

Prayers for healing and on-going health concerns:



Joseph Gavin (friend of Morris & Betty Anderson),
Angeline Hesje, Katherine Tomin (Aunt to Vimy Penner), Stanley Livingstone, Fred Mathiason (friend of Dennis & Annette Ulmer), Chad Mahlberg (family friend of Merv Bender), Richard & Leslie Wagner (brother & sister-in-law to Gladys Faber), Lana Adams, Dorothy Banjac, Alice Greening, Evelyn Finch, Agnes Brown, Ida Graupe, Audrey Hodgson and Audrey Jensen.

Our condolences and prayers to Ruby Swenson and families, on the passing of her brother Bill Kerr. His funeral was held Saturday, September 14th in Kelowna, BC. Please keep Ruby and the Kerr families in your prayers at this time.



Reminder of upcoming events



Pastor Fran would like to thank Messiah members for the food pantry and the very warm welcome she has received in these beginning weeks of ministry together.

We Need Sunday School Teachers and We Hope You Can Help! As we do not currently have a coordinator for Sunday School here at Messiah, we are looking for volunteers to teach a class or two each month. We have curriculum and so it won't involve a lot of preparation time. Members of the Education Committee on Council will have the materials ready for each class. Contact: Jean Meyers in person or at jmeyers@sasktel.net, Donna Deobald at messiah@sasktel.net or (306) 763-7374, or any member of Messiah Church Council

"Kinasao Lutheran Bible Camp is undergoing a visioning process as they look to refocus for the future. Events will be held on Sept. 22nd at Messiah Lutheran Church and Sept. 29th at Redeemer Lutheran Church, Saskatoon, from 2pm – 5pm. All are welcome to be a part of this journey."

**PLEASE REGISTER by MONDAY, OCTOBER 7, 2019
2019 Lutheran Anglican Women's Retreat**

Friday, Oct. 18th: 7:00 pm – 8:30 pm.
Saturday, Oct. 19th: 9:00 am – 3:30 p.m.
St. John's Cathedral (Anglican)
816 Spadina Cres. E., Saskatoon

Registration sheets are hanging on the bulletin board in the hallway.

CLWR is responding to the devastation caused by Hurricane Dorian in the Bahamas through our partners, ACT Alliance. **Your gift can help provide life-saving support to families affected by this crisis.** To donate, here is the link: <https://www.clwr.org/hurricane-dorian>

Registration & Pizza for H2H Confirmation (youth Grades 7, 8, & 9) will be Sunday, October 6th at 5:45. A free-will offering will be taken for the meal. Youth, parents and families are welcome this night to play some games, get to know each other and learn about what will happen in Confirmation for the coming year. A detailed letter and calendar will be emailed in the next few weeks. Any questions, contact Pastor Fran in the church office or email: pastor.mlc@sasktel.net

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14th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Sunday, September 15, 2019

Service Leader: Pastor Fran Schmidt
Organist: Colleen Bowen
Lector: Vimy Penner
Greeters: Darlyne & Kirby Woodhouse
Ushers: Vimy & Jim Penner
Communion Assistants: Hazel Schultz
Lori Amyotte
Shannon Pettem
Madison Pettem

For the week of September 15 – September 22, 2019
Monday, Saturday & Sunday – Office Closed
Office Hours: Tuesday – Friday from 9am – 4pm

Sunday – September 15
10:00 a.m. Coffee On
10:30 a.m. Worship Service w/Holy Communion
10:45 a.m. Sunday School

Wednesday – September 18
1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.
Pastor Fran - Communion @ Pineview,
Herb Bassett and Mont St. Joseph

Thursday – September 19
1:00 p.m. PA Cluster Meeting – Peace Chapel

Sunday – September 22
10:00 a.m. Coffee On
10:30 a.m. Worship Service

2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Kinasao Lutheran Bible Camp
(see announcement in bulletin)

Attendance & Offerings for September 2019

September 1	68	\$3,633.00
September 8	102	\$5,238.00

14TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
Sunday, September 15, 2019 - Setting 8

Welcome & Announcements

Gathering

The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.

Thanksgiving for Baptism (ELW p. 97)

Opening Hymn #532 ~ *Gather Us In*

Greeting

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

And also with you.

Kyrie (ELW p.184)

Canticle of Praise (ELW p. 185)

Prayer of Day:

Let us pray. **O God, overflowing with mercy and compassion, you lead back to yourself all those who go astray. Preserve your people in your loving care, that we may reject whatever is contrary to you and may follow all things that sustain our life in your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

Word

God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching, and song.

Readings

1ST Lesson: Exodus 32:7-14

Word of God, word of life.

... **Thanks be to God.**

Psalms 51:1-10 (read responsively)

2ND Lesson: 1 Timothy 1:12-17

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Gospel Acclamation (ELW p. 188)

Glory to you, O Lord . . .

Gospel Reading: Luke 15:1-10

... **Praise to you, O Christ.**

Children's Message

~ **Blessing of the backpacks, briefcases, etc.**

Children come forward wearing your backpacks

Children leave for Sunday School – Fellowship Hall

Sermon: Pastor Fran Schmidt

Hymn of the Day #641 ~ *All Are Welcome*

Apostles' Creed (ELW p.189)

Prayers of Intercession

Sharing of Peace

Meal

God feeds us with the presence of Christ.

Offering & Offering Prayer

Great Thanksgiving (ELW p. 190)

Holy, Holy Holy

Thanksgiving at the Table

Lord's Prayer

Invitation to Communion (ELW p. 191)

~ ***Lamb of God*** (Colleen to play through once.)

Songs during Communion

Hymn #466 – *In the Singing*

Hymn #483 – *Here is Bread*

Prayer after Communion

Sending

God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world.

Blessing

The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord's face shine on you with grace and mercy.

The Lord look upon you with favor and ✚ give you peace.

Amen.

Closing Hymn #581 ~ *You Are Mine*

Dismissal

Go in peace. Share the good news.

Thanks be to God.