

**October 19, 2008**

**Welcome to Eastview! We're glad you're here!**

At Eastview, we are committed to *"leading people to Christ and on to maturity in Him."*

**Sunday Worship Services** in the sanctuary & auditorium begin at 9:30am and 11:15am. Messages are recorded (CD & DVD) and copies are available by prepaid order at the Information Centre.

**Today's Message:** Pastor Delbert Enns

*God's Big Idea — Honouring My Parents*

**Next Week:** David Balzer — *God's Big Idea: Let There Be Life*

**Music Team:** James Fast, leader, Chrissie Baker, Jerry Baker, Darrell Dyck, Tiffany Enns, Matt Enns, Cam Friesen, Karl Kohut

**Adult Life Development**

**Alpha A.M. Express:** 9:30am in Room 108

**This Week:** Why and How Do I Pray?

**Next Week:** How Does God Guide Us?

**Life Application:** "What does this mean for me?"

An interactive opportunity for the attendees to dig deeper and discuss the morning message. Meet in the Fireside Room at 11:15am.

**Available at the Information Centre**

- Welcome to Eastview brochures
- Ministry brochures
- Music song packages (large print)
- Worship service recordings
- Special event information
- Previous Sundays' bulletins

**Bibles** (New Living Translation) are now available at the Info Desk. You are welcome to ask for one before each service and return it, or if you would prefer to purchase one, the recovery cost is \$11.00 each.

**Listening Headsets** for the hearing impaired are available from the sound booth at the back of the sanctuary.

**THIS WEEK AT EASTVIEW**

**Monday**

7:00pm Boys Battalion

**Tuesday**

7:00am Men's Prayer Breakfast at Perkins

**Wednesday**

9:30am Time Out for Moms

7:00pm Boys Stockade

7:00pm Women's Bible Study — Room 108

8:45pm Adult Volleyball

**Thursday**

7:00pm Choir Rehearsal

7:00pm Music Team Rehearsal

7:00pm Junior High Go and Grow!

**Friday**

6:30pm 56 Degrees Night Out

7:00pm Senior High at Albright Church

**Sunday**

9:30 & 11:15am Worship Services

11:15am Life Application Class

7:00pm Missions Highlight Evening

**FROM COUNCIL**

On September 28, 2008 the congregation voted to support the '08-'09 budget with a revenue amount of \$1,226,481. The following Sunday, October 5, members voted to approve the budget. It should be noted that 2008-2009 budget passed overwhelmingly amidst low voter turnout. It also should be noted that the budget passed reflects a significant increase in our tithes and offerings. Please be in prayer for Eastview, its budget requirements and the many, many ministries it represents. Thank you all for your participation.

On behalf of Church Council, Steve Dick

**COMMUNITY OUTREACH**

**2008 Christmas Dinner Theatre**

December 3, 4 & 5

Do you have the gift of hospitality? Organization? We are looking for someone to be our 'leader in the kitchen' for our Dinner Theatre.

Interested? *Maybe* interested but would like more information? Please call Lyle at 334-4675 or email [lyle@eastview.org](mailto:lyle@eastview.org)

**Eastview Community Outreach** together with EV Jr High Youth served 160 thanksgiving meals (with all the trimmings) on location to the residents of 396 Keenleyside. Thank you for your prayers, encouragement and contributions.

**WOMEN'S MINISTRY**

**Ladies Evening Bible Study** — every second Wednesday at 7:00pm Next one: October 22  
Facilitator: Bev Dyck

**Time Out for Moms:** Wednesdays at 9:30am. Come out for some fellowship with other moms!  
Contact Regina Dick, 668-5623

**STUDENT MINISTRY**

**Attention Junior Highs!** There is no life development class today due to the Jr. High retreat. Normal classes will resume October 26.

**Junior High Thursday** — Birds Hill Park: Go and Grow! Meet at church at 7pm with \$2.00 and an extra layer of clothing.

**Senior High** — Albright Church has invited us to join them for an evening of worship and testimonies from Ghana.

**OPPORTUNITIES**

**Child Care Opportunity**

Time Out for Moms mornings: Wednesdays to Nov 26. Contact Regina Dick, 668-5623.

**Operation Christmas Child**

Boxes are available starting today!! Boxes need to be completed by November 30. To help out with collection week, please call Ryan or Rebecca at 237-8020.

### **Eastview Missions Highlight Evening** — Sunday, Oct 26

Come out at 7:00pm to hear from Charles Mully, along with Arvid Loewen, about the Mully Children's Family efforts in Africa. Cory Bell — an Eastview member - will share his YWAM experiences from China & Thailand.

**Eastview Adult Volleyball** — C'mon out on Wednesday evenings at 8:45pm for a fun, non-competitive time of playing volleyball together!

