


Reminder of things happening . . . . .

**Our Mission Statement:**  
 "Through the hearing and sharing of God's Word, we, as a Worshipping community, encourage a personal relationship with Jesus Christ.  
 In Faith, we reach out with Christ-like caring for the community and the world in which we live."

**Messiah Lutheran Church Council Update:** At the Annual General Meeting on Sunday, February 24, Cheryl Bauer Hyde, Merv Bender, and Jean Meyers were elected by acclamation for three-year terms. Following the AGM, Council met to confirm the Executive: Chair Cheryl Bauer Hyde, Vice-Chair Merv Bender, and Secretary Jean Meyers. The Financial Team was also confirmed: Treasurer – Morris Hesje, Financial Secretary – Garry Reinhardt, Envelope Secretary – Harvey Jacobsen.

*Thank you*  **Rev. Dennis Serfas for today's message.**

➤ Please help by signing up for greeting, reading, ushering and communion assistants.


**MARK ON YOUR CALENDAR**

 **Pancake Supper:**  
 Hosted by the Men's Group  
**Wednesday, March 6, 2019**  
 5pm – 6:30pm – Fellowship Hall

**FOLLOWED BY:**  
 Ash Wednesday Service – Lenten Services – 7pm

 **AND**

**Lenten Service for 2019 – 7:00 p.m.**  
 March 13th, March 20th, March 27th  
 April 3rd, April 10th


 **The Prince Albert Ministerial Association invites you to:**

**2019 Lenten Lunch Series**  
 "Music, Word & Fellowship"  
 Thursdays at Noon  
 March 14<sup>th</sup> – April 18<sup>th</sup> at Calvary United Church  
 114-25<sup>th</sup> St. East

**PLEASE NOTE: March 28<sup>th</sup> ONLY will be at**  
**St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Church**

A free will offering for lunch will be collected and donated to a local charity.

**Interim Rostered Leader – Pastor Dan Haugen** has agreed to serve in this role for six-months following Pastor Iris departure. We give thanks for Pastor Dan's gift of ministry and for serving as Intern Supervisor for Brooklynn Lane as she completes her year of internship and ministry at Messiah.



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**Transfiguration of Our Lord**  
 Sunday – March 3, 2019

Service Leader:	Rev. Dennis Serfas
Intern Pastor:	Brooklynn Lane
Organist:	Colleen Bowen
Lector:	Vimy Penner
Greeters	Darlyne & Kirby Woodhouse
Ushers:	Jim & Vimy Penner
Communion Assistants:	Cheryl Bauer Hyde Wayne Hyde Hazel Schultz

**Office Hours For the week of March 3 – 10, 2019**  
 Monday, Saturday & Sunday – Office Closed  
 Office Hours: Tuesday – Friday from 9am – 4pm

**Sunday – March 3**  
 10:00 a.m. Coffee On  
 10:30 a.m. Worship Service w/Holy Communion  
 Sunday School and Route 66

**Following Service:**  
 – 'Cold item' potluck lunch (Families / people with names beginning with 'K-Q' in charge of set up and clean up)

**Tuesday – March 5**  
 12:15 p.m. Moment of Prayer – Peace Chapel

**Wednesday – March 6**  
 5:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.  
 Pancake/Sausage Supper  
 Hosted by the Men's Group  
 7:00 p.m. Ash Wednesday Lenten Service

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

Attendance & Offerings for February 2019		
February 3	68	\$2,545.25
February 10	75	\$2,750.00
February 17	78	\$2,961.00
February 24	120	\$1,921.00

Transfiguration of Our Lord  
March 3, 2019 - Setting #8

Welcome and Announcements

Gathering Hymn #715  
~ *Christ, Be Our Light*

Confession and Forgiveness

Gathering – Greeting

Kyrie ..... Pages 184-185  
Canticle of Praise ..... Page 187

Prayer of the day: Holy God, mighty and immortal, you are beyond our knowing, yet we see your glory in the face of Jesus Christ. Transform us into the likeness of your Son, who renewed our humanity so that we may share in his divinity, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.  
Amen.

Children's Story

Scripture Readings:  
1<sup>st</sup> lesson: Exodus 34:29-35  
... Thanks be to God

Psalm 99 (read responsively)

2<sup>nd</sup> lesson: 2 Corinthians 3:12—4:2  
... Thanks be to God

Gospel Acclamation – Page 188

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

Gospel Reading: Luke 9:28-36

... Praise to you, O Christ!

Sermon – Rev. Dennis Serfas

Hymn of the Day #315  
~ *How Good, Lord, to be Here!*

Apostles' Creed

Prayers of Intercession: Each prayer ends with:  
Lord, in your mercy,  
Response: **hear our prayer.**

Sharing of the Peace

Offering

Offertory Hymn #692  
- *We Are an Offering*

Offertory Prayer

Great Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you.  
**And also with you.**  
Lift up your hearts.  
**We lift them to the Lord.**  
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.  
**It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

The Words of Institution  
**Holy, holy, holy Lord ... page 190**

The Lord's Prayer

The Distribution

Hymns during distribution  
*Hymn #611..... I Heard the Voice of Jesus Saying*  
*Hymn #800 ..... Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart*



Prayer after Communion

**Benediction / Dismissal**  
Jesus stands and asks: "Who do you say I am?"  
**We join millions who have gone before and say: "the Messiah."**

Jesus stands in front of us and tells us the realities of discipleship.  
**We join millions who have gone before in the challenges of living as disciples.**

Jesus stands before us and offers food and drink for the journey.  
**Fed and nourished, we go out into the world to live and serve.**

Jesus stands before us, shining in glory, and will be with us to the end of the age.  
**Thanks be to God. Amen. Amen. Amen**

Closing Hymn #314  
~ *Arise, Your Light Has Come!*

Table Grace



Prayers for healing and on-going health concerns:

Wilna Haugen, Arywn Kindt (daughter of Darla & Brian Kindt), Richard & Leslie Wagner (brother & sister-in-law to Gladys Faber), Lana Adams, Dorothy Banjac, Emma Kerr (niece to Arleen Wagner), Gisele Neudorf, Fred Mathiason (friend of Dennis & Annette Ulmer), Alice Greening, Joan Gordon (niece to Lisa Rascher), Evelyn Finch, Agnes Brown, Ida Graupe, Audrey Hodgson and Audrey Jensen, and for guidance for the Call Committee and Bishop Sid as Messiah seeks another pastor.