

#### **Lakeview United Affirming Statement**

You deserve to be welcomed here.

We strive to insure there are no barriers to inclusion within the Lakeview community: all races, ethnicities, genders, orientations, gender identities, abilities, ages, and people of all socioeconomic status, are welcome.

It is imperative that we recognize the value of diversity and are committed to embracing each individual with joy, compassion and love.

At Lakeview we believe that our community, the ministries which they undertake and the assets which it owns are to be used by all to promote equality and love.

Lakeview is committed to seeking out all races, ethnicities, genders, orientations, gender identities, abilities, ages, and people of all socioeconomic status to serve in all levels of governance, committees. Your voice is important and welcomed.

This is our pledge, that we will do our best to welcome you here.

#### **Treaty 4 Territory**

We are privileged to gather today in Treaty 4 Territory which is the traditional territory of the Cree peoples and the homeland of the Métis people.

Order of Service – September 8, 2024 – Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost Welcome & Announcements Land Acknowledgement

Candle Lighting/A moment of silence

Call to Worship (responsive on screen)

**Opening Song: Save Us, O Lord** 

**Prayer of the Day** 

1st Reading: Isaiah 35: 4-7a

2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: James 2: 1-10, 14-17

Special Music - Nathan Pylypuk - He's My Son

**The Gospel:** Mark 7: 24 - 37

Sermon

Hymn of the Day: Voices United #619 - Healer of Our Every Ill

A New Creed (on screen)

The Prayers of the People

Hymn: More Voices #153 Body, Mind and Spirit

**Sharing the Peace** (responsive on screen)

**Offertory Prayer** 

**Benediction** 

Closing Hymn: More Voices #28 God of the Bible (Fresh as the Morning) (vs 1, 2 & 5)

**Dismissal** (responsive on screen)

Thank you to all who helped in today's service!

Clergy: Pastor Carla Blakley Music Director: Nathan Pylypuk Special Music: Nathan Pylypuk AV: Stacey & Rod Domoslai

Communications/Social Media: Catherine Ready Hospitality: Kathy White, Rob Bredin, Judy Ready

In case of a **pastoral emergency**, please contact **Pastor Carla Blakley** at 306-541-5523 \*\*\*This number is no longer on the church voicemail due to many spam calls. Please note this # for your reference.

#### Office Hours:

Cheryl is in the office Tuesday – Thursday from 9:30 – 4:30

Pastor Carla will be at Lakeview on **September 15 and the 22**nd will be her last Sunday. **September 28**th will be Pastor Carla's ordination in Kitchener, Ontario and the service will be live-streamed. The link will be shared prior to September 28th.

Thank You to the UCW and kitchen ladies for the beautiful lunch, cake and words this past Thursday!! From Pastor Carla

### **Looking Ahead**

Today - Sunday School will be providing a water station for the QCM in front of the church

- Today Sunday School registration
- Sunday, September 15th Welcome Back Sunday
- Sunday, September 22<sup>nd</sup> Pastor Carla's farewell

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Fall Study Group -** We will meet **each Monday from 1:00 to 2:00 p.m.** in the chapel and on Zoom **starting on September 30**. We will be studying 'New Testament Women for Progressive Christians, Vol 1' by Donald Schmidt. There are three hard copies (cost \$8.00) not spoken for but it is also possible to download an e-book version (cost \$11.50 + GST) from Wood Lake Books. Contact Ron 639-590-6718.

The Saskatchewan Children's Writers' Round Robin, is hosting their gala 40th anniversary celebration here in Regina. On Saturday, September 14, 1:30 – 4:30, there will be a free event at George Bothwell Library, at which each of the eleven members will give a brief talk on specific aspects of writing. It will be livestreamed, for those not able to attend in person. This is primarily intended for adults, but teens interested in writing are welcome too. In addition to the talks, there will be refreshments provided by Regina Public Library, and a book table where their books will be displayed (and available for purchase if anyone's interested). https://books4kids.ca/40th/

Also, beginning on September 14 and open until November 1 is the free, province-wide "Fly Into Reading" contest for children in grades K-12. <a href="https://books4kids.ca/contest/">https://books4kids.ca/contest/</a> This is a province-wide event, in which kids anywhere in Saskatchewan are invited to read at least one book by the members, and to respond in some way (perhaps a drawing, or something in writing). Entries will be submitted through their website.

On November 4, a draw will be made for two winners in each of four age/grade categories ranging from grades K-12. Each winner will be awarded three books of their choice, as well as a free author visit to their school (either in person, or virtually).

Broadway United Church, 105 Broadway Avenue, Regina, will be hosting 2 Tradeshows: Fall into Fall Craft & Tradeshow - Saturday, Oct. 5, 2024 10:30am—4pm Santa's Workshop Craft & Tradeshow - Saturday, Nov, 2, 2024, 10:30-4pm

Regina Native Outreach Ministry Knitting Circle to knit or crochet baby blankets for the Welcome Bags starts on **Thursday, Sept. 12 from 2:00 – 4:00 on the 2**<sup>nd</sup> **and 4**<sup>th</sup> **Thursdays** in Community Commons at the Regina Central Library.

Westminster Chancel High Tea Saturday, Oct 5 – sittings at 1:30 & 3:00 pm. (each sitting will be one hour and 15 minutes long. Tickets \$20 each available prior to October 3 by calling 306-789-1049



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# An Affirming Ministry in Lakeview

