

THIRD AVE NEWS



from the Pews . . . and beyond
October 11, 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:
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This Week at 3rd Avenue – October 11 - 18

This Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
Church Office Closed 10:30a.m. Thanksgiving Service 11:45a.m. Free Lunch 1:00p.m. Rental(Ross Rm)	Church Office Closed 7:00p.m. Knit & Crochet	Church Office Closed 6:00p.m. Class Rental	11:30a.m. Weight Watchers 5:30p.m. Rental(Ross Rm)
Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Next Sunday
10:30a.m. Staff Mtg. 5:30p.m. Rental (Ross Rm) 6:00p.m. Class Rental 7:30p.m. Choir Practice	5:30p.m. Slavik Preschool 6:30p.m. Wedding Rehearsal 7:00p.m. Youth Game Night	Church Office Closed 1:00p.m. Wedding	Church Office Closed 10:30a.m. World Food Sunday Service Oscar preaching 11:45a.m. Free Lunch 1:00p.m. Rental(Ross Rm) 2:30p.m. Saskatoon Concert Band

Third Avenue United Church Information

Upcoming	World Food Sunday	Congregation Info
October 18 World Food Sunday  October 25 Contemporary Service	October 18 World Food Sunday  Our Church School will be promoting this. Please bring a non-perishable food item – take it into the pews with you and the church school will collect.	John Orr (building owner) is going to speak with Congregation When: October 11th, 2015 Where: at lunch downstairs Why: about upcoming changes
Youth Games	Rides to Church	Coffee & Lunch
The Youth Game Night has moved to the Third Friday of every month at 7:00p.m. The next ones will be Oct 16, Nov 20 and Dec 18. All youth are welcome. Bring games and potluck snacks.	Hey! It's finally here. Please call the office to register. On Sunday mornings you call a United Cab and just sign a slip. To return home you can call from the church or just tell your driver the return time. Registration doesn't take long and must be done before you start the taxi. 	Please join us for coffee in the Narthex before service and for a free community soup lunch downstairs after the service. We would love to get to know you. 

Affirming Congregation

It is the church's time to start talking about 3rd Avenue United Church becoming an Affirming Congregation. Please come out to talk and listen. Sessions are after church. future dates are:
 October 25th, November 8th, 15th, and 22nd. starting on October 18th



Community Fund

Have you seen our new community fund bulletin board? Have a look and see what they have done on our behalf.
 Save the Date
 Third Ave Harvest Supper
 Saturday, November 14 at 6:00p.m.
 Tickets available in October.

Other Things You Should Know



If you use a cane or walker, please use our elevator entrance on 3rd Ave



Please remember to shut off your cell phone during the service



Visitor offering envelopes are folded in the pews if you wish to make an offering to our ministry. Tax Deductable receipts are available at year end if you fill out the envelope.



Headsets at the back of the Sanctuary for assistance hearing the service. Ask an Usher for help.

Readings Oct 18

Job 38:1-7, (34-41)

God's rebuttal to Job's complaint.

Psalm 104:1-9, 24, 35c

(VU pp. 826-827 Parts 1 & 2)
With wisdom, God created the earth and all its creatures.

Hebrews 5:1-10

Christ learned obedience and was made perfect.

Mark 10:35-45

James and John request to sit on Jesus' right and left.

(These readings are not always used in the service.)

Church Duties

Opening and Closing

Today: John Parry

Next Week:

Roger Giesbrecht

Baking and Cleanup

This Week:

Last names starting with M - Z.

Next Week:

Last names starting with A - L.

If you are able, please come to help get ready for lunch or stay after to help with dishes.

Humour

A lady was picking through the frozen turkeys at the grocery store, but couldn't find one big enough for her family. She asked the stock boy, "Do these turkeys get any bigger?" The stock boy answered, "No ma'am, they're dead."

At Third Ave

Collective Concert
Saskatoon Concert
Band & Saskatoon Brass Band
Sunday, Oct 18 at 2:30p.m.
Canadian Landscapes
Featuring the music of
Howard Cable
Tickets: \$20 adult, \$10
Seniors/Students, Free for
under age 8
Available at McNally Robinson
and at the door

Offering and Givings

October 4 2015

General (Local)	\$	801.05
Mission & Service	\$	62.00
Benevolent	\$	85.00
Memorial	\$	45.00
Loose	\$	15.00
Coffee	\$	6.85
Total Offering		\$ 1014.90

*The missing Envelopes from August have been found.

Community Events

University of Saskatchewan - Amati Quartet

Monday, October 12
Knox United Church
at 2:00 and 7:30 p.m.

Info at amatiquartet.usask.ca

Tickets: \$30 Adults, \$25 Seniors, \$15 Students

Available at the Remai Arts Centre 306-384-7727



A Covenanting Service will be held on **Thursday, October 15, 7:00 p.m.** in the Chapel of St. Andrew's College. Dr. Lynn Caldwell will covenant with **St. Andrew's College** as Professor of Church and Society. All are welcome. RSVP to Melanie at 306-966-8970 or melanie.schwanbeck@usask.ca by October 13.

A Chance to Speak

This Saskatoon-based documentary will be shown on Thursday, October 15 at 7:00 pm. (Doors open at 6:30) Grosvenor Park United Church Cumberland Ave & 14th St Free will offering with proceeds shared by DT Productions and ICM (Integrated Community Ministries) a United Church community and social justice ministry in Saskatoon. All welcome.

GROSVENOR ARTISTS SHOW and SALE *"Together in Art"*

Please join us at
Grosvenor Park United Church
Friday, October 16th, 2 to 7 pm
Saturday, October 17th,
10 am to 4 pm.



Refreshments. Come and bring a friend.

A Worship for Poverty Awareness by the **Ecumenical Chaplaincy**
4:30 p.m. on October 14

Grad Student Centre
(Wiggins and College Dr.) followed by a march on campus and soup and the University Chaplains office (118 MUB)

for info: Rev. Kim-Cragg
306-203-1634
dak488@mail.usask.ca.

A City United Against Poverty and Homelessness

Hands Across the Bridge
Sat, Oct 17 at 2:00p.m
At Friendship Park
(foot of the Broadway Bridge)

More Events at the Saskatoon Anti Poverty Coalition Facebook Page

Meewasin Valley United presents
Celebrating Spirit Inner Peace & Joyful Expression

Oct. 23 - 25th,
St. Andrew's Lounge, 1121 College Dr.
Cost of only \$100 (before Oct. 15), including meals and with the option of attending various parts for a reduced price. Full information and registration for the retreat can be found at www.meewasinvalleyunited.com.

Celebrate the 70th Anniversary of United Nations

A 10-course banquet, presentations on the theme:
A Strong UN— Peace, Development & Human Rights
Friday October 23 , 2015 at 7 pm

Location: Mandarin restaurant , 245 20th St W

Tickets: \$30. 00 per person.

Doors open at 6:30 pm. Dinner at 7 pm

Tickets please contact Rosanna Parry by **October 18,**

E-mail: rosannaparry@shaw.ca, or call 306-229-8289

ST. DAVID'S TRINITY UNITED CHURCH **TURKEY SUPPER**

(3318 Merritt Street, Montgomery Place)

Saturday, Oct 24 and Sunday, Oct 25

1 sitting each day at 5:00 p.m.

Adults \$ 15 Children 6-12 \$ 7. 5 & under: \$2

Wheelchair accessible. Advance tickets only:

church office: 306-978-0707;

Faye:306-382-2006; Gerri at 306-382 8480

No tickets sold after October 18.

