

HUNGER



**PORTAGE
AVENUE
CHURCH**

July 31, 2022

BIBLE READING PLAN

July

21	2 Chr 4:1-6:11	Rom 7:1-13	Ps 17	Pr 19:22-23
22	2 Chr 6:12-8:10	Rom 7:14-8:8	Ps 18:1-15	Pr 19:24-25
23	2 Chr 8:11-10:19	Rom 8:9-25	Ps 18:16-36	Pr 19:26
24	2 Chr 11 - 13	Rom 8:26-39	Ps 18:37-50	Pr 19:27-29
25	2 Chr 14 - 16	Rom 9:1-24	Ps 19	Pr 20:1
26	2 Chr 17 & 18	Rom 9:25-10:13	Ps 20	Pr 20:2-3
27	2 Chr 19 & 20	Rom 10:14-11:12	Ps 21	Pr 20:4-6
28	2 Chr 21 - 23	Rom 11:13-36	Ps 22:1-18	Pr 20:7
29	2 Chr 24 & 25	Rom 12	Ps 22:19-31	Pr 20:8-10
30	2 Chr 26 - 28	Rom 13	Ps 23	Pr 20:11
31	2 Chr 29	Rom 14	Ps 24	Pr 20:12

August

1	2 Chr 30 & 31	Rom 15:1-22	Ps 25:1-15	Pr 20:13-15
2	2 Chr 32:1-33:13	Rom 15:23-16:9	Ps 25:16-22	Pr 20:16-18
3	2 Chr 33:14-34:33	Rom 16:10-27	Ps 26	Pr 20:19
4	2 Chr 35 & 36	1 Cor 1:1-17	Ps 27:1-6	Pr 20:20-21
5	Ezra 1 & 2	1 Cor 1:18-2:5	Ps 27:7-14	Pr 20:22-23
6	Ezra 3:1-4:23	1 Cor 2:6-3:4	Ps 28	Pr 20:24-25
7	Ezra 4:24-6:22	1 Cor 3:5-23	Ps 29	Pr 20:26-27
8	Ezra 7:1-8:20	1 Cor 4	Ps 30	Pr 20:28-30
9	Ezra 8:21-9:15	1 Cor 5	Ps 31:1-8	Pr 21:1-2
10	Ezra 10	1 Cor 6	Ps 31:9-18	Pr 21:3
11	Neh 1:1-3:14	1 Cor 7:1-24	Ps 31:19-24	Pr 21:4

How To Journal

- S** Scripture - write out the key thought, phrase or word that stands out to you
- O** Observations - write down your observations
- A** Applications - write out the application to your life
- P** Prayer - write a short prayer

WHAT'S HAPPENING

Care Givers of the Week: Peter & Justina Suderman

Condolences to the friends and family of Martha Reimer, our church family member, who went to be with Jesus on Tuesday, July 26th.

Thank you from Yangsik (Kim) Choi for all the prayers last Sunday - she really appreciates them. She is also sorry for interrupting the birthday celebration during Fellowship Cafe. Praise God she is at home and recovering well.

Martha Reimer Memorial Service

The service will be held on Thursday, August 4 at 11am at Friends Funeral Home. The livestream will also be available on their website for 60 days. For additional information please see Friends' website at www.friendsfs.ca.

Guest Speakers for the month of August:

Aug 7 - John Neufeld

Aug 14 - Greg Wiens, Multiply

Aug 21 - Bob Davis, director of Multiply for South East Asia

Aug 28 - Philip Kim

Kids in the Word Update

We value our children and want to invest in them as the future leaders of the church. To that end, we want to get Kids in the Word up and running again this fall. We are excited to try out some new ideas. We need help to make this a reality, so if you are interested in serving in this area, please let Deanna or Melanie know.

Moving Forward

Council met Thursday night and have approved the by-laws as presented by the Constitution Committee with some slight amendments. Please stay tuned as plan to present them to the congregation for feedback via mini Townhalls during Fellowship Cafe starting in late August.

MISSION UPDATE – YFC - Emily Reeve

Volunteer Opportunity

Our missionary Emily Reeve, with Youth For Christ Winnipeg, is looking for volunteers for their Young Parents Program.

“We engage and encourage, equip and empower young parents through community and 1:1 mentoring. We seek to share the hope of Jesus with them in walking alongside them, caring for them and sharing the gospel. We need female mentors for our young moms program and male mentors for our young dads program. We need childcare volunteers too. Also, if you have other areas of gifting and would like to serve in some way, we would love to hear from you. We need organizers, cleaners, cooks, shoppers and drivers too! For more information you can talk to Emily Reeve or email the director of the program - Deb Richards @ deb.richards@yfcwinnipeg.ca.”

