

JUNE 2026

Linden Place

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A GREAT PLACE TO LIVE



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FROM THE CHAPLAIN'S DESK

**“For I am become like a bottle in the smoke...”
(Psalm 119:83).**

What an interesting comparison for David to make! Bottles of the time were often made of goatskin and hung from a pole in the tent. With age, though, the bottles would become wrinkled and sooty, and would crack and start to leak, eventually becoming useless.

Why would David use such a comparison? In the verses just prior, he referred to his eyes as failing and his soul as fainting. Perhaps he had looked up at the bottle and thought, “That’s just like me—all worn out from life.”

What do we do about those times we feel tired and worn out? While we could easily say, “Just keep going!” it’s not always as easy to do. Our physical health also affects our emotional and spiritual well-being. When we aren’t feeling well, we may also not be able to read or think as clearly as we once did, or we may not be able to pray as we would like to. Being in such circumstances can easily lead to discouragement.

Paul encourages us, “For which cause we faint not; but though our outward man perish, yet the inward man is renewed day by day,” (II Corinthians 4:16). In other words, our body may be aging and feeling weaker, but our heart and mind can continue to be strong.

“...for the joy of the Lord is your strength,” (Nehemiah 8:10).

We also celebrate Father’s Day this month—that special time set aside to honor the fathers in our lives. While many can honor their fathers in person, others simply honor their memories.

May we abide in the Father’s love, no matter the situation we find ourselves in!

Peter Berg, Resthaven Chaplain

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

Sunday Worship Service SUNDAYS AT 9:00 AM

June 7 - Bill Kehler

June 14 - John Hiebert

Southland Church

June 21 - Steinbach Mennonite Church

June 28 - Steinbach Sommerfeld Church



Chapel Service

WEDNESDAYS AT 10:00 AM

WITH
CHAPLAIN LEONARD SAWATZKY

MUSIC BY PHILLIP AND KATHY PENNER



Coffee Time MONDAYS AT 10:00 AM

Come relax, chat and enjoy some good
goodies and a warm cup together.



Chair Exercise TUESDAYS AT 9:30 AM

Looking for a gentle way to stay active? Come
and join us! We can also enjoy stretching and
walking exercises together.

Everyone is welcome!



Nail Paintings

TUESDAYS, JUNE 1

AT 2 PM

Bring your favourite nail polish if you'd like!



Movie Time

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3

AT 1:00 PM

Let's enjoy movie together!
Bring your own drinks, treat will be provided!



Abby's Corner

THURSDAYS, JUNE 4 & 18

AT 10:00 AM

Join Abby for crafts, coffee and fun conversation.



Book Mobile

FRIDAY, JUNE 5 AT 1:00 PM

Come and enjoy a wide selection of books, ebooks, magazines and more...

from Jake Epp Library



Let's Go Bowling

MONDAY, JUNE 8 AT 2:00 PM

Let's go Bowling and enjoy some friendly competition! Whoever gets the highest score wins. Everyone is welcome to join and have fun!



Just HangUp.ca

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 10 AT 1:00 PM

You are invited to a presentation on how to prevent older adults from being victimized by phone scams.

Learn how to recognize scam calls, protect yourself, and know what to do.

"If in doubt, Just hang up!

Report a Scam



Ice Cream Party

MONDAY, JUNE 15 AT 2:00 PM

Join us for an Ice Cream Party at
the Patio!

\$2.00 per Ice Cream



June Birthday

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 17 AT 1:30 PM

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO:

June 6 Susie Kornelsen

June 15 Darlene Culleton

June 27 Nettie Klassen



Lunch Potluck

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 24 AT 12:00 PM

Please bring a dish to share.



Outdoor Games

MONDAY, JUNE 22 AT 2:00 PM

Come and enjoy a variety of Games like
Giant Jenga, card games and puzzles etc.

Everyone is Welcome!



ENTERTAINMENT AT LINDEN:

“In His Service”

TUESDAY, JUNE 9 AT 7:00 PM

Melodious Music from the
Giesbrecht Family Singers



Abe & Tina Dyck

MUSIC

THURSDAY, JUNE 11 AT 7PM

Let's hear this couple's music as they sing
together...



VFCG

Mitchell Youth Group

SUNDAY, JUNE 14 AT 3:15PM

Come and hear this youth group sing
our favorite hymns.



