

## PRAYERS

Prayer Chain Ministry is always ready to receive prayer requests. Information is kept strictly confidential. Contact Linda Joehnck at 279-3770 or the office.



Place Your healing strength on:

Marjorie Barton	Shirley Hertlein
Susan Brick	Michael Hornburg
Doreen	Tarie Kinzel
Cordingley	Mike Osland
Lois Pedersen	Ava-Lee Schiffner
Deault	Helmut
Glenn Farn	Sonnenberg
Judy Fielden	Dean Turner
Crystal Gapka	Laurie Watson
Eddie Glanville	

We remember those in care centers or "shut-in" at home including:

Irene Dekowny	Willy Singbeil
Lyll Finlayson	Kelly Williams
Caroline Lutz	Irene Zach
Alexa Nernberg	Brenda Scott
Betty Oldis	

## Prayers:

**Make us worthy, Lord,** to serve our fellow human beings throughout the world who live and die in poverty and hunger. Give them through our hands this day their daily bread, and by our understanding love, give peace and joy. Amen.  
(A prayer of Mother Teresa of Calcutta)

**Compassionate God,** give courage and faith to Stephen Wildfang's family as they mourn his passing on March 15th. May they find strength to meet the days

ahead through Jesus Christ, our Saviour and Lord. Amen.

## Outside of LCOS:

**April 28th is the annual fundraiser in support of Lutheran Hospital Ministries training program for volunteer visitors,** who visit patients in hospitals and care facilities. Walk or pledge to help with their goal of \$20,000. More info at (403) 264-4045/lhmsac@gmail.com.

**Lutheran Collegiate Bible Institute is sending their concert choir on tour!** They are performing at Lutheran Church of the Cross at 7:00 pm on Sat, April 14. The tour organizers are looking to billet the 37 people (high school students and their chaperones) in groups of 2 or more that Saturday night. Hosts would pick up their billets at the concert on Saturday evening and return them to Church of the Cross on Sunday morning. Our Saviour youth are already scheduled to visit Church of the Cross the morning on April 15, the other half of our exchange this year. (Church of the Cross youth already visited Our Saviour one Sunday morning in January.) Please check your calendar and let Lisa Rude (rudel@telus.net, 403-686-7311), know ASAP if you can help us out.

**KNOW Poverty: 2018 Poverty Studies Summer Institute** from May 28-June 15, Are you Passionate about ending poverty in Canada? Join the Canadian Poverty Institute for the annual KNOW Poverty Summer Institute as we explore the material, social and spiritual dimensions of poverty. Come for 1-day, 1-week or all 3 weeks! For more information, visit [www.povertyinstitute.ca/poverty-studies-summer-institute](http://www.povertyinstitute.ca/poverty-studies-summer-institute) or email [povertyinstitute@ambrose.edu](mailto:povertyinstitute@ambrose.edu)

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Our Mission... We are an inviting and growing Christian presence, with a passion for living and sharing Jesus Christ.

Our Vision... To be a Christ-centered community that Equips Disciples to Make Disciples.

If you are a visitor, during the time of offering, we have no financial expectations of you. Following the service you are invited for coffee and fellowship.  
We would be blessed to have you share in worship with us again.



Sunday, March 18, 2018  
9:00 & 11:00 am  
Fifth Sunday in Lent



**Worship Leader: Jesse Ramson**

**Welcome/Announcements**

**Gathering Song**

*"God of Wonders"*

*"Oh, for a Thousand Tongues to Sing" LBW#559*

**Children's Story: "Da Sheeps an Da Goats"**

*"Jesus Loves the Little Children"*

**Presentation by Leah Thormoset: Operation Christmas Child**

**The Apostles' Creed**

*"Make Me an Instrument"*

**Offering**

**Ministry Moment by Jens Kaack: Redemptive Gifts**

**Prayers/Lord's Prayer**

**The Sending**

*"Go Make a Difference"*



## Today:

**What a blessing and joy to gather together in Jesus' name!** Please make yourself at home. Our regular Sunday groups meet September thru May at 10:00 am. They operate on a drop in basis. Children (preschool to grade 6), youth (grade 7 to 12) and adult visitors are always welcome. We also invite you to join us after the Services for coffee and fellowship.



