

PRAY FOR

OUR CHURCH & COMMUNITY

Pray for Terence & Vera Toews, ongoing health challenges
Pray for Hugh Sjostrom, having knee trouble
Pray for Nic Schulz as his body feels the effects of cancer
Pray for Brad Goetz, recovering at home
Pray for Jean Leinweber
Pray for Evan and Alex Griesbach as Evan is serving a tour of duty in Afghanistan
Look to God; then look around to see what He's doing and how you can be a part

LEADERSHIP Golden Hills Regional School Div and Board

OUR STUDENTS

Kyle Leinweber, taking Education at Fraser Valley University
Gina Wickersham, attending Capernwray in New Zealand
Martin Lay, taking aviation at Prairie School of Mission Aviation

OUR MISSIONARIES

Greg and Marni Hatch, Camp Cedarwood, Youth for Christ, Manitoba

Pray for Greg as he keeps all the youth and equipment going to run all the Camps winter programs as well as preparing for the summer season. Pray for Marni as she spends long hours hosting the many groups that are coming through the camp. Pray for good health, close relationships with staff and an ever-growing dependence on God as He brings about His purposes through Youth for Christ in Manitoba.

"Don't burn out; keep yourselves fueled and aflame. Be alert servants of the Master, cheerfully expectant. Don't quit in hard times; pray all the harder. Help needy Christians; be inventive in hospitality."

Romans 12:12

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LEADERSHIP TEAM

Gary Burke, Kris Peters, Ernie Neufeld, Eric Poettcker,
Donna Lynn Ratzlaff, Kurt Ratzlaff, Ken Toews

February 28, 2010

"He Comes, He Calls"

Acts 2:1-41

Gary Peters



**Linden Mennonite
Brethren Church**  **AUTHENTIC RELATIONSHIP
WITH GOD AND PEOPLE**

TODAY

We're looking forward to our AGM (Annual General Meeting) tonight at 6:30pm. Everyone welcome! As no AGM would be complete without food...please bring some healthy snacks or something more fun like dessert to share! Also bring your Annual Reports as they won't be read at the meeting.



THIS WEEK

Tuesday: 9:30am Mom's Time Out

Wednesday: 9:00am Ladies Quilting
7:30pm Young Adults Bible Study

Sunday: 9:30am Sunday School for Jr/Sr High and Adults
10:50am Children's Ministry for Age 4 to Grade 6
Worship Service
Acts 2:42-47
Gary Burke

COMING EVENTS

GIDEONS STEWARDSHIP BANQUET
Friday, March 26, 6:30pm at the Prairie Dining Room in Three Hills. Tickets are available for \$20.00 from John & Kathy Thiessen at 403-546-0007.

Celebrating Baptism and Life in Christ
If you have not been baptized and/or are not a member of this church and think this might be the next step in

your faith journey, then talk to one of the Pastors. Note: We will have a celebration of baptism and membership on Easter Sunday.

LADIES RETREAT AT CAMP EVERGREEN WITH ROBIN JONES GUNN If you've been thinking about going to the ladies' retreat at Camp Evergreen this year ... you'll want to register ASAP as it's filling up! The speaker is Robin Jones Gunn, writer of the "Christy Miller, Sierra Jensen and Sister Chicks" series. It sounds really exciting! The retreat is April 16-18, 2010 and costs \$125.00. However, as a church we recognize how Camp Ministry moves people towards Authentic relationship with Christ so we are covering half the cost; you pay only \$62.50. Sign up in the foyer, before April 2.

NEWS AND NOTES

Thank you for the donations for Relief Kits for Haiti! They will be sent away soon.
Eric & Ruth's care group

YOUTH

YC Alberta is coming soon!
Audacious
May 28 – 30 Cost is \$140.00



We're excited to be hosting ABMB Convention March 19 & 20, 2010! The guest speaker will be Gary Thomas, author and founder of the Center for Evangelical Spirituality will speak to us on the theme "Transformed Lives, Transforming Ministry". Our congregation can send 11 voting delegates to the Convention who will be chosen at our AGM, however, everyone is encouraged to attend! **Please sign up in the foyer, call Conny at 403-546-4485 or email conny@lindenmb.org so we know numbers for handouts & meals by March 7.**

SCHEDULE

Friday, March 19 9:00 – 5:00pm
Gary Thomas will be speaking on the following:
10:00am *Holy Available*
1:30pm *Full Bodied Faith*
3:30pm *Ears That Hear*
7:30pm Evening Service with Point of Impact from Bethany College and Gary Thomas speaking on: *"Sacred Marriage: What if God Designed Marriage to Make Us Holy More Than to Make Us Happy?"*

Saturday, March 20 9:00am-3:30pm
9:00am Worship with Point of Impact
Gary Thomas speaking on *"Pure Pleasure: Why Do Christians Feel So Bad About Feeling Good"*
Convention Business to follow until 3:30pm and just to let you know...**Daniel Beutler** will be installed as the Executive Director for the ABMB Conference on Saturday afternoon!