Joe Draude

MONDAY, JUNE 22 AT 2PM

Come, listen and enjoy the
Music from 50's, 60's & 70's





Summer in the City

Start Date: June 19, 2026

End Date: June 21, 2026

Price: Free and ticketed events

Address: Main Street, Steinbach

Summer in the City is Steinbach's premiere festival featuring local arts and entertainment. The Main Street is transformed into a fair like setting including a Midway, children's activities, skateboard, sporting demos and much more. Enjoy local performers, and emerging cultural entertainers all day long.

In the evening the main stage transform into a concert ground where world class musicians rock our beautiful city. There is a flurry of visual creativity as artists display their works and demonstrate their talents. There is also Sidewalk Sales Days so visitors have a chance to check out some of the deals from our local businesses. Relax and soak up the festive summer atmosphere in one of the sunny full service food and beverage patios. Traditional and cultural food vendors offer some of their famous and delicious tastings through out the festival.

Mainstage

Oh, it's gonna get LOUD over at the Mainstage!

Afternoons are free, with local talent performing from 1-5 on Friday and Saturday – best enjoyed from the bleachers, chairs, or under the umbrellas at the Patio Party!

Evenings are ticketed, with a headliner hitting the Mainstage Friday night.

Festival Headliner – Owen Riegling – Friday, June 19th, 2026

**SOUTHEAST
EVENT CENTRE**

**FARMER'S
MARKET**

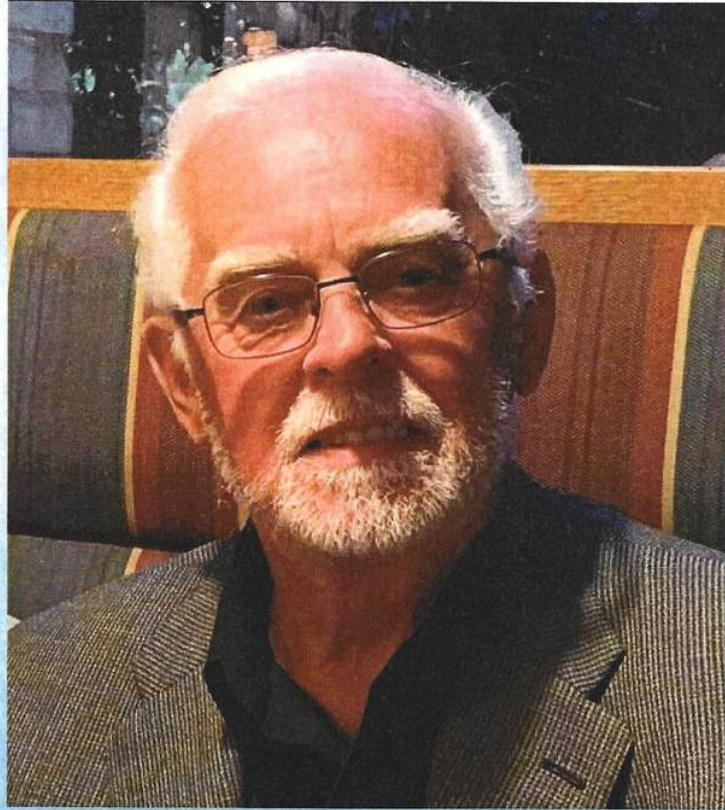
Tuesdays, June 16 - September 29

4:00 - 7:00 pm

Location: SEC Parking Lot

Welcome, Leonard Sawatzky!

Steinbach Housing Chaplain



Leonard was born into a Christian home and therefore church, Bible reading and prayer were a natural part of his growing up years. He served the pastoral ministry for many years in Saskatchewan and Manitoba, and had been a representative on various mission agencies and councils. Leonard also served as a member of the Steinbach Housing board.

We are excited to have him as our new Chaplain for Steinbach Housing.

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY

Happy Father's Day to all the amazing dads of Linden Place.

Thank you for your, wisdom, love and kindness.

