

# Welcome to Evangelical Fellowship Church

November 4, 2018

"But you are a chosen people, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God's special possession, that you may declare the praises of him who called you out of darkness into his wonderful light." 1 Peter 2:9

## "Who He says I am..."

Worship Singing  
Announcements & Prayer  
Offering  
Worship Singing/Prayer Ministry  
**Ephesians 4:17-5:9**  
~Gloria Reimer  
Children Ministry Dismissal (age 3-5)  
**I am Set Apart**  
~Diane Koop  
Closing Song  
Prayer

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Worship Leader: LeRoy Siemens  
Audio: Dwayne Penner  
Visual: Caleb Reimer  
Ushers:  
Mike Koop, Jesse Friesen, Tony Penner

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### **Are you in need of prayer?**

Prayer ushers will be available in the foyer during the second Worship singing. "Share each other's troubles and problems, and in this way obey the law of Christ." (Galatians 6:2)

### **Prayer Focus:**

Our witness for Christ  
- thank God for including us in the pursuit of those He is reaching  
- may we see the opportunities God has placed in our path to witness for Him  
- may our witness be powerful and effective for Kingdom growth  
- thank God for calling all people into relationship with Him

### **This Week at EFC**

**Tuesday**  
**7:00 a.m.** Men's Breakfast at Uncle Jakes Restaurant

**Thursday**  
**7-9:00 p.m.** Youth  
- Bible Study  
"Faith of Abe & Sarah"

**Saturday**  
**6:00 p.m.** Spanish Service

**Next Sunday**  
**9:00 a.m.** Prayer Meeting  
**9:45 a.m.** Sunday School  
**10:45 a.m.** Worship Service

### **Birthdays**

Jillian Penner Nov 6

### **Upcoming Events**

**EMCup Games (Nov. 9-10)**  
Fri. 9:15pm - Centennial Arena  
Sat. 10:15am - TG Smith Arena  
Sat. 3:15pm - TG Smith Arena  
Sat. 7:00pm - TG Smith Arena

*Come watch us chase the puck around the ice!*



### **Communicating**

**SS** is still needing 1/2-time teacher for Gr. 3/4 SS class. Contact Candace Dueck

**Maureen Thompson** would appreciate rides to Health Science Centre. Contact her at 204-326-6051

**Be Part of** sending gift-filled shoeboxes **TO THE ENDS OF THE EARTH.** Details and boxes in the back. Collection day @ EFC is November 11. For more info or to donate \$ contact Candice @ 3775016 or Pat Brandt 326-9483.

**Anyone** considering membership at EFC, contact one of the Pastors.

**What in the world is The Menno Office?** Come find out about this U of M based ministry at the Inter-Mennonite Chaplaincy Association Annual General Meeting on Wednesday, 21 November 2018 at 12:00 at Fort Garry Mennonite Fellowship (150 Bayridge). Lunch will be served.

**EFC Online giving available** through: Canada Helps – *Evangelical Fellowship Church Steinbach* Look for the "Donate Now" button on our website.

**Ephesians 4: 17-5:9**

<sup>17</sup> So I tell you this, and insist on it in the Lord, that you must no longer live as the Gentiles do, in the futility of their thinking. <sup>18</sup> They are darkened in their understanding and separated from the life of God because of the ignorance that is in them due to the hardening of their hearts. <sup>19</sup> Having lost all sensitivity, they have given themselves over to sensuality so as to indulge in every kind of impurity, and they are full of greed. <sup>20</sup> That, however, is not the way of life you learned <sup>21</sup> when you heard about Christ and were taught in him in accordance with the truth that is in Jesus. <sup>22</sup> You were taught, with regard to your former way of life, to put off your old self, which is being corrupted by its deceitful desires;<sup>23</sup> to be made new in the attitude of your minds; <sup>24</sup> and to put on the new self, created to be like God in true righteousness and holiness. <sup>25</sup> Therefore each of you must put off falsehood and speak truthfully to your neighbor, for we are all members of one body. <sup>26</sup> "In your anger do not sin"<sup>(a)</sup>: Do not let the sun go down while you are still angry, <sup>27</sup> and do not give the devil a foothold. <sup>28</sup> Anyone who has been stealing must steal no longer, but must work, doing something useful with their own hands, that they may have something to share with those in need. <sup>29</sup> Do not let any unwholesome talk come out of your mouths, but only what is helpful for building others up according to their needs, that it may benefit those who listen. <sup>30</sup> And do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, with whom you were sealed for the day of redemption. <sup>31</sup> Get rid of all bitterness, rage and anger, brawling and slander, along with every form of malice. <sup>32</sup> Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other, just as in Christ God forgave you. **5** <sup>1</sup> Follow God's example, therefore, as dearly loved children <sup>2</sup> and walk in the way of love, just as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us as a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God. <sup>3</sup> But among you there must not be even a hint of sexual immorality, or of any kind of impurity, or of greed, because these are improper for God's holy people. <sup>4</sup> Nor should there be obscenity, foolish talk or coarse joking, which are out of place, but rather thanksgiving. <sup>5</sup> For of this you can be sure: No immoral, impure or greedy person—such a person is an idolater—has any inheritance in the kingdom of Christ and of God.<sup>(b)</sup> <sup>6</sup> Let no one deceive you with empty words, for because of such things God's wrath comes on those who are disobedient. <sup>7</sup> Therefore do not be partners with them. <sup>8</sup> For you were once darkness, but now you are light in the Lord. Live as children of light <sup>9</sup> (for the fruit of the light consists in all goodness, righteousness and truth)

What does this passage say about who I am? \_\_\_\_\_

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What does this passage say about who we are as His body? \_\_\_\_\_

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How does this affect how I live my life? \_\_\_\_\_

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How does this affect how we function as His church? \_\_\_\_\_

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