



# **Birds**

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#### Word list:

BLUEJAY HAWK MOCKINGBIRD ROBIN CARDINAL HERON NUTHATCH **SPARROW** CHICKADEE HUMMINGBIRD OWL STARLING CRANE IAY PELICAN SWALLOW EAGLE KESTREL PHEASANT TURKEY FALCON KINGFISHER QUAIL WOODPECKER WREN FINCH LARK RAVEN

## **UPCOMING PROGRAMS**

Exercise every Monday, Wednesday and Friday in the basement at 9:30 am



Kitchen and Offices closed on Monday, Oct.13<sup>th</sup> for THANKSGIVING

### **Tuesdays Schedule**

Chapel at 10 am, Bible Study with John at 10:30 am. Everyone welcome.



Music with John Penner on Tuesdays, Oct 14<sup>th</sup> & Oct 28<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm Everyone welcome.

Bingo at 2 pm

Grunthal Bakery Thursday, Oct 9<sup>th</sup> @ 10 am



Barkman Bake Sale Thursday, Oct 23<sup>rd</sup> @ 2 - 4:30 pm

Sing-along - Thursdays, Oct 2<sup>nd</sup>, Oct 16<sup>th</sup>, Oct 23<sup>rd</sup> & Oct 30<sup>th</sup> @ 10:30

Coffee time every Thursday @ 9:30 am



Thursday, Oct 2<sup>nd</sup> @ 7pm - Sommerfeld Youth
Wednesday, Oct 1<sup>st</sup> 7:30pm & Sunday, Oct 19<sup>th</sup>
- VFCG Mitchell Youth



Thursday, Oct 9<sup>th</sup> @ 7pm 
Mitchell Sing along

Music Family-Singers Sunday,

Tuesday, Oct 21<sup>st</sup> @ 7pm

### **UPCOMING PROGRAMS**

LIBRARY

Book Mobile Friday, Oct 3<sup>rd,</sup> @ 2pm



60s Music with Joe Draude Monday, Oct 20<sup>th</sup> @ 2pm



Roger, from Chef in the House will bring meal orders on Oct 21<sup>st.</sup> Thanksgiving Meal
Thursday, Oct 9<sup>th.</sup>
Please let the kitchen know if you will be attending by Oct 6<sup>th.</sup>

Pie and Coffee in the MPR. Monday, Oct 20<sup>th</sup> @ 2pm \$ 2 Sign-up required.



Coffee Potluck
Friday, Oct 17<sup>th</sup> at 2 pm.
Everyone Welcome.
Bring your favourite Snacks.



Singing with Abe & Tina Dyck
Thursday, Oct 23<sup>rd</sup>

@ 7 pm



SINGING GROUP
SATURDAY, OCT 25
@ 2 PM MPR
EVERYONE WELCOME!

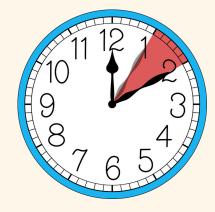


We are updating the Fernwood Photobook. Please come and get your picture taken. Wednesday, Oct 15<sup>th</sup> and Thursday, Oct 16<sup>th</sup> between 1 - 3 pm in the MPR.



Marcia will be here selling Perogies and other goods on Wednesday, Oct 1<sup>st</sup> between 10 am – 12 noon. MPR





Remember, Nov 2, 2025 Daylight Savings Ends.

Clocks are turned backward 1 hour.



Communion with Chaplain John.

Thursday,
Oct 16<sup>th</sup>
at 7 pm. In the
MPR
Everyone
Welcome!

Dress-Up Party with Amy. Friday, Oct 31 @ 2pm MPR.

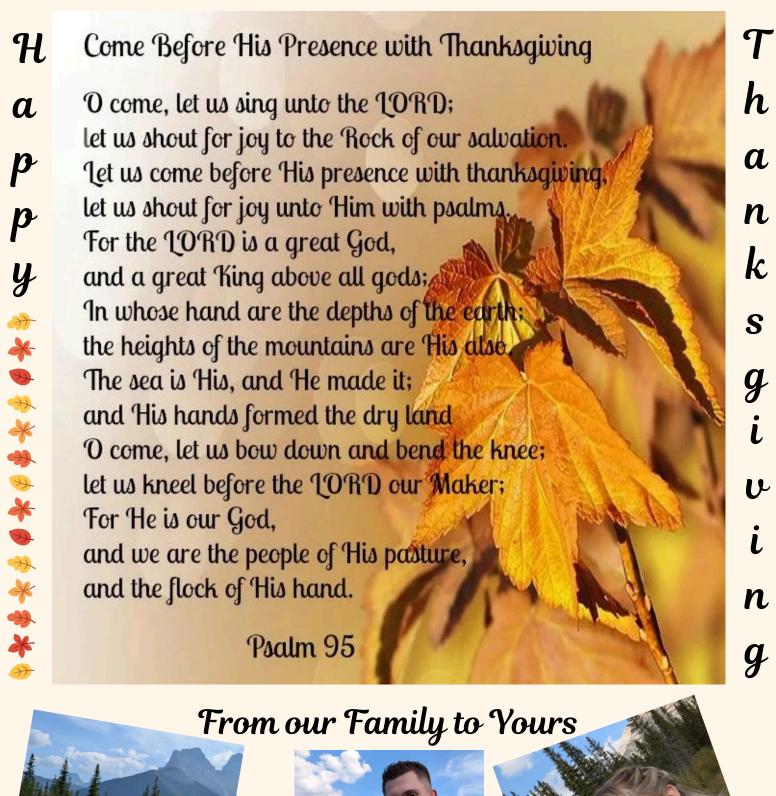
Come for the fun,
Coffee and
Snacks.





