

# Camping Sunday



# Third Ave News

from the Pews . . . and beyond  
May 3, 2015

The Mission of Third Avenue United Church is to reach out with love and provide a welcoming place, especially for downtown people. We offer strength, courage, and support in a safe nurturing environment.

**We welcome everyone to worship this morning.** If you are a guest or a newcomer, please sign one of our guest books at either of the back entrances.  
If you would like information on the church activities, contact us at:  
1-306-652-6812 304 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue N.  
secretary.thirdaveunitedchurch@sasktel.net  
www.thirdavenueunitedchurch.com

## To Make Your Experience Here Even Better



If you use a cane or walker, please use our elevator entrance on 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave.



Headsets at the back of the Sanctuary for those who need assistance hearing the service.



Please remember to shut off your cell phone during the service.



There are visitor offering envelopes folded in the pews if you wish to make an offering to our ministry.

## Coffee, Conversation and More

Please join us for coffee in the Narthex before service or lunch downstairs after the service.

If you are able please bring baking or goodies to go with our lunch and time of fellowship on the week corresponding to the start of your last name. Please feel free to bring extra items that could be frozen for use when donations are slim.

This Week: Last names starting with M - Z.

Next Week: Last names starting with A - L.

Please try to come early to set up if you are able (10:00a.m.) We can also use help with clean up and dishes. Thank you for all your help and we hope you enjoy this time together.

## Readings May 10

**Acts 10:44-48**

The gift of the Holy Spirit comes as Peter preaches.

**Psalm 98** (VU p. 818)

Sing to God a new song.

**1 John 5:1-6**

To love God is to obey God's commandments.

**John 15:9-17**

Love one another as I have loved you.

## Church Duties

Today:  
John Parry  
Next Sunday:  
Roger Giesbrecht  
responsible for opening and closing



## Givings April 26

General (Local)	\$	355.00
Mission & Service	\$	7.00
Loose	\$	27.00
Coffee	\$	14.00
<b>Total Offering</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>403.00</b>

## Favourite Hymn

Each Sunday a favourite hymn will be included in the service when appropriate. There are papers in the Narthex to write the title of the hymn and your name. Please submit your request in the offering plate.

## This Week at 3rd Avenue – May 3 - 10

This Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
Church Office Closed 10:30a.m. Camping Sunday 12:00p.m. Hot Dog Lunch 12:15p.m. Sanctuary Booked	Church Office Closed 7:00p.m. Knit and Crochet 	10:30a.m. Staff Mtg. 11:30a.m. Hall Rental 2:00p.m. M & P 6:30p.m. Russian Preschool 7:30p.m. Community Fund Mtg.	11:30a.m. Weight Watchers 5:30p.m. Russian Preschool
Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Next Sunday
7:15p.m. Choir Practice		Church Office Closed 12:00p.m. Hall Rental 7:30p.m. Saskatoon Concert Band	Church Office Closed 10:30a.m. Christian Family Sunday Baptism 12:00p.m. Lunch 12:15p.m. Sanctuary Booked

## VIV – Very Important Volunteers

You have tremendous value to God and to this church.  
We could definitely utilize your gifts.

Imagine you have never been to Third Ave United before  
or have never been to any church.

Wouldn't you want to be greeted when you enter  
and treated like the very special person you are?

Wouldn't you want to like to be told about the lunch or what is happening in church today?

Wouldn't you like to know at least one person when you decide to come down for coffee?

Wouldn't you want to know who to ask if you have questions?



On Sunday mornings, greeters are a welcoming face at the door.

Our VIV also assist people entering the church – holding open doors, handing them a bulletin, directing them to specific locations in the building and inviting them downstairs to join us for lunch.

We also need scripture readers for each week.

**Sign up sheets are easy to find on the downstairs bulletin board.**

We are fortunate to have such a helpful congregation.

## Third Avenue United Church Events and Info

Camping Sunday	DEADLINE	Confirmation
<p><b>Thank you to the Senior Church School for leading worship today.</b> <b>Please come downstairs after service for a camping hot dog lunch.</b></p>	<p>Committee Reports are due tomorrow, May 4. Late reports may not make it into the Annual Report so please get them into Raycine ASAP.</p>	<p>We would like to hold an adult Confirmation class. Please contact Rev. Donna as soon as possible if you are interested or have questions about confirmation.</p>

### \*New 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave Power Card

### Game Night Changed

For \$25 you will receive discount cards for  
**Tomas Cook** (8<sup>th</sup> St or Idylwyld) 10% off Purchase  
**Bonanza**(8<sup>th</sup> St)  
 Free salad with purchase of salad and 2 drinks  
**Joey's** (Worobetz Pl) Free lunch special with purchase of a special and 2 drinks  
**Mr. Sub** (Diefenbaker Dr)  
 free 6" with purchase of foot long sub  
**A&W** (22<sup>nd</sup> St) Free teen with purchase of a teen burger  
**Bad Ass Jacks** (Nelson Rd)  
 50% off entree with purchase of a entree  
**Pita Pit** (8<sup>th</sup> St) 50% off pita with purchase of a pita  
**Venice House** (Preston Ave) Pizza Discounts  
**Auto Spa** (Sask Ave) \$10 off mini spa cleanser  
**Lube Stop** (Idylwyld) \$8 off oil change  
**Pizza Hut** \$8 off a purchase of \$25 or more  
**Kabob King** \$1 off any item  
**Pet Planet** (8<sup>th</sup> St) 15% off 1 toy or accessory  
**Dominos** (Venture Cr) Med 3 topping \$9.99  
**Sports Chek** (Midtown) \$5 off \$50 or \$10 off 100 purchase  
**Family Pizza** (Taylor) 10% off  
**Michelle's Flowers** (Fairlight Dr) 10% off  
 All proceeds of card sales to **Third Avenue Church School**. Please think about selling them to friends and neighbours.

The Youth Game night has been changed to May 12 at 7:30p.m.



This is a fun supervised evening for any youth to come and play table top games. It is free for any youth so please invite friends, niece's and nephews, grandchildren, etc.

## Community Events Happening at 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave

The Saskatoon Concert Band presents  
*Spring Concert*

Saturday, May 9 at 7:30 p.m.

At Third Avenue United Church

Adults \$20 Senior/Student \$10

Available at McNally Robinson

and at the door or [www.ontheboards.ca](http://www.ontheboards.ca)

## In The Community

<p>Saskatoon Creative Quilters 29th Annual Quilt Show Tuesday, May 5, 2015 10:00 am - 6:00 pm Grace-Westminster United All New Quilts on Display Baby Quilts for sale - proceeds to Children's Hospital Foundation of Sask. Admission - \$3.00 - Coffee and Muffins served Sponsored by UCW</p>	<p>Knox will be having a garage sale on Saturday, May 9 from 8:00 am to 1:00 pm. Pancake breakfast is from 8:00 -11:00. Adults \$6.00, Children \$4.00. Books, kitchenware, music (vinyl, CD's, tapes), toys, small appliances, hardware small furniture. Donations would be welcome. Please no clothing or very large furniture or TV's.</p>	<p>May 9, 2015 McClure United Church (corner of Taylor and McKercher) PANCAKE BREAKFAST: 7:30a.m.-11a.m. HOT DOG LUNCH: 11:30 a.m.- 1:00 p.m. OTHER SALES: 8:00am-1pm Books Baked Goods Jewellery Scarves Purses Adult &amp; Children's Gently Used Clothing</p>
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