# WELCOME TO ELMWOOD MB CHURCH

January 21st, 2024

"A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another: just as I have loved you, you also are to love one another. By this all people will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another."

John 13:34-35



"I am the good shepherd. I know my own and my own know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father; and I lay down my life for the sheep."

John 10:14-15

Praise My Soul the King of Heaven WT 40

## **Welcome & Announcements**

Colin Rivard

## **Praise & Worship Music**

God is For Us

All My Boast is in Jesus

How Deep the Father's Love For Us

## **Scripture Reading & Prayer**

#### Message

"A New Commandment - Self-Sacrificing Love"

John 13:31-38

Phil Kernaghan

# **Closing Song**

Act Justly, Love Mercy

# **Please Pray For:**

- our seniors@home: Ernie Enns, Agnes Bernstein, Nettie Enns
- Pastor Ken Stoesz and his family as they grieve the loss of Ken's father, Dave Stoesz. Pray that they would rely on God as their strength and sustainer.
- our youth and children's ministry volunteers. Pray that they grow in Christ as they continue to teach the young people of Elmwood.

Our sympathies to the friends and family of Pastor Ken Stoesz' father Dave Stoesz. Dave passed away on Sunday, January 14<sup>th</sup>. A funeral will be held at Nassau Street Church on Monday, January 22<sup>nd</sup> at 11:00am with a viewing prior to the service at 10:00am.

# This Week: January 22<sup>nd</sup>-28<sup>th</sup>

Tuesday 9:30am Sewing

Wednesday 7:00pm Leadership Council Meeting

Sunday 9:30am Sunday School for all ages

10:30am Worship Service & Kids Loft

John 14:1-14

## **Other Events & Information**

Sunday School for all ages today, January 21st.

Kids Loft is available during the service today, January 21st.

**Youth Boys Event:** Saturday, January 27<sup>th</sup>, 1:00pm-3:00pm. Be ready for active games! Drop off & pickup at church.

**Bible Reading Plans:** At the info desk are Bible reading plans for the year ahead. Take one and get started on reading through the Bible in a year!

Pastor Ken will be taking a sabbatical from February 1 until June 1.

**Job Posting** - EMBC Administrative Assistant
If interested in applying for this half time position, please email your resume to hr@elmwoodmb.com by January 23, 2024. Copies of the job description are available at the Information Desk.

Questions may be directed to the Human Resources team (Monica Mittelstadt, Amanda Stephens, Lori Dueck), in person or via email.

Special thanks to those who helped with our service this Sunday:
Austin Deleske, Taylia Deleske, Michael Dueck, Ryan Giesbrecht,
Ben Loewen, Daniel Martens, Kim Rivard, Ruth Schellenberg
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