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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Easter Sunday 2022

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Sunday Service | 11:15 am

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Prayers of the People: Sarah Tkachuk

Zoom Support: Brian Mitchell-Walker

Minister: Russell Mitchell-Walker Pianist: Hwuniu Park

Welcome to Eastside United. May our opportunities of ministry offer you rest, challenge and peace on your Christian journey.

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.

Sunday Scripture: Luke 24:1-10, John 20:1-18

Hymns:

Stay With Us – VU#182 vs. 1 & 3
Were you there when they crucified my Lord? – VU#144 vs. 1-2
Were you there when he burst the bonds of death? – VU#144
Christ the Lord is Risen Today – VU#157
This is the Day – VU#122
Christ is Alive – VU#158 vs. 1, 3, 5
Christ has no Body Now but Yours – MV#171 chorus and v. 1
I Danced in the Morning – VU#352
You Shall Go Out with Joy – VU#884

Eastside United welcomes all people to discern and engage in Christ's mission in a nurturing, inclusive, and dynamic Christian community. Our vision and values include: diversity, integrity, spiritual growth, stewardship, nurturing settings, social justice, joy, and celebration. At Eastside, the people here are our leaders. We seek to offer all the welcome of Jesus, the Blessing of unconditional love that knows no barriers. Share an idea for ministry! If it fits our vision statements, mission, and bedrock beliefs, we will work to make it happen. We welcome everyone as we are an Affirming Ministry. No matter your appearance, age, gender, sexual or or offering: \$2976.15 (not incl. PAR) our appearance, age, gender, sexual or or offering: \$2976.15 (not incl. PAR) our theology, faith, or language, please feel office as a make them.

- 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. You can reach
 our office by email: eastsideunited@sasktel.net.
- Prayer Services: Russell is off this Tuesday, Wednesday at 8:45am, Thursday at 4pm.
- Becca's will be available at the LSC office from Tuesday-Thursday from 8 am 3 pm.
- Sermons can be found online under "Worship" on our website.
- For prayer concerns, contact Russell to be added to our prayer chain.

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

- Masks will continue to be required.
- Being fully vaccinated is heavily recommended for in-person attendance to support those who cannot be vaccinated.
- · Please continue to practice physical distancing.
- Do not attend service if you have any COVID symptoms. If you test positive within two weeks of attending in person, please let our office know.

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.

Did you miss the announcements at last Sunday's worship service? Printed announcements are saved on the Eastside website each week - check them out at www.eastsideunited.ca

Financial update for December: If you would like to view Eastside's November financial statement, please click here. If you would like to sign up for regular giving through PAR, please

contact Becca. We also accept e-transfer which can be sent to eastsideunited@sasktel.net.

PAR and M & S Donations: If you would like to add or increase PAR and/or M&S offerings, please contact Becca and she will help you get set up or make changes. Email eastsideunited@sasktel.net to let Becca know what changes you would like to make, and he will submit the changes for processing.

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.

We are continuing the A Work of Art, Culture, and Its Story during worship! If you have a piece of work or cultural item that has a story or holds spiritual meaning for you and would like to share on Sunday during worship, please let Russell know.

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.



Please share your favourite hymns with us! Let us know by filling out this Google Form here.

Eastside Events and Programs

Meditation Schedule: Meditation has continues online! Click here to join at 7 pm on Mondays.

Messy Easter will be happening on May 7! Do you want to be a part of the LSC Messy Church **Community? Follow our new Facebook page!**

A new Craft/Study session will begin after Easter. If you are interested in reading "My Grandmother's Hands," please let our office know.

Ukrainian Canadian Congress has a project where they are providing sunflower seeds in return for donations. Seeds will be available following service on April 24th.

LSC Climate Justice Efforts Now Recruiting!



We are asking for your help to recruit interested folk (friends, family, neighbours) in the community or from any of our three churches for:

- 1. The Climate Justice Group which will address various issues from a variety of views and events. Currently Eastside and one person from Bread of Life are represented. We'd love to have many from each congregation. There's lots to do and grants available if we can just get the work done to apply. Our group meets on the first Thursday of each month. Ideas are always welcome!
- 2. The LSC Properties Solar Panel Sub Committee is reconvening after several years and hopes to successfully complete its work in 2022.

Might this be your task in honour of Earth Day 2022?

Please contact Mavis Olesen: text/call (306) 209-6365 or email mlolesen1943@gmail.com





Click here to order!

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. **We need more donations to continue the support we had last month with Munch.**

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 (RFFL) 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 onsite. If you can help out, contact <u>Doug Scheurwater</u> and indicate which Friday(s) you are available. ICF is also looking for people to help bake cookies and muffins. Supplies are provided.



April's Gratitude Image from Maureen Hughes

Thank you for your generosity!

Donating to Eastside couldn't be easier with our range of options:

- Sign up for PAR with Becca at the office! Completing a simple form can get you signed up for easy automatic monthly remittances!
- Send in your cheque or cash offering by mail
- We accept e-transfers! Send your offering to our email address: eastsideunitedesasktel.net
- We also have options online with CanadaHelps, through our website, or by using the offering plate on Sundays.

April/May

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