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**PORTAGE
AVENUE
CHURCH**

February 22, 2026



Portage Avenue Church

A Mennonite Brethren Church

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New Reading Plan for 2026

Join us in reading the Bible together!

February	14	Psalms 21:8-13	Matthew 28	Exodus 16:4-20
February	15	Psalms 22:1-6	Mark 1:9-27	Exodus 17:11-12
February	16	Psalms 22:14-19	Mark 1:30-41	Exodus 19:3-5
February	17	Proverbs 5:3-8	Mark 2:18-28	Exodus 21:20-24
February	18	Psalms 22:22-31	Mark 3:35	Exodus 23:1-9
February	19	Psalms 23	Mark 4:30-41	Exodus 25:1-9
February	20	Psalms 24	Mark 5:21-43	Exodus 27:21
February	21	Proverbs 5:15-23	Mark 6:6-19	Exodus 29:38-46
February	22	Psalms 25:1-7	Mark 6:30-56	Exodus 31:12-15
February	23	Psalms 25:8-14	Mark 7:5-29	Exodus 33:7-15
February	24	Psalms 25:16-21	Mark 7:31-37	Exodus 35:10-21
February	25	Proverbs 6:1-11	Mark 8:14-36	Exodus 38:22-23
February	26	Psalms 26:2-12	Mark 9:2-24	Exodus 40:34-38
February	27	Psalms 27:1-5	Mark 9:35-50	Leviticus 1:1-4
February	28	Psalms 27:7-14	Mark 10:13-31	Leviticus 4:27-35
March	1	Proverbs 6:16-19	Mark 10:32-52	Leviticus 5:14-16

PORTAGE AVENUE CHURCH TRAILBLAZERS

meat
buns

flash sale after
Sunday services

february 1
february 15

FUNDRAISING TOWARDS YOUTH
RETREAT EXPENSES

\$20/DOZEN

WHAT'S HAPPENING

Dear Portage Avenue Church Family,

I am writing to share that I have met with our lead pastor (Pastor Jedidiah) and the head of our personnel team (Kathy Fehr), and we have recommended and approved a four-week leave of absence for Jeremy Penner, effective Wednesday February 18th through to March 18th.

We care deeply for those who serve our community. Recently, it has become clear that Jeremy needs to step away from his daily responsibilities to focus on his health and physical well-being. We believe that honouring this time for rest and recovery is the best way to support Jeremy and ensure his long-term health.

What this means for our community:

- **Rest and Privacy:** We ask that you join us in protecting Jeremy's time away by allowing him the space to disconnect fully. Please refrain from reaching out via text, email, or social media regarding church matters during this time. This doesn't preclude friends from being a support.
- **Interim Support:** While Jeremy is away, our leadership team and staff will be working closely together to ensure Jeremy's responsibilities are covered to the best of our ability. Thank you for your patience in this regard.
- **Prayer:** We invite you to join us in prayer for Jeremy, Jessica and kids-praying for strength, healing, and a deep sense of peace during this season of rest.

We are grateful for Jeremy's dedicated service.

Grace and peace,

John Neufeld
PAC Moderator

WHAT'S HAPPENING

Sunday Morning Bible Studies at 11:45am

- Women's Bible Study - in room 4 (end of downstairs hallway)
- PAC Bible Study - in Room 14 (end of upstairs hallway)

We'll ring a bell in fellowship cafe at 11:45 as a reminder of the time.

Setup Team Volunteers Needed

We occasionally need chairs and tables moved for different events and are looking for volunteers to help with this. The work is usually on Sunday but there are other days as well. If you can help, please email office@pachurch.ca

Online Directory

Did you know that if you register for Church Connect at pachurch.ca/connect, you can sign in on the Church Connect app or on the website, and view the online directory! You can submit photos to office@pachurch.ca, and use this tool as a way to get to know our church family better!

Collide - Young Adults - Early Bird Deadline

Please remember to sign up today to get the special deal on the registration fee. Cutoff is February 27th.

Collide

Young Adults Conference

a multi-church conference that exists to make a space for young adults to pursue God and be led to find truth, identity, and purpose in Him.

