

Sunday, February 18, 2018

TODAY AT VIRDEN ALLIANCE. . .

Pastor Simeon Norton

“Total Body Care II”

‘Caring With Our Father’s Provision

“. . .the Father of compassion and the God of all comfort, who comforts us in all our troubles, so that we can comfort those in any trouble with the comfort we ourselves receive from God.”

II Corinthians 1:3-11

Coming Events/FYI

Tuesday, February 20 – 9:30 a.m. Ladies Bible Study meeting here at the church. *This life group meets weekly, is presently learning from the book of James, and open to women of all ages. Children are welcome to come and play.*

Wednesday, February 21 – 7:00 p.m. VAC Annual Meeting. *Please bring a small pan of dessert to share with coffee.* All members and adherents of Virden Alliance are encouraged to join us for this evening!

Friday, February 23 – 1-day retreat here at the church, a **Work as Worship** Simulcast with numerous guest speakers who will help us better understand how to connect our faith with our work. *It’s not too late to register!*

Sunday, February 25 – All are invited to join us for our monthly **Fellowship Potluck** after the morning service.

Friday, March 2 - 2:00 p.m. **World Day of Prayer** featuring **Suriname**, hosted by St. Mary’s Anglican Church. *Everyone welcome!*

Check out our website to find church events, and other updates: www.virdenalliancechurch.com.

General Fund Offering

	Budget	Received
February 4	\$3715.00	\$3640.00
February 11	\$3715.00	\$1624.00

Prayer Chain Requests

Please contact Marion Gray for urgent or emergent prayer requests for the VAC Prayer Chain from February 16 through March 4. Joyce Davies will resume Prayer Chain duties on March 5.

Contact Marion at 204-748-1107 OR 204-512-1107.

PK Tickets

Tickets for the upcoming Promise Keepers Men’s Conference “All In” being held on March 9-10 in Winnipeg, can be organized through

Matt Pugh and Ron Kalinchuk.

Work As Worship

On February 23, join thousands across the country for a 1-day retreat to hear from experts, be encouraged, and discuss how to connect your faith and work.

Friday, Feb. 23 | \$25 at Virden Alliance Church

Register online by going to the church website and following the link provided on the main page.

Women’s Ministries of VAC

Special project for the months of February and March will be the WM International Justice/Compassion Project, **“Hope for the Broken Hearted”**.

Our International Workers want to bring the Gospel message of hope to the traumatized women and families in Northern Iraq who have been traumatized by the 2014 ISIS fighters attack and are in desperate need of hope and healing.

Join us in partnering with them to reach out to the Yazidis and beyond. Help us make kingdom impact in the lives of many who are still living in pain and darkness.

Gifts for the February/March should be marked “International Project”.

Virden Alliance Youth

Friday, February 23 – *Rink Night* at Virden JR. High.

Check the church website for further details on all youth events!

www.virdenalliancechurch.com/ministries/youth-ministries

Usher’s/Greeter’s Schedule

February 18 – Alex Schelesnak, Steven Anderson & Matt Pugh

February 18 – Susan Nelson & Raphial Fehr, Tiffany Anderson

February 25 – Roger Wiebe, Kelsey Jamieson & Dave Schellenberg

February 25 – Marion Gray, Bernice Graham

Welcome

Guest & Comment Card

Date: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

E-mail address: _____

Phone: _____

- Guest
- Desire a pastoral call
- New or change of address
- Considering a new home church
- Membership questions
- Want information on Baptism
- Prayer request _____

- Information on youth programs
- Want to belong to a small group
- Interested in Women’s Ministries
- Interested in Men’s Ministries

Please place this card in today’s offering.