

Announcements

Sunday, December 31, 2023

First United Church Swift Current, SK

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Upcoming Meetings & Activities

- Wednesday, January 3 – Lectionary Bible Study, 9:30 a.m. in person & on Zoom
- Thursday, January 4 – Coffee Time, 10:30 a.m. in Cypress Lounge

The church office will be closed January 1st
for New Year's Day.

Annette will be Away

Monday, December 25 to Monday, January 1

Please call the church office with any pastoral emergencies.

A Winter Book Study

is planned for **Thursday afternoons starting January 18, 2024.**

It will be "in-person" sessions at the church
and will study Praying Our Goodbyes by Joyce Rupp.

Melanie Davis will be our facilitator.

More information will be shared in the coming weeks.

If you are interested, please register with the church office.

A Special **Thank You** to
everyone who donated money
to our **Christmas hampers.**
A total of **16 families (43 people)**
were helped this year.

Thank You

to James McLauchlan and our First United Church Choir for hosting
Melodies of Christmas.

Everyone enjoyed a festive evening filled with
wonderful music of the Christmas season.

We collected \$1,659 which will be divided evenly
between our general fund and our Refugee Sponsorship program.

Earthcare Partners

invites you to attend this KAIROS Regina Event (in-person or online):

Heat Pumps in Saskatchewan: What You Should Know

What's all the fuss about heat pumps in Saskatchewan? Are they efficient enough to heat your home when it's -30 outside? How do they compare to natural gas heating? What is the carbon footprint? Does it make sense in Saskatchewan? Join our panellists who will explore the economics and environmental impact of heat pumps for Saskatchewan homeowners.

Free. All are welcome!

Saturday, January 13, 10:30 am to 12 noon.

Central Regina Public Library - meeting room C-1 (2311 12th Avenue, Regina)

In-person or livestream at <https://bit.ly/kairos-yqr-heat-pumps> (scan the QR code).

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.



<https://giftswithvision.ca/>

The United Church of Canada

developed Gifts with Vision in response
to requests to be able to give gifts to relatives, friends, and
loved ones that directly support projects developed by the
church's Mission & Service partners

DID YOU KNOW?

Free returns with online shopping, is not free for the environment. It involves another trip by vehicle to pick up and take the order back to the warehouse producing more packaging waste as well. And more often than not these returns end up in the landfill.