#### STEINBACH HOUSING INC. FIRE SAFETY PLAN

- If you see SMOKE or FIRE, move away from it, to the other half of the same floor.
- Pull the lever on the red fire box.
- Call 9-1-1.
- If the smoke or fire is not in your room, STAY IN YOUR APARTMENT.
   Your apartment is a fire rated area and you will be safe there. Place a
  wet towel against the bottom of your entry door.
- Stay in your room and wait for instructions regarding evacuation procedures or when the incident is all clear.
- If you must leave your room for safety, close the door behind you but do not lock it.
- DO NOT USE the elevators
- If you are in the basement, take the closest stairwell to the first floor and wait in the multi-purpose room for instruction.









# From The Chaplain's Desk October Devotional - A Season of Thanksgiving

"The land yields its harvest; God, our God, blesses us. May God bless us still, so that all the ends of the earth will fear him." Psalm 67:6-7 (NIV)

October is a time to reflect on the harvest—a season when fields, gardens, and orchards yield the fruits of months of labor. As we witness the abundance of crops, we are reminded of God's faithfulness in providing for His people. Every seed planted, every drop of rain, and every ray of sunshine has been guided by His sustaining hand.

This month, let us pause to give thanks not only for the harvest of our land but also for the blessings of living in this country, in this place God has given us. We thank Him for the soil beneath our feet, the food on our tables, and the communities that surround us.

But above all, we give thanks for the greatest gift of all—our salvation through Jesus Christ. Just as the harvest brings life and nourishment to our bodies, salvation brings eternal life to our souls. We did not earn it; it is God's grace freely given.

So as we gather around our tables and walk through fields golden with grain, may our hearts overflow with gratitude—both for the physical harvest and the spiritual harvest God has given through His Son.

**Reflection:** The harvest reminds us that we are not self-sufficient—every good thing comes from God. We may plant, water, and work hard, but it is God who brings the increase (1 Corinthians 3:7). This truth also applies to our spiritual lives. We cannot save ourselves; salvation is the work of God through Christ.

#### Take a moment this month to reflect:

- What blessings has God brought into your life this year—both big and small?
- Where do you see evidence of God's "harvest" in your own spiritual journey?

A thankful heart sees God's hand in everything, and gratitude deepens our trust in Him for tomorrow.

**Prayer**: Heavenly Father, We thank You for the bounty of this season—for the crops that nourish us, for the beauty of the land, and for the blessings of living in the place where You have set us. We thank You most of all for the gift of salvation through Jesus Christ, which fills our lives with hope and joy. Help us to live with thankful hearts and to share Your blessings with others. May our gratitude bring glory to Your name. In the Holy Name of Jesus we pray, Amen.

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## Get your

# SEASONAL FLU SHOT!

#### WHEN:

Monday, 20 October 2025 From 8:30am to 12:30pm

> WHERE: Fernwood

**MPR** 



High Dose Influenza, Regular Dose Influenza, COVID-19, and Pneumococcal Vaccines Available!



With physicians from:



Please fill out a consent form which is available at the TRC office.



OCTOBER 2025
FERNWOOD EVENTS

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
		Office Closed	9:30am Exercise Class 10am-12noon Perogy Sale 7:30pm VFCG Youth Group	9:30am Coffee Time 10:30am Sing Along 7:00pm Sommerfeld Youth	9:30am Exercise Class 2:00pm Book Mobile	4
5 10:00am Sunday Service Chaplain John	9:30am Exercise Class	7 10:00am Chapel 10:30am Bible Study 2:00pm Bingo	9:30am Exercise Class	10:00am Grunthal Bakery Thanksgiving Meal 7:00pm Mitchell Sing along	9:30am Exercise Class	11
12 10:00am Sunday Service Bill Kehler	9:30am Exercise Class Office Closed	10:00am Chapel 10:30am Bible Study 2:00pm Bingo 7:00pm John Penner	9:30am Exercise Class  1:00-3:00pm Picture Day	9:30am Coffee Time 10:30am Sing Along 1:00-3:00pm Picture Day 7:00pm Communion	9:30am Exercise Class 2:00pm Coffee Potluck	9:30-11:30am Finger Weaving Workshop
19 10:00am Sunday Service Jake and Helen Harder 3:00pm VFCG Mitchell Youth	9:30am Exercise Class 2:00pm Joe Draude 2:00pm Pie & Coffee	10:00am Chapel 10:30am Bible Study 2:00pm Bingo 7:00pm Music Family Sing	9:30am Exercise Class 2:00pm Birthday Party	10:30am 23 Sing Along 9:30am Coffee Time 2:00- 4:30pm Barkman Bake Sale 7:00pm Abe & Tina Dyck	9:30am Exercise Class	25 2:00pm Jesus is Lord Church Singing Group
26 10:00am Sunday Service Jerry Falk	9:30am Exercise Class	10:00am Chapel 10:30am Bible Study 2:00pm Bingo 7:00pm	<b>29 2:00pm</b> Bowling	10:30am Sing Along 9:30am Coffee Time	9:30am Exercise Class 2:00pm Dress-up Party	

Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise!
Give thanks to him; bless is name! Psalms 100:4

John Penner