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March 28 to April 25, 2019

Hearing Assist Devices

are available at the soundboard
(located at the center back of the sanctuary).
If you would like to try out one of these devices
please feel free to approach our sound technician
or one of the ushers.

A half-hour version of our
Worship Service
can be heard every Sunday
at 1:30 p.m.
on Radio CKSW 570

Early Bird Coffee!

We have coffee available in the foyer
before the church service
so feel free to pick up a cup and
bring it with you to your pew.

Sunday, April 7, 2019

A warm welcome to all who are worshipping with us today!
If this is your first time with us,
please be sure to sign one of our guest books.
You are very welcome to join us for coffee and conversation
after worship in the large foyer outside the sanctuary.

Upcoming Meetings & Activities:

- Monday, April 8 – Mindfulness Meditation –
7:00 p.m. in the Burnham room.
- Tuesday, April 9 – Membership & Pastoral Care,
10:30 a.m. in the Cypress Lounge.
- Tuesday, April 9 – Faith Formation, 4:00 p.m. in
the Chinook room.
- Tuesday, April 9 – Ministry & Personnel,
6:30 p.m. in the Grace Library.
- Wednesday, April 10 – Prayer Group,
8:45 a.m. in the Chapel.
- Wednesday, April 10 – Lectionary Bible Study
9:30 a.m. in the Chinook Room
- Wednesday, April 10 – Garage and 3rd Avenue
Boutique rummage sales, 2:00 p.m.
- Wednesday, April 10 – Creation Station,
2:00 p.m. in the Creative Arts Space.
- Wednesday, April 10 – Lenten Book Study,
5:00 p.m. in the Grace Library.
- Wednesday, April 10 – Building & Property,
6:15 p.m. in the Chinook room.
- Wednesday, April 10 – Choir practice,
7:30 p.m. in the sanctuary.
- Thursday, April 11 – Come-and-Go Coffee Time,
10:30 a.m. in the Cypress Lounge.

Easter Letters

are available for pickup

TODAY

after the worship service in the foyer.

Spring Fundraiser Supper

Sunday, April 14th

at 5:30 p.m. in the gym.

Ham, scalloped and baked potatoes, carrots, corn, salads, buns and assorted pies for dessert. Tickets are \$20 for adults and \$8 for children 6-11.

Preschoolers are free.

Tickets are now on sale in the foyer and the church office.

"Quilts in the Pews and more"

Thursday, June 13, 2019

Watch for upcoming information meeting.

Ministerial Lenten Services

at St. Olaf Lutheran Church

12:00 p.m. Worship then 12:30 p.m. Lunch

Date	Presider	Preacher	Lunch
April 11	Ryan Bak	Joell Haugan	St. Andrew's Pres.

Fundraiser Working Group

Due to our 2019 deficit budget a motion was passed at the February 24th

Council Meeting to create a Fundraising Working Group. This working group will gather ideas from the congregation to create fundraisers. If you would like join this creative and ambitious working group or have any fundraising ideas, please contact the church office.

Climate Reality in Saskatchewan

Speaker: Margret Asmuss (Sustainability educator and consultant)

- Learn about how climate change is affecting SK
- Discover how SK rural communities & businesses are implementing solutions
- Connect with others interested in exploring positive change

When: Friday, April 12, 6:30-9:30 PM

Where: Burnham Room

Cost: Free

RSVP: stacienw@yahoo.com (Walk-ins welcome)

For more info, please see poster on the First United Church website. <http://www.firstunitedsc.ca/>

Have you noticed our brand new gender neutral accessible washroom?

A huge **THANK YOU** to the Building and Property Working Group for making this possible for all of our congregation to use.

We are planning **Membership Classes** for this spring.

This discussion group is open to anyone who:

- is already a member,
- is considering being a member or
- is just interested in exploring their faith with other seekers.

If you are interested please contact Annette or the church office.

Circle Conversation

Sunday, April 28th

Please join us for a Circle Conversation following the worship service on April 28th to discuss the current deficit and look at possible fund-raising ideas. Everyone is welcome to come and share their creative thoughts!