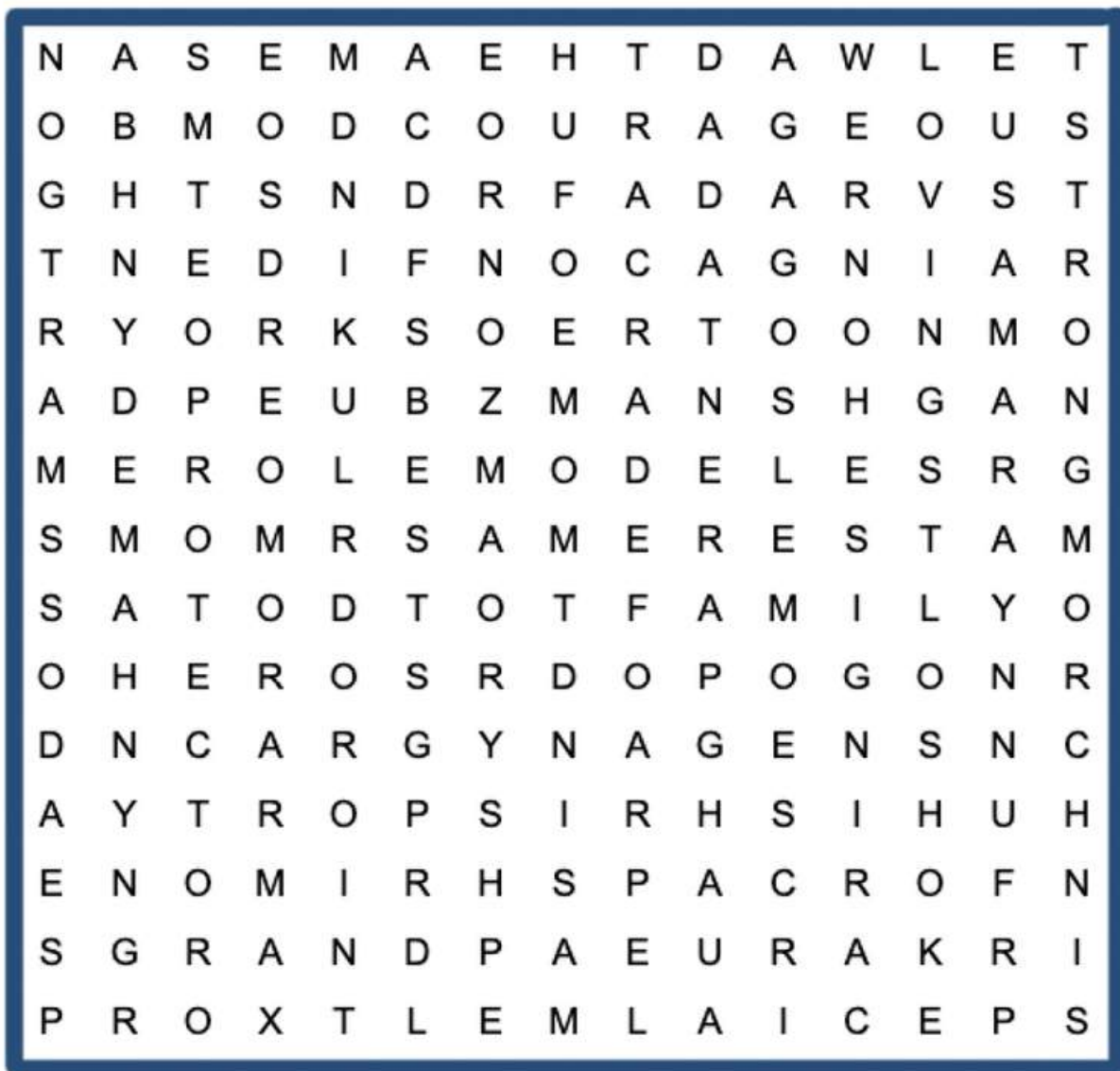
May you feel appreciated and celebrated everyday for all that you do.

Wishing you joy, good health, peace and many special moments with your loved ones.

God bless all our fathers and all father figures.

