

Augustana Lutheran Church

Lutherans and Anglicans worshipping together

ANNOUNCEMENTS

10:30 AM, February 26, 2023

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Our Parish Calendar

Monday	11:30 am	Funeral viewing
Monday	1:00 pm	Celebration of Life for Diana Fast
Tuesday	7:00 am	Spiritual Growth Group (Zoom)
Tuesday	9:30 am	Saskatoon Clergy Ministerial
Tuesday	10:00 am	Forever in Motion
Tuesday	1:30 pm	Bible Study
Tuesday	6:30 pm	Concordia Jr. Alpenrose Dancers
Wednesday	8:00 am	Men's Book Club (Zoom)
Wednesday	3:00 pm	ELW
Wednesday	7:00 pm	The Living Room NA Group
Wednesday	7:30 pm	Mid-Lent Service (Zion)
Thursday	10:00 am	Forever in Motion
Thursday	7:00 pm	Choir
Friday	2:00 pm	World Day of Prayer
Saturday	3:00 pm	The Tea Room AA Group
Sunday	10:30 am	EL Worship & Holy Communion
Sunday	11:45 am	Potluck & Annual Meeting

Lenten Schedule (all start times are 7:30 pm)

Week 2 (March 8)	HOST: Augustana	PREACHER: King of Glory
Week 3 (March 15)	HOST: Resurrection	PREACHER: Good Shepherd
Week 4 (March 22)	HOST: Good Shepherd	PREACHER: Zion
Week 5 (March 29)	HOST: Redeemer	PREACHER: Resurrection

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Lutherans Connect: Before the Cross

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A Thinker's Tea Party - A lecture series meant to gather community and share conversation at **The Refinery - 609 Dufferin Ave.** Saskatoon.

On **February 28th** the topic is **Race and Stereotypes: Understanding and addressing stereotypes in Canada with Scott Thompson**. This talk addresses the questions of "what is race?" and "how do we address racial stereotypes?" It starts out by explaining how widely held ideas about "race" are not supported by scientific evidence, and then explains the history behind the term, and the (non-race) reasons why Europeans were able to conquer and colonize the world. Special attention is given to Settler / First Nations relations in Canada, and "Indian" stereotypes.

Please join us for the **World Day of Prayer, Friday March 3rd at 2 PM at Augustana**. The theme for this year's service is "**I Have Heard About Your Faith**" and is written by the women of Taiwan.

Offerings received through the World Day of Prayer transform our prayers into action in the form of project grants empowering women and children in our own country and throughout the world. All regions share in the grants, with consideration given to the greatest need.

Refreshments will be served following the service. Everyone is invited and encouraged to attend. You can find more information about Taiwan at <https://worlddayofprayer.net/taiwan-2023.html>

CLWR continues to appeal for help to support their response to the earthquake in Syria and Türkiye, including keeping their partners in your prayers. If you'd like to give today to support people affected by this earthquake, please visit clwr.org/earthquake or call 1-800-661-2597 (office hours Mon-Fri, 9am-4pm).

And as we mark one year since the **invasion of Ukraine**, we ask that you continue to pray for CLWR's partners who are delivering life-saving aid, and for the millions of families who have lost everything. Your support has provided incredible hope and help — thank you for your compassion. For the most recent updates on our relief efforts in Ukraine, please visit www.clwr.org/ukraine-response.

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