

Third Ave News

October 23, 2016

From the Pews . . . and beyond


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.



If you are a guest or a newcomer, please sign one of our guest books at either of the Narthex entrances.

If you would like information on the church activities, contact us at: 1-306-652-6812
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<u>This Week at 3rd Avenue</u>	<u>Our Ministry</u>	
	<u>Upcoming Service</u>	
<u>This Sunday</u>	<div style="display: flex; align-items: center;">  <div> <p><u>Opportunities</u> Music: Klusmeier Service @ 11:00a.m. McClure United Church 4025 Taylor St E (Michelle) (Car Pooling)</p> <p>Education: TED Talk (Donna)</p> <p>Service: Bag Lunch Making - Kitchen Serving downtown (Holly, Youth)</p> </div> </div>	
10:30a.m. Contemporary Service 12:00p.m. Soup Lunch		
<u>Monday</u>		
Church Office Closed 7:00p.m. Knit & Crochet		
<u>Tuesday</u>		
Minister's Hours 9-1 Office Hours 9-4 10:30a.m. Staff Mtg. 12:00p.m. Staff Lunch	<u>Knit & Crochet</u>	<u>Thank you</u>
<div style="display: flex;"> <div style="flex: 1;"> <p>Free for all ages Drop in Bring a friend Coffee and Tea served Lessons given if needed.</p> </div> <div style="flex: 1;"> <p><u>Contemporary Service</u></p> <p>Thank you to our worship band for leading us today.</p> <p><u>Harvest Supper</u></p> <p>Thank you to Wayne, Rose, and Philip for leading us. Thank you to the tart bakers and all the volunteers who helped before and after the supper. Thank you to all who bought tickets and enjoyed this lovely meal with us.</p> <p><u>World Food Service</u></p> <p>Thank you to Michelle and the youth members for leading the service.</p> </div> </div>		
<u>Wednesday</u>	<div style="display: flex; align-items: center;">  <div> <p>October 30 10:30 a.m. Opportunity Sunday</p> </div> </div>	
Minister's Hours 1-4 Office Hours 9-3 11:30a.m. WW		
<u>Thursday</u>		
Minister's Hours 10:30-3 Office Hours 9-3		
<u>Friday</u>		
Minister's Hours 9-1 Office Hours 9-4	<u>Activities</u>	<u>World Food Service</u>
<div style="display: flex;"> <div style="flex: 1;"> <p>We are looking for your ideas. What kind of activities would you like to see offered at Third Avenue. Would you be interested in a monthly adult game night? If you have an idea please leave it in the basket in the Narthex.</p>  </div> <div style="flex: 1;"> <p><u>Thanksgiving Service</u></p> <p>Thank you to Kenneth, Holly, Steve, Adam and youth.</p>  </div> </div>		
<u>Saturday</u>	<div style="display: flex; align-items: center;">  <div> <p>Next Saturday, October 29 is the Ladies Breakfast at 8:30a.m. All ladies are welcome to come to Tomas Cook Restaurant on Idylwyld Drive to visit and eat together.</p>  </div> </div>	
8:30a.m. Ladies Breakfast Tomas Cook		
<u>Next Sunday</u>		
9:30a.m. Choir Practice		
 <p>10:30a.m. Opportunity Sunday 12:00p.m. Soup Lunch</p>		

Volunteering

We really need scripture readers. Sign up downstairs. Raycine will either e-mail or call you with the readings before the Sunday you volunteer to read.

Donations for Sunday

The Church School Youth will be doing one of the sessions for Opportunity Sunday. They will be making bag lunches for those in need. They are looking for donations of juice boxes, pudding, granola bars, etc that can go in the bags. Please drop these off at the church office during the week or bring to church next Sunday.

Lunch After Service

We will be having a turkey lunch today after service. Donations are welcome. Please come downstairs and join us.

Coffee Time

Oct. 23: Last names starting with A - L.

Oct. 30: Last names starting with M - Z.

Please bring a donation of baking or goodies for snack to allow us to continue this time of fellowship.

Please try to come early to set up if you are able (10:00 a.m.) or help serve coffee & clean up.



Thank you for all your help.

Lectionary Readings

We need scripture readers for our upcoming services. Please phone or e-mail the office with the date you would like.

Habakkuk 1:1-4; 2:1-4

How long will it be until God acts?

Psalms 119:137-144 (VU p. 841)

God's judgments are just.

2 Thessalonians 1:1-4, 11-12

Your faith and love are growing abundantly.

Luke 19:1-10

Jesus dines with Zacchaeus

Laughter Ministry

A minister is walking down the street one day when she notices a small boy trying to use the doorbell on a house across the street. However, the boy is very small and the doorbell is too high for him to reach.

After watching the boy's efforts for some time the minister walks across the street up to the little fellow and rings the doorbell.



Kneeling down next to the child, the minister smiles and asks, "And now what, my little man?" To which the boy replies, "Run!"

Community Events

Celebrating 50 Years with McClure United Church

McClure United Church is celebrating its 50th anniversary on the weekend of October 29th and 30th. Please join with us in celebration.

"Called to Action – A Day of Learning" which will deal with "Implementing the Recommendations of the Truth and Reconciliation Commission". Presenters will be David Arnot, Eugene Arcand, Bernice Saulteaux and Rhett Sangster. The program will be held on **Saturday, October 29th at McClure United Church, 4024 Taylor St., from 8:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.** It is free with the only cost being \$10 for lunch. To register please call the church office by Monday, October 24

Stories & Songs An evening with Ron Klusmeier

admission by donation, with proceeds going to the Canadian Foodgrains Bank.

McClure United Church, 4024 Taylor St. Saturday October 29th at 7:30 p.m.

Worship services on Sunday October 30th

McClure United Church, 4024 Taylor St., 9:15 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Ron Klusmeier will be participating in the ministry of music, in celebration of 50 years.

Amati Quartet

Saturday, November 5 at 2:00p.m. and 7:30p.m.

Knox United Church

Haydn, Beethoven and Philip Glass

Tickets: \$35 Adults \$30 Senior (65+) \$15 Student

Available at the Remai Arts Centre, 306-384-7727

or at the door.

Mount Royal Emmanuel United Church

521-Vancouver Avenue North

Annual Fall Supper November 6, 2016

Two Sitting 4:30 and 6:00 PM

Advance tickets only

Phone Barb at 306 249-2433

Adults \$15 Children 6-12 \$6 5 & Under Free

Book Sale UCW Bake Table

Delivery Available-West Side Only.

Take out Available.

Film Night at Grace: The Yorkton Film Festival and Grace Westminster United Church are hosting a film night Wednesday, November 9 at 7:30 at the church. The evening will include the screening of the film, *Fallen Soldiers*. Our speakers, Judith and Gordon Thomas, will share their story of Private Kenneth Duncanson who was killed during an unsuccessful attempt to cross the Leopold Canal near Bruges, Belgium on September 14, 1944. His remains were recovered and identified in April of this year. Judith and Gordon recently attended his burial service at the Adegem Canadian War Cemetery where he was laid to rest with military honours by his unit, The Algonquin Regiment.

Getting Sara Married Dinner Theatre

Mayfair United Church

Nov. 30, Dec. 1,2,3

Tickets: Dinner & Show \$29.00- 6:00pm

Show Only-\$15.00- 7:30pm

For tickets call: 306-382-6446

