

Westminster United Church
Week of August 2nd, 2026 – Announcements

Westminster Staff:

Minister: Darrell Reine he/him
Office Administrator: Baljeet Kaur she/her
Caretaker: Ghezze Araya he/him
Organist: Rina Schmidt she/her
Choir Director: Sarah Keefe she/her
Sunday School: Kathleen Houston she/her

Our Contact Information:

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Sundays Scripture Readings:

Genesis: 32: 22 – 31
Psalm 17
Matthew: 14: 13 – 21

Saskatchewan Pastoral Charges Held in Prayer:

We hold in prayer and extend our best wishes for a healthy ministry to the following:
Theodore
Unity, Meridan (SM) (Evesham, Unity)
Wapella

Stewardship Second:

Generosity is what transforms five loaves and two fish into a feast for five thousand.

Westminster Meetings & Services

Sun August 2 -10:30 am– Worship Service
Mon 10:00am- Walking Group
Tues 9:30am – WUC Knitting Group
Wed 10:00am- Forever in Motion
Sat Sept 12 10am-Annual Healing Garden
Celebration and Craft Sale

Emergency Pastoral Care Coverage:

Dexter Van Dyke 306-789-1622
Christa Eidsness **Backup**-306-525-9128



This Sunday, we welcome back Dexter Van Dyke who will be leading the service. Welcome & thank you very much to Nathan Pylypuk for sharing your musical talents by playing the organ and piano during worship on Sunday, August 2, 2026.

A special thank you as well to George and Barbara Hildebrandt for providing the special music on Sunday, August 2, 2026. Your gifts and dedication are greatly appreciated.

Bread for Carmichael – Sunday August 2nd



join others by bringing a loaf/loaves of bread or monetary donations to help feed the hungry through Carmichael Outreach. A simple loaf or two can help in dealing with the hunger

problem in our city. These meet some of our Core Values - Active Caring – within our church and the broader community & Meaningful Relationships – in our own faith community as well as our neighbourhood and beyond.

Celebration Cake Sunday – August 2nd

stay after church for a time of fellowship celebrating the birthdays and anniversaries of August!



GOD  **LOVES YOU.**

CONSTRUCTION & PARKING UPDATE

Please be aware that road construction is taking place around the church, and access and parking may be affected.

The **Cameron Street sidewalk south of our west doors has not been removed**. The **west doors remain accessible from the north side of the building**.

13th Avenue is no longer closed.

Our staff will be parking away from the church whenever possible to leave the available parking spaces for those who arrive first.

The church parking spaces (available on a first-come, first-served basis), street parking on **13th Avenue east of Cameron Street**, along **Robinson Street** and the **Safeway** parking lot, where appropriate

Thank you for your patience and understanding as the construction continues. We look forward to welcoming you to worship.

WUC Justice & Reconciliation News

We have two wonderful events coming up with more details on the way...**SAVE THE DATES**

Thursday, August 27th - The 9th Annual powwow at Ranch Ehrlo Society's Pilot Butte campus.

A group of us will be attending this powwow. We would love you to join us to experience a day of culture, learning, and community. A carpool will be organized to meet at the church at noon. If you are interested in attending and carpooling (passenger or driver), please sign-up by contacting the church office (306) 757-6444. Questions? Contact Kathy Tice (306) 527-8684

Saturday, September 12

The Annual Healing Garden (Kâkesimokamik) Celebration at Westminster United Church
Indigenous Craft Sale 10:00am – 4:00pm
Program 12 noon – 1:30pm

This event offers the opportunity to learn, connect, and walk together on the journey of healing and reconciliation through Indigenous dance, song, and personal reflections of intergenerational trauma and the enduring strength, resilience, and hope found on the path to healing. There will also be a **food truck, rock painting**, and other activities for all ages.

Building Fund – Darrell's Office Project

If you would like to support the Darrell's Office Project, please designate your donation by

writing "**Building Fund – Darrell's Office**" in the "**Other**" section of your offering envelope. If you are giving by e-transfer, please include "**Building Fund – Darrell's Office**" in the memo/message field.

This designation will ensure your donation is directed to the Building Fund while also identifying it as support for the **Darrell's Office Project**.

