

November 4, 2018

Just Visiting: Holiness in a Fragmented World
1 Peter 2:18-25
"In His Steps"

THIS MORNING: We look forward to celebrating the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ through the observance of the **LORD'S SUPPER**. This provides an opportunity for personal reflection and corporate renewal. It also provides us with assurance to anticipate His coming again. *(Note: The bread is gluten free.)*

There will also be offering plates placed by the sanctuary doors in order to receive your donations toward our **Benevolent Fund**. This fund is administered by the Care Ministry to meet needs within our congregation. Thanks for your partnership.

PRAYER – 10:00 AM – Everyone is invited to join us for prayer before each Sunday's service in the prayer room.



KIDJAM is our ministry to children, for ages 2 thru to Grade 6. The children will be dismissed from the service to meet their teachers in the foyer. Parents of 2 to 5 year olds please accompany your children to class; pick up and

sign out your children at the end of the service; the older children will be dismissed from their classes to rejoin their parents. **Our nursery is located downstairs, and is staffed to serve the needs of children, infant to 2 years old.**

THIS WEEK

WEDNESDAY – Senior Sing @ 10am
– Impact Jr. (Grade. 6,7,8)
FRIDAY – Impact Sr. (Grade 9-12) 6:30pm to 8:30pm
SATURDAY - **Fall Cleanup** @ 9:00am – All ages welcome.
SUNDAY - Nov. 11th – **This Sunday Only, our Service Time will be 9am.**

UPCOMING EVENTS

Nov. 24 – Dec. 2 – El Salvador Team
Thurs., Nov. 29 – Retirees Luncheon @ 11:45am
Sun., Dec 2 – Guest Musician: Jacob Moon with Compassion Canada
Sun., Dec. 9 – SEMC Church Family Christmas – 6:00-8:00pm

Life Group Facilitator Training – Cecil Cogswell will be providing some training for those interested in hosting/facilitating a Life Group through the book "Pursuit of Holiness". These groups will aim to start in the New Year. **The training will meet for two weeks, Nov. 7 & 21, on Wednesday evenings 6:30pm to 8pm.** Please contact the office if you would like to participate.

All City Celebration Service: Sunday, Nov. 11 @ 6:30pm at Bethel Church on London Line. Our Special Guest Speaker will be Don Hutchinson, author of "Under Siege: Religious Freedom and the Church in Canada at 150".

You can participate in our capital campaign for a **new elevator** by marking your gift as "**Building Fund**". **As of Oct. 31, 2018 the total is \$23, 213.00. (Goal \$33,000.)** Updates will be provided on the 1st Sunday of each month.

Retirement Party for Ron & Jeannette Faw – *Forty-six years of service* is worth celebrating! World Partners is hosting a retirement party for the Faw's **TODAY** from 2-4pm. Come join us at the EMCC Kitchener office located at 214 Highland Road East. RSVP if you are able to come. phicks@emcc.ca

Nairn Family Homes Info Night – "Every child needs a family." Please see the poster on the bulletin board in the foyer for more information on training and support for potential foster parents. November 8, 2018 at 7pm. Hosted by Ken & Lauren VanEwyk – 3028 Kimball Rd., Courtright.

Senior Sing – Our next 6 week program will begin November 14th. Join us for singing, refreshments and fellowship together. Wednesdays from 10am to noon. Cost is \$15.

Upstanding Comedy Circuit with The Fidgets – The "Speak No Evil" Tour will be coming to Sarnia on November 14th. Our Junior High students will be attending and we encourage their families to join them as well for this fun, laugh-filled evening. See poster in the foyer for more details.

Weekend to Remember Marriage Conference – Most couples spend far more on their wedding than they will ever invest in their marriage – Is it any wonder why so many of our marriages struggle? Invest in your marriage by attending the 'Family Life Weekend to Remember' in **Detroit, November 9-11**. Check out www.familylife.com for information.

Remember to Pray – for the work of the Lord at the St. Clair Community Church in Sombra; Café la Mosaïque in Levis, Que.; for the ministry of our partner churches in El Salvador. **Local: Temple Baptist – Don Calder.**

Upward Basketball: Registration is now open for this season, for children SK to Grade 8. Forms are available at www.sarniaemc.org and in the foyer.

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