



# ANNOUNCEMENTS

October 16, 2022  
Service at 11:5 am



**Minister:** Laura Sundberg

**Pianist:** Hyunju Park

**Greeting:** TBA

**PowerPoint Operator:** Heather Balfour

**Prayers of the People:** TBA

**Tech Support & Zoom Host:** Brayden Barrett

**Congregational Care Greeter:** TBA

**Coffee Clean Up:** TBA

**Sunday Scripture:** Luke 18:1-8

## **This Sunday's Hymns:**

God Help us to Treasure MV#147 vs. 1

I the Lord of Sea and Sky VU#509

God of the Sparrow VU#229 vs. 1 & 2

Breathe on me Breath of God VU#382 vs. 1, 2, 3

We Thank You, Thank You Jesus MV#188

How Firm a Foundation VU#660 vs. 1, 3, 4

We Will Go With God MV#223

**Next week's service will be at Knox Metropolitan Church at 10:30 – a shared service with all the United Churches in Regina!**

*For thousands of years, Indigenous people have walked in this land. As we gather for worship this morning, we acknowledge that we are gathered in the traditional territory of the Saulteaux, Cree, Dakota, Lakota, & Nakota First Nations and the traditional lands of the Metis, now defined as Treaty 4, and we acknowledge their stewardship of this land throughout the ages. We recognize this statement in itself is not reconciliation work - this stand-alone acknowledgment must be accompanied by multiple acts that continue to deepen our understanding of the connections between Indigenous peoples and the lands on which we are joined through the course of history and through treaty signing.*

*Welcome to Eastside! May our opportunities of ministry, challenge and peace on your Christian journey. Eastside United welcomes all people to discern and engage in Christ's mission in a nurturing, inclusive, and dynamic Christian community. No matter your*

*appearance, age, gender, sexual orientation, family configuration, or economic circumstance. We welcome all who represent God's goodness. If the words of Worship do not fit your theology, faith, or language, please feel free to change them.*

**Last week's attendance**

27 in person  
14 online

**Offering: \$445 (not incl. PAR)**

August 1 – 15, 2022  
Weekly budget: \$3290

**We have \$9,390 committed monthly from PAR – Thank you PAR givers!**

**COVID Protocols:** We thank you for helping us keep our community safe as we continue to monitor the pandemic.

- We encourage masks being worn during Worship, especially when we sing.
- Please continue to practice physical distancing.
- Do not attend service if you have any COVID symptoms.

**Office Hours and More:**

- **Russell's Hours:** Russell's hours are in the office Tuesday – Thursday and working from home Friday.
- **LSC Office Hours:** Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursdays, 9:30 am – 3:30 pm.
- **Becca - Office Staff,** is in office on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday from 9 -3 pm. When Becca is in office, feel free to reach her by phone at 306-761-0556.
- **Sermons** can be found online under "Worship" on our website.
- **For prayer concerns,** contact Russell to be added to our prayer chain.
- **Pastoral care is available.** Please let our office know if you are in need of pastoral care. Phone calls and visits (in-person/online) can be arranged.
- **Please contact our office anytime by email: [eastsideunited@sasktel.net](mailto:eastsideunited@sasktel.net) or by texting 306-517-6797.**

## **Eastside Events and Programs**

**Worship will also be happening in person and here on Zoom!** You can also call into the Zoom session on the phone with audio only by calling 1-587-328-1099 or 1-204-515-1268. If you have trouble with sound on your computer, you can also call in with these numbers while watching on zoom.

**T-Shirts are still available** – send our office an email if you would like to know what sizes and colours are available. They cost \$30 a piece.

**Eastside is looking to gather more prayer shawls!** We have plenty of yarn to provide knitters/crocheters! Please let Becca know if you would be able to create some shawls for the church. We are looking for dimensions that are about 1.5 ft by 4 ft.

**Please share your favourite hymns with us!** Let us know by filling out this Google Form [here](#). **Text In Church:** If you would like to receive text notifications about special services and events at Eastside, text the word 'Loop' to 306-517-6797.

**Craft/Study Reading Schedule**

Craft/Study takes place on Thursdays at 1:30 pm. Let Becca know if you would like a copy of the book for \$20!

