

GOD IS THE PERFECT JUDGE



**PORTAGE
AVENUE
CHURCH**

October 1, 2023

CHAPTER-A-DAY BIBLE READING PLAN

We want to read the Bible together! Join us in following this reading plan, which you can also find on our church website at pachurch.ca/bible, on Church Connect, and in the Bible app. The full three year plan is now available on the information booth.

October 1	1 Corinthians	4	October 16	1 Corinthians	8
October 2	Deuteronomy	23	October 17	Deuteronomy	33
October 3	Deuteronomy	24	October 18	Deuteronomy	34
October 4	1 Corinthians	5	October 19	1 Corinthians	9
October 5	Deuteronomy	25	October 20	Joshua	1
October 6	Deuteronomy	26	October 21	Joshua	2
October 7	1 Corinthians	6	October 22	Psalms	44-45
October 8	Deuteronomy	27	October 23	Joshua	3
October 9	Deuteronomy	28	October 24	Joshua	4
October 10	Psalms	42-43	October 25	1 Corinthians	10
October 11	Deuteronomy	29	October 26	Joshua	5
October 12	Deuteronomy	30	October 27	Joshua	6
October 13	1 Corinthians	7	October 28	1 Corinthians	11
October 14	Deuteronomy	31	October 29	Joshua	7
October 15	Deuteronomy	32	October 30	Joshua	8
			October 31	1 Corinthians	12

If you're using the Bible app, please sign up for the next quarter of the reading plan which starts today



*After church on
Thanksgiving Sunday*

WHAT'S HAPPENING

Caregivers of the Week: Frank & Anni Duerksen

Condolences to Mary & John Penner on the passing of Mary's sister, Kathie Dyck. Condolences also to Peter & Marie Dueck (sister), Elsie Dyck (sister-in-law), Rick (nephew) & Kathy Penner, Darlene Penner (niece), and Brittany Penner (grand-niece). Praise God, Kathie was ready to be with her Lord and Saviour. Prayers and peace for family and friends as they grieve.

Thanksgiving Potluck - next Sunday is our Thanksgiving potluck! You can sign up to help at pachurch.ca/helping, or just bring a dish!

Cultural Cooking Class - We are hosting another cultural cooking class! On October 7 (10 am) we will be featuring a hands on opportunity to learn how to prepare an authentic Afghanistan dish: Kabuli Paleo. Register at pachurch.ca/connect

Kids In the Word - just a reminder that the kids will be dismissed to the back corner of the sanctuary during the worship service, and their teachers will take them from there. Parents of children 7 and under will be given an identifying badge for when the children return (during the last song).



Portage Avenue church's *Cooking Class*

Everyone is welcome to join this cultural cooking class and learn how to make a Afghanistan dish!

Please RSVP

Fee: \$5.00

Date: Oct. 7, 2023

10:00 am ~ 12:00 pm

1420 Portage Avenue



WHAT'S HAPPENING

Accommodation for Refugees

We expect a number of Afghan refugee families to arrive in Winnipeg before Christmas. One of the families has seven children, so we will be looking for a four bedroom house or apartment. It will be quite a challenge to find one. If you are aware of such a house or apartment available for a moderate rent, please contact Norman Cameron.

Marathon Sunday - Please note that October 15 will be Marathon Sunday. In order to get into the church parking lot, you will need to take an alternate route by going to Craig Street and using the back lane to approach the church and cross Raglan. Check next week's bulletin for a map

Thanksgiving Donations - Next week if you designate your donations to "Thanksgiving Donations" it will go towards supporting these missions: ICOMB - 30%, Multiply - 30%, Square One World Media - 20%, YWAM - 20%

Meal Train for Carpentier Family - Amilia Choi is organizing a meal train for the Carpentiers... contact her to sign up to bring a meal, or go to mealtrain.com/trains/nvloeq



Sunday, October 8

THANKSGIVING MISSIONS DONATION

Designate your special offering to "Thanksgiving Missions" this week via online, e-transfer or donation envelope and it will go toward the following missions:

- ICOMB 30%
- Multiply: 30%
- Square One World Media: 20%
- YWAM: 20%

LOOKING FORWARD

We're looking forward to Thanksgiving! Elton Da Silva from the Canadian MB conference will bring us a thanksgiving message. This year we will be having a special Thanksgiving potluck after the worship service. Please bring a dish, and a little extra, so that we have lots of food for guests. You can bring food to the front doors, and somebody will be there to take your food downstairs. Speaking of which, we do need volunteers to help out! Contact the office to sign up!

