

Westminster United Church

Week of August 9, 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:

Phone: 306-757-6444
Website: www.wucregina.ca

Sundays Scripture Readings:

Genesis 37:1- 4, 12 – 28; Matthew 14:22-33

Saskatchewan Pastoral Charges Held in Prayer:

We hold in prayer and extend our best wishes for a healthy ministry to the following:
Turtle River Parish (SM) (*Glaslyn, Meota, Mervin, Turtleford*)

Stewardship Second:

Caring for the financial health of your community of faith is not a sprint to be accomplished with one time of worship or one campaign. It is a marathon which is accomplished by developing relationships, expressing gratitude, and teaching generosity as a spiritual practice.

Westminster Meetings & Services

Sun August 9 -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 Yvonne Terry to the pulpit. Returning to play the organ/piano is Nathan Pylypuk.

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 doors remain accessible from the north side of the building as the sidewalk has not been removed. 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.



Thank you very much for supporting Lumsden Beach Camp. Your gift ensures that hundreds of young people can be outside, making friends, learning about themselves, and building community summer after summer.

The leadership at Lumsden Beach Camp has a lot of faith that the community of people who love this place—who know that children and youth have their lives changed and are shaped into amazing leaders—will share and ensure that LBC continues to thrive. Thank you for being part of that.

Your support, generosity, and passion provide the leadership team with fuel to keep growing, innovating and strengthening Lumsden Beach Camp. Thank you!

Upcoming Regina and Area Cluster Events and Opportunities August 29

If anyone in your congregation is interested in being part of the planning they can reach out to Rev. Jenny Krall at jennikrall@gmail.com. In particular we are looking for people/congregation(s) willing to host the hot dog roast and potluck, participate in planning the vespers service, and help arrange car pooling.

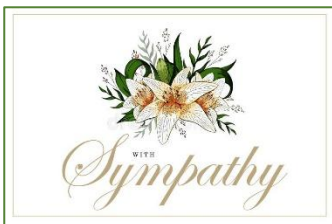


Building Fund – Darrell's Office Project

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.



It is with sadness that we announce **Vic Neudick** passed away this week in his 100 year. A memorial service celebrating Vic's life will be held on Saturday,

August 15, at 11:00 a.m. at Westminster United Church. We extend our heartfelt sympathy and prayers to Vic's family and friends during this time of loss.

Cleaning Bee – Wednesday, August 12 1:00 pm

We will be cleaning the stage and trolleys under the stage. Few extra hands would be helpful. There's not much left to do. Thank you to such amazing volunteers.

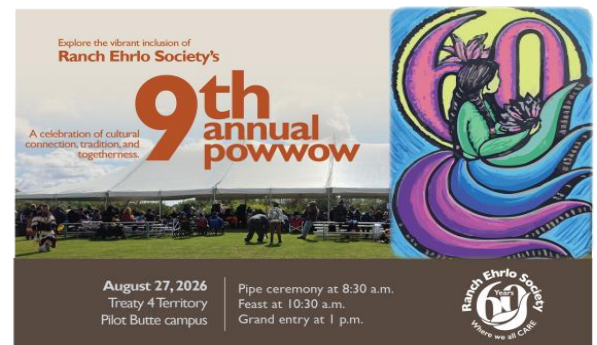


WUC Justice & Reconciliation News

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.