2 Bible Exploration Volunteers (act out the Bible story), drummer for worship team. Please contact Katherine Bergen @ 204-829-3009.

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