**Billy Graham TV Telephone Ministry** - if you are interested in sharing in the work of evangelism (sharing the Good News of God's love with others) through taking phone calls from people responding to a Billy Graham TV special, call Bill Kroeker at 667-9028 or 1-800-293-3717. You must be a Christian, 18 or older and training is provided.

## **KIDS COVE**

**Junior Kids Bible Truth:** God gives us good rules to obey.

Bible Story: Moses and the Ten Commandments

Bible Verse: "I will obey your Word." Psalm 119:17

Godprint: **Obedience:** As preschoolers learn to exercise an independent will, they can choose to obey God.

**Grade 1- 4:** As we continue our world tour and our focus on Operation Christmas Child, today we visit El Salvador. Our scripture focus is from 1 John 3:18: "Dear children, let's not merely say that we love each other; let us show the truth by our actions." And we learned that it is not only important to know what God wants us to do, but that we need to be willing to put that knowledge into action.

### **56 Degrees**

J.A.M. (Jesus and Me) Session: Our Bible study today has us looking at several passages of scripture in the book of Proverbs, as we discuss the topic of anger. Is being angry wrong? What happens if we let anger go on and on? These are just a couple of the questions we will consider.

## **PRAISE AND PRAYER**

*Congratulations to Jared Wiebe and Allison Pearce who were engaged on Saturday, Oct 11.*

*Congratulations to Tim & Jody Thomas who will be celebrating 25 years of marriage on Tuesday, Oct 21.*

### **People for Prayer**

*Heidi Anders & Family*

*Peter Doerksen*

*Ed Loewen*

*John J. Neufeld*

*Rudy Pauls*

*Adriana Payne*

*Olga Schmidt*

*Karen Taylor*

*Victor & Margaret Brandt*

*Congratulations to Irwin & Irene Pauls who will be celebrating their 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary on Saturday, October 25.*

*Please be in prayer for the speaker and the music team as they prepare and rehearse for next Sunday. Speaker: David Balzer*

*Music Team: Jesse Hamm, leader, Adam Bergman, Heidi Boon, Sandi Hamm, Rick Hamm, Kristin Lutzer, Logan Penner, Terrence Wiebe*

### **Mennonite Brethren Mission & Service International**

As you pray today for *Saji & Bindu*, pray that their extended time in North America would be fruitful and that this time of guided rest would prepare them for strategic ministry in south Asia.

### **Manitoba Mennonite Brethren Churches**

It's Thanksgiving at Richmond Park MB Church in Brandon today — a great day to celebrate God's love for each one of us and for all people. Pastor couple: *Dave and Nicole Ens*

### **Canadian Conference of Mennonite Brethren Churches**

Pray for the executive board meeting taking place October 24-25 in Winnipeg. Pray for travel safety, discernment, and vision clarity as the board makes decisions for the ministries, resources, and programs of the conference.

### **Family Life Network**

Pray for the station directors that David Balzer met in Ontario, Saskatchewan and Alberta. May God touch their hearts as David converses with them and that they may choose to broadcast GodTalk in their regions.

## MESSAGE NOTES

### HONOURING MY PARENTS

*"Honour your father and mother. Then you will live a long, full life in the land the LORD your God is giving you."* Exodus 20:12

Truth Nuggets: *(Eph. 6:1-4)*

- 'There is no \_\_\_\_\_ limit or \_\_\_\_\_ limit.'
- 'If you want to be \_\_\_\_\_, you must be \_\_\_\_\_.'
- 'Disobedience brings \_\_\_\_\_.'
- 'Obedience brings \_\_\_\_\_.'
- 'How I relate to my parents will affect every other \_\_\_\_\_.'

What excuses does our culture push on us to get us to ignore God's command? *(Mark 7:9-13)*

- 'There are no \_\_\_\_\_ parents'
- '\_\_\_\_\_ tells me what to do'

What are some ways in which our words or actions dishonour our parents?

- By using \_\_\_\_\_ words *(Prov. 20:20)*
- Through \_\_\_\_\_. *(Deut. 26:11a; Gen. 27:18-19)*

What steps can we take to make things right?

- By \_\_\_\_\_ and respecting them.
- By \_\_\_\_\_ and appreciating them. *(Prov. 23:22)*
- By \_\_\_\_\_ and not abandoning them. *(Prov. 3:27; 1 Tim. 5:8)*

**A MOTHER AND FATHER IS THE FIRST SKYLIGHT THROUGH WHICH A CHILD FIRST SEES GOD!**

*A word to those without parents:*

"Even if my father and mother abandon me, the Lord will hold me close."

Ps. 27:10

**Note:** This message is based on the series '*10 Values That Build A Strong Family*' written by Rick Warren