FATHER'S DAY

WORD SEARCH



BEST
CARING
CONFIDENT
CORAGEOUS
DAD
FAMILY

FUNNY
GRANDPA
HERO
KIND
LOVING
PARENT

PROTECTOR
ROLE MODEL
SMART
SPECIAL
SPORTY
STRONG



1. What's the secret to having a smoking hot body in old age? Cremation.
2. What goes up but never comes down? Your age!
3. Why do retirees smile so much? Because they can't hear a word you're saying.
4. If slow old men use walking sticks, what do fast old men use? Hurry canes
5. When you were a baby, your parents took care of you. When your parents grow old, you take care of them.
6. Grandma talks to the chickens: "Why do you talk to them?" "I'm just trying to egg them on"
7. Why did Grandpa bring a ladder to breakfast? He heard the cereal was high fiber.
8. Why did Grandma put her phone in the fridge? She wanted cool calls only.
9. Why did the senior stare at the orange juice? It said concentrate, and they took it too seriously.
10. As I got older, life finally started to click... well, at least my knees, back, and neck did.
11. What do an old person's teeth and the stars have in common? They both come out at night.
12. What's the prize for getting older? Atrophy
13. Do you remember when you could refer to your knees as right and left instead of good and bad? Good times.
Grandpa says his favorite exercise is laughing at bad jokes.
14. Grandma says the secret to happiness is cookies first.
15. The best stories always start with "Back in my day..."
16. Grandparents: proof that patience becomes a superpower.
17. Age teaches you what really matters—dessert.
18. Grandpas don't snore—they tell nighttime stories loudly.



STANDING UP FOR SENIORS: MANITOBA MARKS WORLD ELDER ABUSE AWARENESS DAY

On June 15, 2026, communities across the globe will observe World Elder Abuse Awareness Day (WEAAD), a United Nations–designated day that shines a spotlight on the mistreatment of older adults and promotes their rights, safety, and dignity.

Elder abuse can take many forms—including physical, emotional, financial, and sexual abuse, as well as neglect. It affects an estimated 8–10% of Canadian seniors each year. Warning signs may include unexplained injuries, changes in mood or behavior, and sudden withdrawal from social activities.

In Manitoba, Prevent Elder Abuse Manitoba (PEAM) is a key partner in this effort. The organization works closely with senior serving community organizations, law enforcement, service providers, and the public to raise awareness, deliver education, and offer resources that help protect and empower older adults.

Wear Purple on June 15: Show your support by wearing purple—the official color of WEAAD.



EMILY DICK #103

We are glad you are here!



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LINDEN EVENTS



S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	<p>10 am: ¹ Coffee Time</p> <p>2 pm: Nails with Amy</p>	<p>9:30 am: ² Chair Exercise</p> <p>12 pm: Group Lunch</p>	<p>10 am: Chapel</p> <p>1:30 pm: Movie Time</p>	<p>10 am: ⁴ Abby's Corner</p> <p>12 pm: Group Lunch</p>	<p>1 pm: Book Mobile</p>	
<p>9 am: ⁷ Chapel Service (Bill Kehler)</p>	<p>10 am: ⁸ Coffee Time</p> <p>2 pm: Let's Go Bowling</p>	<p>9:30 am: ⁹ Chair Exercise</p> <p>12 pm: Group Lunch</p> <p>7 pm: Giesbrecht Family Singers</p>	<p>10 am: Chapel</p> <p>1 pm: Just Hang Up Presentation</p>	<p>12 pm: Group Lunch</p> <p>7 pm: Abe & Tina Dyck Music</p>		
<p>9 am: ¹⁴ Chapel Service (John Hiebert Southland Church)</p> <p>3:15 pm: VFCG Mitchell Youth</p>	<p>10 am: ¹⁵ Coffee Time</p> <p>2 pm: Ice Cream Party <i>World Elder Abuse Awareness Day</i></p>	<p>9:30 am: ¹⁶ Chair Exercise</p> <p>12 pm: Group Lunch</p>	<p>10 am: Chapel</p> <p>1:30 pm: Birthday Party</p>	<p>12 pm: Group Lunch</p>	<p>¹⁹ ²⁰ Summer in The City</p> 	
<p>9 am: ²¹ Chapel Service (Steinbach Mennonite Church)</p> <p><i>Father's Day</i></p>	<p>10 am: ²² Father's Day Coffee</p> <p>2 pm: Joe Draude</p>	<p>9:30 am: ²³ Chair Exercise</p> <p>12 pm: Group Lunch</p>	<p>10 am: Chapel</p> <p>12 pm: Lunch Potluck</p>	<p>10 am: ²⁵ Abby's Corner</p> <p>12 pm: Group Lunch</p>		
<p>9 am: ²⁸ Chapel Service (Steinbach Sommerfeld Church)</p>	<p>10 am: ²⁹ Coffee Time</p> <p>2 pm: Outdoor Games</p>	<p>9:30 am: ³⁰ Chair Exercise</p> <p>12 pm: Group Lunch</p>				

The father of a righteous will greatly rejoice; he who fathers a wise son will be glad in him, celebrating the joy of fatherhood. Proverbs 23:24