Announcements Sunday, November 5, 2023

First United Church Swift Current, SK

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Upcoming Meetings & Activities

- Tuesday, November 7 Social Convenors, 10:00 a.m. in the Cypress Lounge
- Wednesday, November 8 Lectionary Bible Study, 9:30 a.m. on Zoom
- Wednesday, November 8 Boutique & Garage Sales, 11:30 a.m.
- Wednesday, November 8 Choir practice, 7:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary
- Thursday, November 9 Coffee Time, 10:30 a.m. in Cypress Lounge

You are invited to join us for

Lectionary Bible Study

On Wednesdays at 9:30a.m. via Zoom. This is an opportunity to explore the bible passages that will be read and reflected on during Sunday worship. If you are interested, please contact the church office so they can send you the Zoom Link.

Please join us for a **Potluck Lunch**

Following worship on Sunday, November 19th in the gym.

Hearing Assist Devices

are available at the soundboard (located at the center back of the sanctuary) in order that all might participate in our worship service. If you would like to try out one of these devices please feel free to approach our sound technician or one of the ushers.

We will be ordering 2024 United Church Calendars.

The cost is \$10.00 each and the deadline to order is November 10, 2023. Please contact the church office if you are interested.

The Outreach Committee & Creation Station invite you to our Baking, Preserves, Greeting Cards and Christmas decorations Sale on Sunday, November 19th

in the foyer following the worship service.

All money collected will go to Mission & Service.

Donations of baking, preserves and Christmas decorations would be appreciated.

The Christmas decorations can be home made, new or nearly new. Any decorations not sold will be donated to the Christmas Room.

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Please label your preserves. Thank you!

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Produce from the Earthcare Partners' Fruit and Veggie Sharing Table was delivered to seniors and to the Mental Health Drop-In Centre most weeks.

At our meeting on Oct. 26, 2023, The Leadership Team adopted this as our **New Mission Statement**.

The congregation will be asked to affirm this new statement at our Annual General Meeting in March 2024. We, at First United Church, guided by the spirit, are striving to be an open and diverse community of faith.

Through word and action we pursue the values of spiritual growth, compassionate outreach, social justice and care of the earth.

Fowl Supper Success!!

Net Profit \$6,574.91

 (314 tickets sold - includes takeout meals)

 A huge **THANK YOU** to the Fowl Supper Interest Group for organizing, to the workers, to the food donors and to everyone for buying the tickets.

Your work & contributions were greatly appreciated.