

WELCOME to all who are visiting with us this morning.
Please sign our Guest Register in the entry.
We hope you will feel free to join us for worship service often.

Messiah folks: Please remember to wear name tags so that, with visitors and people new to the congregation, we can all get to know each other.

REMINDER of things happening. . .

Your 2018 offering envelopes are ready to pick up from the back table in the Narthex. If you have direct deposit, there are envelopes still assigned to you in case you would like to make additional donations through the year.

For those of you who do not have an envelope number, please contact Harvey Jacobsen or contact the church office. There are envelopes in the pews or at the back – ask the ushers.

2018 Charitable Tax Receipts are available to be picked-up. Please check with Harvey Jacobsen, before or after church, to receive yours.

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Epiphany 3 – Sunday, January 27, 2019

Service Leader:	Rev. Iris Kristjánsdóttir
Intern Pastor:	Brooklynn Lane
Organist:	Colleen Bowen
Lector:	Vimy Penner
Greeters:	Vimy & Jim Penner
Ushers:	Cheryl Bauer Hyde & Wayne Hyde



**Messiah Congregational
Annual General Meeting
Sunday, February 24, 2019**

Following worship service, we will meet for pizza and the meeting in the Fellowship Hall.

Please sign up for pizza on the sheet on the bulletin board or contact the office.

Office Hours For the week of January 27 – February 3, 2019
Monday, Saturday & Sunday – Office Closed
Office Hours: Tuesday – Friday from 9am – 4pm

Sunday – January 27
10:00 a.m. Coffee On
10:30 a.m. Worship Service
Sunday School and Route 66
6:45 p.m. H2H – Grades 7, 8 & 9

Tuesday – January 22
12:15 p.m. Moment of Prayer – Peace Chapel

Sunday – February 3
10:00 a.m. Coffee On
10:30 a.m. Worship Service with participation of Youth and Holy Communion

- Following Service
1. Cold item potluck lunch ; families with names beginning with the letters 'F – J' are in charge of setup and cleanup
 2. Meeting of Youth and Parents (Peace Chapel)

The Lay Academy Presents: Pathways to Prayer – Series Two
February 2 & February 9, 2019
10:30am – 1:00pm
Messiah Lutheran, Prince Albert
Good Shepherd Lutheran, Saskatoon
St. Olaf Lutheran, Swift Current

Registration Fees:
\$25 for 1 session, \$45 for 2
10% discount for home attendees
Group discounts also available
Register online today!

For Registration and Payment see:
<https://layacademy5.wixsite.com/elcicwla/prayer2>

Check out poster on side bulletin board in the hallway.

The February signup sheet for Ushers, Greeters, Readers, and Communion Assistants is on the bulletin board. Please volunteer if you are available. We appreciate the help.

Attendance & Offerings for January 2019		
January 6	86	\$4,415.00
January 13	115	\$4,130.00
January 20	72	\$1,623.00

January 27, 2019 (Setting #8)
Epiphany 3

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship (inspired by Luke 4:14-30)

*The Spirit of the Lord is upon us!
God has anointed us to bring good news to the poor.*

*To proclaim freedom for the prisoners and recovery of sight
for the blind,
to set the oppressed free.*

Let us worship the God of justice and peace!

Opening Hymn #641
~ All Are Welcome

Confession and Forgiveness

Gathering Song
Kyrie Page 184-185

Canticle of Praise . . . Lord, I Life Your Name on High #857

Prayer of the Day: Blessed Lord God, you have caused the holy scriptures to be written for the nourishment of your people. Grant that we may hear them, read, mark, learn and inwardly digest them, that comforted by your promises, we may embrace and forever hold fast to the hope of eternal life, through your son, Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Baptismal Hymn #453
~ Baptized and Set Free (verses 1 and 2)
(Parents & Sponsors come forward)

Holy BaptismStarting on Page #227



We welcome Ashton Ben Knecht, son of Nicole Knecht & Aaron Knecht-Keller into the body of Christ and into the mission we share. Sponsors for Ashton are Michelle Hawreliuk & Keegan Hawreliuk

Hymn #453 – verses 3 and 4

Children’s Story

Scripture Readings:
1st Lesson: Nehemiah 8:1-3,5-6,8-10
. . . Thanks be to God.

Psalms 19 (read responsively)

2nd Lesson: 1 Corinthians 12:12 – 31a
. . . Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation . . . Page 188

. . . Glory to you, O Lord . . .

Gospel Reading: Luke 4:14-21

. . . Praise to you, O Christ.

Sermon: Rev. Íris Kristjánsdóttir

Hymn of the Day #710
~ Let Streams of Living Justice

Apostles’ Creed

Prayers of Intercession

The Lord’s Prayer

Sharing of Peace



Offering

Offertory Hymn #691
~ Accept, O Lord, The Gifts We Bring

Benediction

Closing Hymn #726
~ Light Dawns On A Weary World

Dismissal

P: Go in peace. Christ is your light.
C: Thanks be to God.



Prayers for healing and on-going health concerns:

Gisele Neudorf, Fred Mathiason (friends of Dennis & Annette Ulmer), Alice Greening, Joan Gordon (niece to Lisa Rascher), Evelyn Finch, Agnes Brown, Audrey Hodgson, Ida Graupe, Audrey Jensen.

Please remember to pray for those family and friends who may not be listed here but we know still do need our continued prayers and support.

If you know people who would like our congregation’s prayers, please contact the Church office. Please note: prayer requests will run a maximum of 3 weeks after which time the names will be removed; unless otherwise requested. Thank you for your assistance.

Moment of Prayer ~ Peace Chapel
Come join us on Tuesdays at 12:15pm
All are Welcome!