

## Westminster United Church

### Week of January 18, 2026 – Announcements

#### Westminster Staff:

Minister: Darrell Reine he/him  
Temp. Office Administrator: Julie Bass she/her  
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#### Sundays Scripture Readings:

Psalms 40, various verses "I waited patiently for God"  
John 1: 29-43 "Simon & Andrew become disciples"

#### Saskatchewan Pastoral Charges Held in Prayer:

We hold in prayer and extend our best wishes for a healthy ministry to the following: Grasslands (Glentworth, Mankota, McCord) Grenfell.

#### Stewardship Second:

In Jesus you are loved and made holy, enriched in many ways: not lacking in any spiritual gift; ready and willing to share generously; called by God, as disciples of Jesus!

#### Westminster Meetings & Services

Sun Jan 18 10:30 – Worship Service  
Sun Jan 18 - 11:30 am – Congregational Meeting  
Tuesday 10:00 am – WUC Knitter  
Thursday 7:00 pm - Choir Practice

#### Sunday, January 18th

Immediately after worship, there will be a congregation meeting to approve the budget for 2026. This shouldn't take too long and fellowship will happen after the meeting.



#### Annual Report time!

Calling all core teams, task groups and other groups to write their annual report. They should include a digest of activities and how they related to the Westminster



Core Values. Please submit to the office and Darrell by Thursday, February 5th. Thank you!

#### Like puzzles?

We have a puzzle library and now we have a puzzle space. You can borrow puzzles to take home or you can come and join others and sit at a table and do a puzzle. The puzzle space is open

Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings from 10am to 12pm. Bring a refreshment if you want or a friend and share in putting together a puzzle. Build community, gain a friend and enjoy some fellowship.



#### DOES THIS CONTAINER LOOK FAMILIAR?

It's on the coffee and refreshments table after worship service each Sunday.

Throw in a few dollars or the change jingling in your pocket or at the bottom of your purse.

These monies go to our Change 4 Change program.

In 2025 we raised:

\$535.95 for Sandy Saulteaux Centre  
\$484.80 for Lumsden Beach Camp  
\$434.25 for St. Andrews College  
\$424.10 for Regina Anti-Poverty Mission  
This is part of our outreach in action.  
Thank you for your generosity.



There are a few 2026 United Church of Canada calendars still available. Cost is \$10 each.

### Forever Remember!

We give thanks for the life of Joanne Sens. May she be at peace now. We hold her family in our thoughts and prayers.

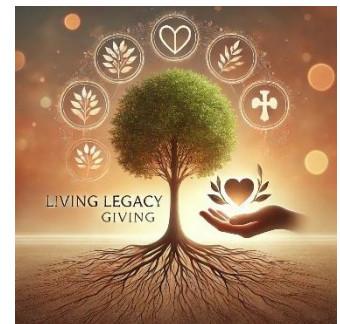


### Let's have a Coffee!

This interested in being part of a **Walking Club** in the gym, please join Susan at coffee time for a brief discussion about time of week and hour. All are welcome!

### Legacy Giving to a Church!

If you're interested in making a lasting impact, we invite you to learn more about legacy giving and how it can benefit both you and Westminster. Legacy giving involves making a charitable gift through your will or estate plan, which can include bequests, gifts of securities, or naming the church as a beneficiary of your RRSP or life insurance policy. Understanding the various options available empowers you to make informed decisions now that will help secure Westminster's ongoing mission for generations to come.



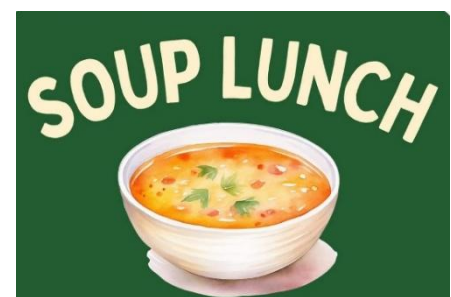
**January 28<sup>th</sup> – Wednesday – at 12:00 noon in the Multi-purpose room .**

Join us for a light lunch while we listen to Brenna Baker with United Church Philanthropy explain our options and answer questions.

### Soup and Bun lunch!

**Sunday, February 22**

After church on Feb 22 come and enjoy some homemade soup and fellowship! Also, there will be a vegan gluten/lactose free soup as well to enjoy for those who need it.



### Ecumenical worship services in Regina

Sunday, Jan 18 at 3:00 pm- New Hope Lutheran Church, 370 McIntosh St N, Regina

Sunday, Jan. 25 at 4:00 pm -Living Spirit Centre  
3018 Doan Dr, Regina

Please see the Poster in the

Downstairs below!

### Project of Heart - Healthcare and the Children of the Qu'Appelle Industrial School

**January 26 to March 23:**

All are welcome to participate in this eight-part series where you'll learn about the health care that the children detained at the Qu'Appelle Industrial School received. This history still has repercussions on Indigenous communities today.

*Project of Heart* facilitates a safe space for reciprocal learning where stories are shared alongside historic context and with art activism. This program responds to the Calls to Action outlined in the Truth and Reconciliation Commission and is identified as a recommended activity by the Commission.

No Charge to attend!

See poster in Fellowship Hall to register.

