

### Prayer Corner

#### Church Family

Stephen & Kristi Bunka  
and Family

#### Sister Church

Grace Church

#### Senior Pastor

Rev. Russell Worrada

### Ladies' Picnic

Please join us on Saturday, August 19th for a picnic and exploring a lighthouse in Gilbert Plains! We will meet at the Dauphin Mall parking lot at 4:30 (Safeway side) and car-pool to the site. All ladies and kids are welcome to join. Please bring along a picnic lunch. Contact Renae Hauge with any questions.

**Moms Morning Out** meeting times over the summer months are as follows: July 26th, 9:30-11:30 a.m. - Dauphin Bible Camp - Kiddie Camp August 29th, 6:00 p.m. - Vermillion Park- Bring entire family - Potluck supper Any moms who are interested in joining MMO in the fall, please come and join us at these summer events. Also, all child-care workers are welcome at these events.

Any questions may be directed to Marg Buhler or Wilma Foster.



### A baby shower

for Regan, Mandy & baby Jensen will be held in the Activity Centre after the service on July 30th. This will be a pot-luck; please bring a main dish to share as well as a dessert (those with last names A-K) or salad (those with last names L-Z). Everyone is welcome!

*Serving group 1 will be setting up and serving, and group 2 is on clean up.*

Being a missionary can be lonely work. A simple e-mail, phone call, or note of encouragement can go a long way to letting our missionaries know that they have not been forgotten. Why not send a note to a missionary this week letting them know that you are praying for them - and not just those overseas but those that serve closer to home as well?



*Let the message of Christ dwell among you richly as you teach and admonish one another with all wisdom through psalms, hymns, and songs from the Spirit, singing to God with gratitude in your hearts.*

Colossians 3:16 (NIV)

### Crane River Mission Report

Thanks to those who have sent cookies and prayed for the children. The parents there are thankful for the Sunday School where 20 to 30 attend. Our day camp starts July 31 if anyone wants to cook lunch some day.

We hope to send 25 again to camp, Lord willing.

We took 3 very excited teens to DBC to train as councillors. That was a first after taking children to camp for 8 years. Our Sunday School badly needs staining if someone can help.

We continue to have the Sunday radio program and do lots of counselling, will perform a wedding on the reserve, have weekly Bible studies, and a lot of time and expense with immigration lawyers for the husband of a reserve lady. Along with cows, bees, gardening, and chickens we have been able to keep busy.

God bless

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Service Leader:  
Ken Buhler

Message:  
Pastor Tim Diack

### Mark Your Calendar

July 30  
Baby Shower

August 19  
Ladies Picnic

Do you desire to be baptized this summer?  
If so, or for more information, please contact Pastor Tim as soon as possible

### DEACONS

Alvin Foster  
Menno Thiessen  
Wilma Foster  
Philip Buhler

### ELDERS

Ken Foster  
Ken Buhler  
Clinton Thiessen

### STEWARDS

Peter Schulz  
Curtis Buhler  
Hans Myhre

### SECRETARY

Stacy Purdey

### TREASURER

Glenn Schmidt

Waste Disposal this week: Ken Foster

"To know and to worship Jesus Christ, and to make Him known."

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Sermon Notes  
Answering the Problem of Evil  
Psalm 73  
Series: Objections to Christianity - #1

1. One of the biggest objections to Christianity in the minds of many is the reality of \_\_\_\_\_ .
2. Their argument goes something like this:
  - If God exists, then He is omniscient (meaning, all knowing), He is omnipotent (meaning, all powerful) and He is perfectly \_\_\_\_\_ .
  - But if God were omniscient, omnipotent and perfectly good, then the world would contain no evil.
  - The reality is that the world contains evil.
  - Therefore God must not \_\_\_\_\_ .
3. For many people the reality of evil becomes a stumbling block to \_\_\_\_\_ .
4. To simply reply to their objections by saying, “God works in \_\_\_\_\_ ways,” is inadequate.
5. In Psalm 73 Asaph wrestles with the fact that the wicked often \_\_\_\_\_ while the righteous \_\_\_\_\_ evil at their hands.
6. Reconciling the existence of evil with an all-powerful, loving God, requires challenging certain \_\_\_\_\_ that we tend to make.
7. Assumption #1 - God’s ultimate goal is my personal \_\_\_\_\_ .  
Reality #1 - God’s end goal is not my happiness, but rather, my \_\_\_\_\_ .
7. Assumption #2 - I am the best \_\_\_\_\_ of what is good for me. Reality #2 - My judgement of good and evil flows from a very limited \_\_\_\_\_ . God has the big picture in view.
8. Assumption #3 - That which is good is that which brings me \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ .

- Reality #3 - Good is that which glorifies God, fulfills His will, and \_\_\_\_\_ to His nature.”
9. Assumption #4 - Good things should happen to good people and bad things should happen to bad people.  
Reality #4 - There are no good people. People are only good when \_\_\_\_\_ against other people. Measured against God, none of us is good.
  11. \_\_\_\_\_ evil is the result of man transgressing God’s command to love the Lord our God with all of our heart, soul, strength and mind, and of failing to love our neighbours as we love ourselves.
  12. \_\_\_\_\_, when it manifests itself in our words and actions, gives birth to much \_\_\_\_\_.
  13. At times we experience evil because of the sins of \_\_\_\_\_ .
  14. At times we experience evil as a \_\_\_\_\_ of our own sins.
  15. We also experience the evil that results from a fallen \_\_\_\_\_ .
  16. Tsunamis, earthquakes, volcanic eruptions, hurricanes and the like, are the result of a creation that is in \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ due to mankind’s choice to sin back in the Garden of Eden.
  17. Whether moral evil, or the evil that comes from a fallen creation, the answer is found in \_\_\_\_\_ .
  18. Where our evil has deserved \_\_\_\_\_ and wrath, God has poured out \_\_\_\_\_ and mercy.
  19. In a world plagued by evil, God is the \_\_\_\_\_ of the righteous. It is He who will vindicate His people, it is He who will right every wrong, and it is He who will one day put evil away for good.