**Operation Christmas Child** – Remember the shoe boxes that were packed and sent off in November? Let's remember why we send them: it's about sharing the Good News and Great Joy of Jesus.

Did you know.....

...Every 16 seconds a child comes to Christ through OCC! ...Every 24 hours 30,000 children hear the gospel through our ministry.

Keep praying and plan to fill some boxes this fall.

## Praise and Prayer Calendar

Pray for.....

- ...<u>High School students</u> that they may finish the year well and those seeking summer employment
- ... <u>Parents</u> as they seek to wisely and courageously parent children of all ages
- ... George and Cheryl and their family, and the extended Loewen and Loeppky families as they grieve and adjust to life after Lacey's passing.
- ... <u>The Many Missionaries</u> throughout the world that they may courageously proclaim the Gospel
- ... <u>Young Adults</u> as they determine where the Lord would have them serve and provide them with Godly support and influences in their lives.
- ... <u>Don & Carol Pickle</u> as they are on a three week ministry to the Maritimes and Maine (May 9-28).

Pray for: 1. Safety in travel

- 2. Good health during those days of May 9-28
- 3. Spirit-filled ministry as we minister in churches
- 4. Acquainting Dave with the potential in the Maritimes and Maine
- 5. That we will be an encouragement to both Pastors and congregations as we minister and

## visit through the area



May 19, 2019

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## This Week:

**g** - Wednesday @ 7:30 p.m. @ the church.

**Young Adults** – See Pastor Matt for details

**Youth** – Friday @ 7:30 p.m. @ the church

**Church Campout** - Please sign up for canoeing /golfing in the foyer before June  $1^{st}$ .

*Circle Square Ranch Family Day* - May 20<sup>th</sup> from 12:00-4:00.We will have activities such as the climbing wall and archery available. Feel free to bring a bag lunch or enjoy hot dogs and hamburgers from our concession stand. We would love to see everyone there. No prior registration is required

<u>55+ potluck Luncheon</u>- May 21 @ 11 a.m. @ EMC. Henry & Susie Zacharias will be reporting on Bolivia.

<u>Marie Enns</u> – 84 year old founder of Rescue Cambodia will be sharing all that God is doing in the orphanages in Cambodia. Everyone welcome on Tuesday, May 21 @ 7 p.m., here at our church! ..... if anyone is interested in hosting Marie and her son-in-law, please contact Colleen

**Swing into Spring!** Come celebrate art, music, and the spoken word. Enjoy tea and dessert served by students at Austin Christian Academy, May 24.@1:30pm

**MacGregor Hospital Auxiliary lunch** on Sunday, May 26 from 11:30-1:30 at the multiplex hall. All are welcome!

**Day of Prayer for Camp** - Over the past few years the National Board has had a day set aside specifically for prayer. This year we have branched out to pray for all Christian Camps and have invited CCI/Canada, FCC and Intervarsity to partner with us in this. Our day of Prayer for this year is May 26, 2019. For resources to participate in the Day of Prayer for Camp visit <a href="https://www.prayforcamp.ca">www.prayforcamp.ca</a>

**Rio Grande Fundraising Banquet** – Wednesday, May 29 @ 6:30 p.m. Please Contact Ernie & Mary Bueckert before May 27 for reservations. See poster for more details.

**Volunteer Appreciation Tea** - Thursday, May 30 @ 2 p.m.@ Macgregor Health Centre. See poster for more details.

Ascension Day Service - May 30 @ 7:30 p.m.

**Service Opportunity** - Are you searching for an opportunity to be involved in the church? We are looking for people willing to use their talents in music ministry, sound booth, or running the computer on Sunday mornings. Westend also has a music ministry opportunity on Sunday mornings before church at the local care home once a month. Feel free to volunteer only once or twice a year or commit to more often. Please talk to the music committee if you are interested in serving in the church in this way.

## **UPCOMING**

<u>Mark your calendars</u> – Church campout July 19-21<sup>st at</sup> Sprucewoods Provincial Park, Jeff Peacock will be the speaker for the weekend. Please sign up on the bulletin

board ASAP. If you have any questions please speak to Dean & Roxie or Dale & Melody.