

# This Week at a Glance \ Pray for Missionaries

**TODAY**  
After Worship Pre-Annual Meeting & Luncheon

**MONDAY, JANUARY 29**  
7:00 pm Bible Study Fellowship

**TUESDAY, JANUARY 30**  
8:00 am Prayer  
Home Groups, timing and location varies

**WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 31**  
9:30 am Prayer Shawl at Panera  
Home Groups, timing and location varies  
7:00 pm Women’s Bible Study

**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 1**  
10:00 am Women’s Bible Study  
7:30 pm Choir Rehearsal

**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 2**  
6:30 am Men’s Bible Study  
8:30 am FAITH Homeschool Group  
6:30 pm Youth Group Ice Skating

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 4**  
8:00 am Prayer  
8:30 am Choir Rehearsal  
9:30 am Sunday School  
10:30 am Worship Service & Communion

**Our Staff**  
Travis Vaclavik, Pastor  
Bruce Daggett, Pastor  
Eric Campos, Assistant Pastor  
Drew Halberstadt, Dir. of Music Ministries  
Kristy Watkins, Kids Journey Director  
Seth Budahl, Bookkeeper  
Julie VanWagenen, Communications/Admin. Asst.



**Seth Johnson**  
IAMercy in Africa

Prayer Requests:  
\*Pray for the very poor in Kenya's slums who are threatened by lack of reliable shelter, food, clothing, education, and health care. We aim to ally with others to empower life, embrace love, and equip leaders - in Christ's name - among the international poor. International Alliance for Mercy (IAMercy) has a number of programs designed to help the poor and vulnerable. Our mission is to transform the Kawangware area with the mercy of Christ.

\*Pray for Seth as he has applied for his Permanent Residency (PR). He also needs to continue to apply for his 3 year work permit renewal until he receives PR - but it can take a long time to get PR. Pray for God to open doors for Seth to continue to remain in Kenya without any hindrance.

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# Welcome to Westgate

We’re glad you’ve joined us this morning! Our desire is to make much of God by declaring, delighting in, and depending upon the life-changing gospel of Jesus Christ.

If this is your first time visiting, please complete the connect card in the rack in front of you and place it in the offering box as you exit the Sanctuary.

**“For what does it profit a man to gain  
the whole world and forfeit his soul?”  
Mark 8:36**

† *Come, People of the Risen King*

Welcome Travis Vaclavik, *Pastor*

Call to Worship: [1 Peter 2:24-25](#)

Choir Anthem “O King of Love!”

† *Be Thou My Vision*

**- Kids’ Journey (Pre-K to 5<sup>th</sup> Grade) follows flag to Fellowship Hall -**

Pastoral Prayer Adam Anderson, *Elder*

† Scripture Reading: [Mark 8:22-9:1](#) Sue Rabut  
*Reader:* This is God's Word  
*Congregation:* Amen

Message “Are you seeing clearly?” Eric Campos, *Assistant Pastor*

† *“Take Up Your Cross,” the Savior Said*

† *I Have Decided to Follow Jesus (No. 576)*

† *Jesus, I My Cross Have Taken*

Announcements

† Benediction †*Congregation standing if you are able*

# Our Vision

Christ treasured above all things throughout  
Metrowest Boston and in every corner of the earth.

## Notes