May 1-2



Church will pay half (\$35) IF you sign up before Feb 28th

Register with the church for a group rate at pachurch.ca/connect



Dates: May 1st - 2nd 2026 (May 1 is only Friday evening)

Location: My Church - 955 Wilkes Ave Wpg

Theme: "Kingdom Come"

WHAT'S HAPPENING

YFC Comedy Night to support Emily Cook - YFC Winnipeg is having a comedy night fundraiser featuring Leeland Klassen at 7 pm on March 2nd at Grant Memorial Church. Registration is free. Donations will be accepted at the event to support YFC staff and you can designate your giving to go specifically to Emily Cook. Tickets are required and are digital upon registration through the QR code below. If you can't register online, please contact Emily for physical tickets: emily.cook@yfcwinnipeg.ca or 204-669-4205, ext. 239

Meat Bun Fundraiser - The meat buns are available for sale this Sunday, in the foyer, at \$20 for a dozen.

Youth Retreat March 20-22

The Youth and Young Adults are going on a retreat, March 20-22, at Camp Cedarwood! There is a \$70 deposit and registration closes on March 8th. Register on church connect or using the QR code below!

Men's Breakfast - Sat Feb 28 @ 9am

Please sign up on the sheet at the information booth at the back of the sanctuary or register online: pachurch.ca/connect.

PORTAGE AVE CHURCH

MARCH
20-22
2026

youth &
young adult
retreat

AGES
12+

CAMP CEDARWOOD

speaker: andrew campbell
FROM CHURCH OF THE ROCK

REGISTRATION CLOSING MARCH 8TH
\$70 deposit

PRAYER ALERT

Caregiver(s) of the Week: Anni Duerksen

Pray for those who are shut-in:

- Bethania - Erna F, Irma K, Agnes P, Paul W, Mary W.
- Concordia Place - John E.F.
- Donwood Personal Care - Helen W.
- Oakview Place - Agatha F.
- Sturgeon Creek Retirement Residence - Bertha T.

Please also pray:

- For Jeremy Penner and family - praying for strength, healing, and a deep sense of peace during this season of rest
- For Helen Schellenberg, who is in the Grace Hospital
- For peace and healing for Albert Karlenzig, who has two brain tumours
- For Tina Froese's daughter, Caroline Froese, for healing. She is currently at home and undergoing chemo.

Praise Item!

Thank you for praying for Joanne, Frieda's daughter in law, after major surgery. She is on the way to recovery, praise the Lord!

GRIEF SHARE GROUP



Saturdays at 2:30pm - starting March 7/26

\$25 - Register with Pastor Jennifer

(jchoi@pachurch.ca) or pachurch.ca/Connect

THIS WEEK

Sun. Feb 22	10:00 am	Worship Service - Pastor Jennifer
	11:15 am	Fellowship Cafe
	11:45 am	Bible Studies
Tue. Feb 24	9:30 am	Women's Bible Study
	2:00 pm	Seniors Exercise Class
	6:30 pm	Council Meeting
	7:00 pm	Young Adults
Wed. Feb 25	2:00 pm	Prayer Gathering
	5:30 pm	Korean Language Class
	7:30 pm	Korean Worship Service
Thurs. Feb 26	7:00 pm	Trailblazers Youth
	7:00 pm	Keenagers Life Group
	7:00 pm	Chinese Bible Study
Fri. Feb 27	6:00 pm	Conversational English
Sat. Feb 28	9:00 am	Men's Breakfast
	6:00 pm	Slavic Life Group

NEXT WEEK

Sun. Mar 1	10:00 am	Communion Service - Pierre Gilbert
	11:15 am	Fellowship Cafe
	11:45 am	Bible Studies
Tue. Mar 3	9:30 am	Women's Bible Study
	2:00 pm	Seniors Exercise Class
Wed. Mar 4	2:00 pm	Prayer Gathering
	5:30 pm	Korean Language Class
	7:30 pm	Korean Worship Service (online)
Thurs. Mar 5	7:00 pm	Trailblazers Youth
	7:00 pm	Chinese Bible Study
Fri. Mar 6	6:00 pm	Conversational English
Sat. Mar 7	6:00 pm	Slavic Life Group



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