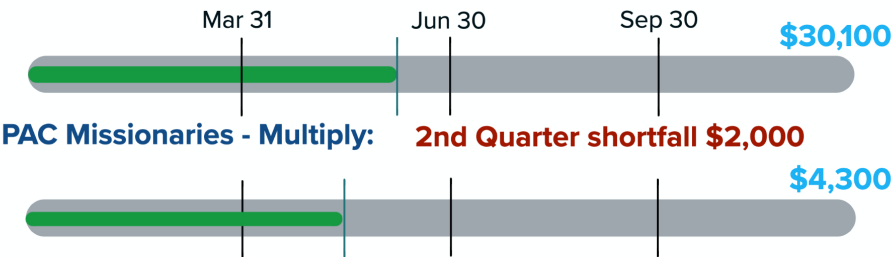
Listening to God Workshop Update

The 9 week series was completed on Monday, July 25th.

Our sincere thank you to Walter and Chris Martens for leading the group - you are a blessing! The course material was great and we enjoyed the sweet times of fellowship. Everyone that attended grew in their relationship with Jesus, praise God!

We look forward to another workshop in the Fall. Please stay tuned.

Missionary Support As Of Jul 26, 2022



PAC Missionaries - Multiply: 2nd Quarter shortfall \$2,000

PAC Missionary - Matt Peters (Equip): 2nd Quarter shortfall \$575

NB: Quarterly support payments are sent only once pledge has been met.

Total Mission Income Received \$99,711

WHAT'S HAPPENING

From the Refugee Committee

We have received \$3,875 in donations over the last few weeks - thanks to everybody for your generosity. We have also received very generous donations of furniture recently - with what is currently in the Choir Room, and what has been promised, we now have more than enough to furnish an apartment. For the time being, please don't offer any more furniture.

What we need more than anything else at the moment is your time and effort:

- The current Refugee Committee is getting old, and we need more energetic people to serve on the Committee. Tasks can include shifting furniture, helping to navigate Canadian immigration bureaucracy, and walking with recently arrived refugees as they adjust to Canadian life. We are particularly keen to recruit women for this - because of cultural issues, some refugee women will find it awkward to be helped by a man.

- We do a lot of furniture moving, and this always needs a pickup truck or a van. At the moment, this work devolves on one or two individuals. We would like to build up a list of people who have access to suitable vehicles, and would be willing to help on an occasional basis.

If you would like to help, please contact Norman Cameron on 204-691-5667 or mandn.cameron@gmail.com.



**Office Closed
August 2
for
Terry Fox
Day**

PRAYER ALERT

Pray for those who are shut-in and in hospital:

Bethania - Mary Witzke, Erna Friesen

Bethel Place - Agnes Pauls

Concordia Place - John E. Friesen

Concordia Village - Martha Tielmann

Donwood Personal Care - Aneta Dyck, Louise (Lois) Peters,
Helen Wiens

Pembina Place - Helen Doerksen, Anne Kroeker

Sturgeon Creek Retirement Residence - Bertha Toews

Please pray:

- For Pastor Jedidiah and family as his mother is in hospital recovering from a stroke
- For Emily Reeve as she raises support to work at YFC
- For Jim & Melanie Penner and family as Jim continues to recover from stroke at home
- For safety for Pastor Jennifer and others who are travelling abroad this summer

Square One World Media Prayer Request:

Gladys Rempel produces Square One World Media's Low German video series, "A Good Life." Pray for Gladys as she teaches women to live by biblical principles.

Wednesdays at 2:30pm

Weekly Prayer Time

Send your prayer requests to
pastoralcare@pachurch.ca
or call 204.774.4414

SUMMER HOLIDAY DATES

Summer Holiday Dates - staff vacation dates to be aware of:

Jedidiah away: August 5 - August 18

Jeremy away: July 27 - August 2

Jennifer away: July 17 - August 27

Phillip away: June 27 - August 13

SERMON NOTES

For Further Reflection:

Use these questions for personal reflection or with your small group.

- 1. How do you go about prioritizing your relationship with Jesus in your life?
- 2. Have you ever had moments in your faith journey where you hungered for the Lord Jesus as you read about in God’s Word?
- 3. What happened as a result of having such hunger for the living God in your life?
- 4. What did you learn about God’s character through the sermon?
- 5. What does your response need to be?



THIS WEEK

	Philip away June 27 - Aug 15
	Jennifer away July 17 - Aug 27
	Jeremy away July 27 - Aug 2
	Jedidiah away Aug 5 - Aug 18
Sun. July 31	10:00 am Worship Service Fellowship Cafe
	6:00 pm PAC-K Musical Practice
Tue. Aug 2	Office Closed in Lieu of Civic Holiday
Wed. Aug 3	2:30 pm Prayer Time
	7:30 pm PAC Korean Small Group Worship
Fri. Aug 5	Melanie away

NEXT WEEK

	Philip away June 27 - Aug 15
	Jennifer away July 17 - Aug 27
	Jedidiah away Aug 5 - Aug 18
Sun. Aug 7	10:00 am Communion Worship Service Guest Speaker: John Neufeld Fellowship Cafe
Wed. Aug 10	2:30 pm Prayer Time
	7:30 pm PAC Korean Small Group Worship

Contact Us: Office: 204.774.4414

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