



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– April 13, 2025

Sixth Sunday in Lent

Prelude – *Lakeview Choir* – The Nail-Scarred Hand
Welcome & Announcements & Land Acknowledgement
Moment of Silence

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

Entry to Worship (responsive on screen)

Opening Hymn: #122 Voices United – All Glory, Laud and Honour

Prayer of the Day

Hebrew Scripture Reading: Isaiah 50: 4-9a

Responsorial Psalm: #758 Voices United – Psalm 31 (part 2 & 3)

New Testament Reading: Philippians 2: 5-11

Special Music: *Lakeview Choir & Praise Band* – Highly Exalted

Gospel Reading: Luke 19: 28-40
Reflection

Hymn of the Day: #128 More Voices – When They Heard That Jesus Was Coming (vs 1,2,3 & 4)

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 Hymn: #127 Voices United– Ride On! Ride On in Majesty!

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: Lakeview Choir & Praise Band

Readers: Ken Ready

AV: Stacey & Rod Domoslai

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**.

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.

Looking Ahead:

Friday, April 18 – Good Friday – 11:00 am

Sunday, April 20 – Easter Sunday with communion

Sunday, June 8 – Citywide United Church of Canada worship at **10 am** at Lakeview United

Sundays in Lent: Each Sunday we will be counting the weeks of Lent with planted bulbs at various stages of growth

Lenten Practice: *Praying*

Prayer is something we practice as Christians. Prayer is not a way of giving God instructions. It is a way of opening ourselves to God. In prayer we speak the truth of our lives--our joys and our pain. In this Holy Week consider how Jesus prayed to God—pouring out the fear and anguish and hope of difficult days as he struggled to remain faithful to who he was called to be.

Practice praying by:

- Reading a portion of Luke 22:14—23:56 each day and simply sitting for five minutes following the reading, offering to God your thoughts and feelings.
- Pray this prayer by author Sarah Bessey: “Teach us to pray, God, as you have always welcomed us to pray—fully human, fully yours, fully held and fully loved. We will tell you the truth of our lives and of this world. And we will listen to the truth you speak back to us. The truth of our belovedness, of your justice, of your faithfulness, of love. And say Let it be so. Let it be in me. Amen.” (Sarah Bessey, *A Rhythm of Prayer*)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Heritage United Garage Sale – Thurs, April 24: 10 – 7 pm, Fri, April 25: 10 – 2 pm. For more information call Heritage church office 306-949-8377

Celebrate Joy! Sober Queer Adults Regina Knox-Met is setting up a new group starting in May. Celebrate joy! Sober Queer Adults Regina - join us for an initial gathering and planning meeting. There will be hot food and conversation on **Sunday, May 4, 2025 12:30 - 2:30 pm** at Knox-Met in the Centennial Lounge. Let us know if you're planning to come so we have enough food. soberqueeradultsregina@gmail.com



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Lakeview***