September 15: Introduction  
September 22: Chapter 1, Friend  
September 29: Chapter 2, Teacher  
October 6: Chapter 3, Saviour



October 13: Chapter 4, Lord  
October 20: Chapter 5, Way  
October 27: Chapter 6, Presence  
November 4: Chapter 7, Universal

**COURAGEOUS FAITH**  
**WITH EASTSIDE UNITED CHURCH**

Join us for Courageous Faith, Thursdays from September 22 - November 17 at 7:00 pm at the Living Spirit Centre. Speakers will include: Matthew Fox, Jacqui Lewis, Brian McLaren, Trip Fuller, Anna Golladay, John Pavlovitz, Jim Keat, Rabbi Rami Shapiro. **Text "Faith" to 306-517-6797 to register!**



Mark your calendars - INI Café hopes to return (pandemic permitting) November 16, 6pm at ICF with Roberta Tobrey and Dennis Hendricksen performing! **Volunteers and Donations are needed** and welcome. The donations will help pay for the artists. They can be made directly to ICF or to Eastside. Please mark any donations as INI Café! Let Russell know if you can help serve that evening.

### Financial Update

[Click here](#) to view a recent financial update for the quarter ending in June.



All are welcome and invited to join us for

## Eastside United Community Dinners

 3rd Thursday of the month at 6:00 pm

 3018 Doan Drive, Regina

 RSVP: Text "RSVP" to 306-517-6797

Participate in a neighborhood survey for a chance to win a prize! Scan the QR code 



Contact: 306-761-0556

Our next **Community Dinner** will be October 20. We wish to invite those in our area, so you are asked to take a Community Dinner Card (like the one below) and invite a neighbour who doesn't go to church, but you think may enjoy this experience of fellowship, meal and discussion. Get your cards from the back table or the office. **Volunteers are also needed to help with set up and clean up. Please let Russell know if you can help.**

**We will be having a moment of beauty and reflection during worship!** If you have something you would like to share Sunday during worship, please let Russell know.

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# OCTOBER COMMUNITY DINNER

WITH EASTSIDE UNITED CHURCH



October 20 at 6:00 pm



3018 Doan Dr. Regina

REGISTER BY OCT. 17 BY TEXTING "RSVP" TO  
306-517-6797 OR CONTACT THE EASTSIDE OFFICE.

EASTSIDE COMMUNITY DINNERS ARE FREE!



**Guest speaker:**

Our local City Councillor Daniel  
LeBlanc will be discussing the  
City's role in helping the  
homeless in Regina

## Local Announcements

Published annually by the Multifaith Action Society (MAS), the Multifaith Calendar is a unique educational resource that facilitates and promotes understanding of religious observances, occasions and festivals important to a wide spectrum of cultural and faith communities. Featuring 24 pieces of original art from visual artists across North America and Internationally, the 2023 edition marks the 37th year of publication and features the theme: Building Our Future Together. Let Becca know if you would like to order a calendar for \$20 by October 31!

### *Creation Care In our Places of Prayer: Energy Retrofits and other Faith-based climate action*

*Kairos Regina is hosting a gathering to help you and your church community learn, share, and begin to plan a path forward to decarbonize your church. We will tackle the questions of why does this question matter from a theological Christian perspective, what are others already doing about this, and what practical resources are out there to help us get started. We hope you will join us!*



*Saturday October 15th  
Living Spirit Centre,  
3018 Doan Dr., Regina  
Doors open at 9:00  
Event 9:30–4:00 Lunch included  
\$25/in-person \$10 on-line  
Register <https://bit.ly/3OL2Ki1>*

**REGISTER NOW!**

### **Feeding Friendships – Raising Funds for LBC’s New Dining Hall**

We need your help to raise \$1 million for our new dining hall through our Feeding Friendships campaign. We are looking for 500 people to commit to being 'Builders'. A Builder makes a gift of at least \$1,000. Their name is added to the Builders Wall in the new facility, and they are invited to our grand opening supper at LBC once the new building is constructed. A Builder knows that the dining hall at LBC is backdrop to skill building (like passing food and washing dishes) and meaning making (like making friends and discovering independence). We hope you will consider being a Builder. [Click here to donate!](#)

## **From the Regina Native Outreach Ministry:**

Rev. Deb Anderson-Pratt and members of our board would like to THANK YOU for all of your support. The programs we are working hard to run have been so helpful and appreciated ... and they would not have run without your generosity.



