

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

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

governance, committees. Your voice is important and welcomed.

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- March 9, 2025 First Sunday in Lent

Prelude
Welcome & Announcements
Land Acknowledgement
Lighting of Candles (silence)

Lenten Response: #125 More Voices – When a Grain of Wheat (x2)

Call to the Journey of Lent (responsive on screen)

Opening Song: #105 Voices United – Dust and Ashes Touch Our Face

Assurance of Pardon

Prayer of the Day

Hebrew Scripture Reading: Deuteronomy 26: 1-11

Responsorial Psalm: #807 Voices United – Psalm 91

New Testament Reading: Romans 10: 8b - 13

Special Music: *Don Povey* – Though I May Speak

Gospel Reading: Luke 4: 1-13

Reflection

Song of the Day: #113 Voices United – To the Desert Jesus Came

A New Creed (on screen)

The Prayers of the People (response on screen)

Sharing the Peace (responsive on screen)

Offertory Prayer (on screen)

The Lord's Prayer (on screen)

Benediction

Closing Song: #808 Voices United – On Eagle's Wings (vs 1, 2 & 4)

Dismissal: (responsive on screen)

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

Worship Leader: Pastor Cheryl Toth Music Director: Nathan Pylypuk Special Music: Don Povey Readers: Ken Ready

AV: BJ

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

In case of a pastoral emergency, please contact Rev Cheryl Toth at 306-591-5924.

Office Hours: Regular office hours Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 9:30 – 4:30

Looking Ahead:

Sunday, March 23 – communion Sunday, AGM

Sunday, April 13 – Palm Sunday

Sunday, April 20 – Easter Sunday with communion

Lakeview Newsletter: If you would like to receive the Lakeview email newsletter, please email your name to Cheryl C. in the office at lakeviewuc@sasktel.net and she will have you added.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

<u>Lakeview AGM</u> The AGM will be held on **Sunday, March 23** after worship. If you are responsible for providing an annual report please email it to Cheryl in the office before **Friday, March 7**.

Lenten Study Our Study Group is almost finished its study of the life and ministry of the apostle Paul. On **March 10 at 1:00 p.m.**, we will begin our weekly group discussion of a new Lenten study 'Something Sacred - Reflections on Music and Faith'. The daily reflections start on Ash Wednesday, March 5. The book is available from Ron for \$14 or you can order a digital copy from the <u>UCRD - United Church Bookstore</u>. Anyone is welcome to join in the Monday group discussions or to use this resource on their own.

<u>Lakeview St Patrick's Day Take Home Supper</u> is planned for Sunday, March 16. Enjoy a homemade meal of hearty beef stew, light tasty biscuits, coleslaw and apple crisp for \$25. Please pre-order by calling **306-585-0404 before March 15**. Prepayment is required by cheque, cash or eTransfer. Pickup will be between 4:00 and 6:00 pm on March 16 at Lakeview United.

<u>Lakeview "Treasures & Trinkets" NEW 2 U Sale</u> is coming up on Friday, April 4 from 4:00 – 7:30 & Saturday, April 5 from 9:00 – noon.

Donations: If you have items to donate **prior to April 4**: clothing, dishes, glassware, toys, games, sports equipment, books, small appliances, please bring them to the church and place them on the stage in the gym between 9:30 and 3:00 on Tuesdays, Wednesdays or Thursdays. **Volunteers:** You are invited to volunteer on April 4th and/or April 5th for:

- ➤ Friday morning set-up 8:30 2:00 (at least 14 people)
- > Friday evening sellers 3:30 8:00 (at least 18 people)
- ➤ Saturday morning sellers 8:30 12:00 (at least 18 people)
- > Saturday clean-up 11:30 till completion (at least 12 people)
- > Please contact Floralyn at 306-550-7346

Affirming Ministries of Regina are celebrating National Affirm/PIE Day - being Public, Intentional, and Explicit (PIE) in our welcome on March 14 at 7pm at Knox Met United Church. Come join us for music, a speaker and pie with the theme of "Sing Out Proud". Donations of pies are needed both for slices for attendees and whole pies for a silent auction. There will be a joint choir, led by Corinne Groff which will rehearse at 7:15pm at Knox Met on Monday, March 10. If you wish to be part of the joint choir, let Corinne know: musiclessons@sasktel.net.

Volunteers are needed to help with set up and clean up (dishes), and 2 people to help with a pie

silent auction. Those willing to help, please contact Russell Mitchell-Walker(russell.eastside@gmail.com) or Christa Eidsness (minister@knoxmetregina.org)





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An Affirming Ministry in Lakeview