Planting The Story

A CELEBRATION OF STORYTELLING AND MEDIA

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2023

Attend in person at The Leaf, Assiniboine Park, Winnipeg
or join the fun through an interactive live online stream

6:30 p.m. CT

DINNER & SILENT AUCTION

Tray-passed dining begins

Bids open on Silent Auction
(for both in-person and
online guests)

7:30 p.m. CT

DESSERT & PROGRAM

Desserts are served

Program begins
(for both in-person and
online guests)

Reservation Required by October 6 (In-Person) & November 6 (Online)

RSVP by email at info@s1wm.com or call 1-800-565-1810.

No admission fee. For ages 16 and older.

**Don't miss this sneak peek into how we tell the story of Jesus
through creative and exciting media!**

With special thanks to Presenting Sponsor, The Bill and Margaret Fast Family Foundation

Contact Alex Nezvesciuc to join his table at this event



PRAYER ALERT

Pray for those who are shut-in:

Bethania - Mary Witzke, Erna Friesen, Frank Duerksen

Bethel Place - Agnes Pauls

Concordia Place - John E. Friesen

Concordia Village - Martha Tielmann

Donwood Personal Care - Helen Wiens

Pembina Place - Helen Doerksen

Sturgeon Creek Retirement Residence - Bertha Toews

Please also pray:

- For Phyllis Reynar, who is still recovering from the hospital
- For Randi Neufeld, who had surgery and is recovering at home
- For Agatha Froese, who is at Deer Lodge, in need of healing
- For Ruth Pauls, who is home from hospital but still recovering
- For Jon Dyck, who is struggling with sciatic nerve pain
- For Emily Cook as she raises support to work at YFC
- For Marie Dueck as she recovers from stroke at home
- For Jim Penner as he continues to recover from stroke
- For Pastor Jedidiah's mother, who is recovering from a stroke.

Square One World Media Prayer Request

Pray for Scott Koop who joined the Square One World Media team as Associate Director in August. He will oversee church relations and pastoral care.

Missions Support As Of Sept 19, 2023



PAC Missionaries: 3rd Quarter Goal Met!!

- Sandra & Israel Chavez Plett (Multiply)
- Cory & Masami Giesbrecht (Multiply)
- Dave & Louise Sinclair-Peters (Multiply)
- Greg Wiens (Multiply)
- Jen Schmidt (Multiply)
- Emily Cook (YFC)

Total Mission Income Received \$88,796

SERMON NOTES

GOING DEEPER

Use these questions to reflect on the sermon, potentially with a small group.

1. What is God saying to you through this message?
2. What did you learn about God's character through the sermon?



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2023 - 2024

Korean Class

You can
join us
at anytime!

[Place]
Portage Avenue Church
1420 Portage Ave

[Registration]
Registration is free for everyone.
However, there is a \$20 fee for
material cost per person.
Please use the following QR to
register for the following year.



THIS WEEK

Sun. Oct 1	10:00 am	Communion Worship Service
	11:45 am	Bible Studies
Tue. Oct 3		[CANCELLED] Seniors Exercise Class
Wed. Oct 4	2:00 pm	Prayer Time
	5:30 pm	Korean Language Ministry
	7:30 pm	Korean Fellowship Worship Service
Thurs. Oct 5	7:00 pm	PAC Youth
Fri. Oct 6	6:00 pm	Conversational English
Sat. Oct 7	10:00 am	Cooking Class
	2:30 pm	Grief Share
	6:00 pm	Slavic Fellowship

NEXT WEEK

Sun. Oct 8	10:00 am	Missions/Thanksgiving Worship Service
	11:15 am	Thanksgiving Potluck
Tue. Oct 10		Office Closed in Lieu of Thanksgiving
	2:30 pm	Seniors Exercise Class
Wed. Oct 11	2:00 pm	Prayer Time
	5:30 pm	Korean Language Ministry
	7:30 pm	Korean Fellowship Worship Service
Thurs. Oct 12	7:00 pm	PAC Youth
Fri. Oct 13	6:00 pm	Conversational English
Sat. Oct 14	10:00 am	Cooking Class
	2:30 pm	Grief Share
	6:30 pm	Recently Married Group



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