## What's Happening...

**Lenten Project:** The Brenda Strafford Society for the Prevention of Domestic Violence is a second-stage shelter for women and their children who have fled domestic violence. LCOS is once again honored to support the Centre in two ways:

- Caring bags of necessities & gifts including towels.
- New pillow for each resident.

So far we have received 45 pillows and 10 caring bags.

All items need to be back by Easter on April 1st.

**Flowers on the Altar for Easter:** The last day to donate will be on March 25th. Please indicate on your envelope any Memorial comments.



**Southwood Birthday Celebration volunteers needed.** Twice a year in March and May on the last Wednesday of the month we bring cakes and help the residences celebrate their birthdays that month. If you can donate a cake and/or come and spend time serving cake or visiting on Wednesday March 28th from 2:00 to 4:00 pm contact Berva Huber at 403-255-8472.



**Lost and Found:** We have many pans and containers in the kitchen from past events. Please stop by the kitchen and make sure that one of them is not yours. Other items can be found in the Lost & Found Drawer in the Donation cupboard.



**Redemptive Gifts Seminar** will be held on April 21st from 9:00 to 4:00 pm. Please RSVP to the office or place your name on a sign up sheet in the lobby. Please bring your own bagged lunch for the day. Questions? Please contact the office or Jens Kaack.



**Making of Palm Crosses** on March 24th at 10:00 am. No experience necessary. Snacks and instructions are provided.



## College & Careers Night on March 23rd at 7:00 pm:

Sixty minutes are on the clock! Do you have the logic, the observation, and the skills required to make it out of an Escape Room? Find out by joining us at the Locked Room on Fairmount Drive SE. Cost is \$25, and we'll head over to Tim Hortons for some treats after we successfully make it out of the Room.



## Young Explorers – Spring Break Event

March 25th at 10:00 am is a special combined class as we have a unique preview of our Vacation Bible School coming up in August! Feel free to dress up like a Pirate!



## Youth – Pizza and Pinball

on Tues, March 27th at 7 pm is a special event for March Break! Join us at Alfred's house for some pinball (Alfred has an incredible collection of pinball machines!) and pizza! Sign up with Jesse to get directions.



## News from the SW Conference Refugee Mission:

Ehsan Aldayoub, one of our Christian refugee friends, was married Feb 16 /2018 in Lebanon. The bride and groom( both engineers) met in their Christian Orthodox church in Syria. We ask for prayers for this young couple, divided by war. They trust that God will help them to be united in Canada. We welcome donations towards a financial gift to help with their many expenses and future plans. Please contact Jaqui Anderson 403-453-4071.



## Youth Surge in Camrose from April 6th to 8th.

This is for grade 9+ students who want to have fun in worship, small group sessions, hang out time, games, and much more. Early registration of \$50 ends March 23rd. Please contact Jesse to sign up.



**No one is immune: Taking action for mental health—** Congregational Life Event in Red Deer is on April 14th. Sign-up online or contact Katharine



## Today

9:00	Worship Service
10:00	Young Explorers
	The Experiment
	Adult Bible Study
11:00	Worship Service
6:30	Discipleship

## This Week

March 19	
1:00	Memory Plus
6:30	Spanish Class
March 20	
10:00	Baking for Acadia Lunch
7:00	Church Board
March 21	
9:00	Experiencing God
11:00	Acadia Lunch Program
7:00	Al-anon
7:30	Choir
8:30	11 AM Praise Team
March 22	
7:00	Running Group
March 23	
7:00	College & Careers
March 24	
8:30	50+ Exercise Class
10:00	Making of Palm Crosses

## Coming Up

March 25	Palm Sunday
March 25	Israel Trip Returns
March 26	Fireside
March 27	Youth—Pinball & Pizza
March 29	Maundy Thursday
March 30	Good Friday
April 1	Easter Sunday
April 2	Office closed
April 6-8	Youth Surge



**Palm Sunday**—March 25th at 9:00 and 11:00 am  
**Maundy Thursday Service**— March 29th at 7:00 pm  
**Good Friday Service of Darkness**—March 30th at 7:00 pm  
**Easter Sunday Services**—April 1st at 9:00 and 11:00  
**Easter breakfast** served between the Services.