Drop off any of the below donations to your UCC office.

### *Tim Horton's \$5 Gift Cards*

Street ministry is an important part of Rev. Deb's work. She spends time in the downtown and North Central communities, offering support, prayer, and love to Indigenous street-involved persons. With a Tim Horton's gift card, they can go indoors and have a warm drink and meal.

Your donation of these cards with a \$5 amount ensures this work can be done.

### *Indigenous New Mom and Baby Bags*

This project has been overwhelmingly successful. Recipients have expressed that the bags are encouraging and helpful, and are full of thank-yous. The Native Services staff at the Regina General Hospital have agreed the bags are a great help and much needed. The bags include necessary items for mom and baby, plus a special treat for mom, a traditional medicine bag, and a handwritten card. The card welcomes the new baby, and provides background and instructions on the medicine bag.

Your donations of any of the following high-priority items are so appreciated:

- \*menstrual pads (heavy flow)
- \*nursing pads
- \*blank cards
- \*small gift for Mom (hand lotion, lip balm, candle, etc.)
- \*diaper cream
- \*baby wipes
- \*newborn onesies or sleepers
- \*newborn diapers
- \*baby blankets

## *Board Members*

We are still looking for board members. Our projects and activities are picking up steam! Exciting and important work is afoot: linking with other Indigenous Outreach ministries in Regina; finding a building; undertaking more projects to reach and teach people; pursuing grants and corporate sponsorships. Being a board member of RNOM is just one way of living out our Reconciliation goals: you are directly supporting and enabling the functioning of a ministry which reaches Indigenous people, led by Rev. Deb who proudly calls herself a Cree-Saulteaux Woman.

## Outreach

**Glen Elm School is taking food donations!** If you would like to drop off food donations, you can do so during office hours, or leave non-refrigerated items in the blue-bin at the LSC office administration entrance.

**Regina Food for Learning:** If you would like to make a donation to Regina Food for Learning, they can be sent via mail to: P.O. BOX 3524, Regina SK S4S 3J8. Regina Food for Learning is a non-profit that partners with the community to provide nourishing food to children in schools. We are the largest child feeding program in the city, providing services to Regina schools and neighbourhoods since 1988.

**The Indigenous Christian Fellowship** is looking for people on Fridays to make 90 lunches on-site. If you can help out, contact [Doug Scheurwater](#) and indicate which Friday(s) you are available. ICF is also looking for people to help bake cookies and muffins. Supplies are provided.



# October and November at a Glance

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
<b>16</b> Service 11:15 am	<b>17</b> Meditation Hybrid 7 pm	<b>18</b> Prayer Service 12 pm	<b>19</b> Prayer Service 9 am	<b>20</b> Prayer Service 4 pm Craft.Study 1:30pm Community Dinner 6pm	<b>21</b> Regina Cluster Event 7pm	<b>22</b> Reguna Ckuster Event 9:30-4
<b>23</b> City-wide Service at Knox Met 10:30am	<b>24</b> Meditation Hybrid 7 pm	<b>25</b> Prayer Service 12 pm	<b>26</b> Prayer Service 9 am Faith Formation 6:30pm	<b>27</b> Prayer Service 4 pm Craft.Study 1:30pm Courageous Faith 7pm	<b>28</b> Film and Faith	<b>29</b> BoL 40th Anniv. Celebration
<b>30</b> Halloween Service 11:15 am	<b>31</b> Meditation Hybrid 7 pm	<b>1</b> Prayer Service 12 pm	<b>2</b> LSC Climate Justice 7pm	<b>3</b> Prayer Service 4 pm Craft.Study 1:30pm Courageous Faith 7pm	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b> Messy Church 4-7pm
<b>6</b> Service 11:15 am	<b>7</b> Meditation Hybrid 7 pm	<b>8</b> Prayer Service 12 pm	<b>9</b> Prayer Service 9 am Leadership Team Mtg.	<b>10</b> Prayer Service 4 pm Craft.Study 1:30pm Courageous Faith 7pm	<b>11</b> Remembrance Day	<b>12</b>

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