

Augustana Lutheran Church

Lutherans and Anglicans worshipping together

ANNOUNCEMENTS

10:30 AM, June 11, 2023

2nd Sunday after Pentecost

Four Colleges Summer Conference in Saskatoon, **June 20-22**. Theme is *“decolonizing our churches, reweaving our lives: experience, reflection, transformation”*. Panelists and workshop leaders coming for the conference include Dr. Michel Andraos, Dean, Saint-Paul University, Ottawa; Dr. Christine Jamieson, Concordia University, Montreal; Dr. Néstor Medina, Emmanuel College, Toronto School of Theology; and Rev. Dr. Ali Tote, Assistant to the Bishop, Saskatchewan Synod, ELCIC. For full details and agenda, and to register visit : <https://lutherantheological.ca/conference-2023>

Please join us for **Spark 2023 (June 13, 2023 @ WDM)** a showcase of older Queer seniors in Saskatchewan. This year is a celebration of the 30th anniversary of the changes to Saskatchewan's Human Rights Code.

Highlights for this year's event include:

- art by queer artists
- displays that highlight our local and provincial queer history
- fun things to do
- we are inviting you to tell us your stories so that we can create a memory book on our history, so bring a memento, a story or something that you can tell us about your/our Queer past.
- a banquet and concert by Jeffery Straker (cost for this is \$40 or a underemployed rate of \$10)

Register here for [tickets](#) OR email Cheryl at sparkyourpride2022@gmail.com

Let Justice and Peace Flow: Celebrating the Season of Creation

You are invited to a free webinar on **June 22, 2023, at 3 pm**, on ways to prepare our congregations for the Season of Creation. Our panel consists of Rev. Dr. Jennifer Janzen-Ball, Executive Minister for Theological Leadership, United Church of Canada; Very Rev. Ken Gray, retired Dean of St. Paul's Anglican Cathedral in Kamloops; and Dr. Carl Bear, Music Director, St. Mark's Anglican Church, Ottawa.

The Season of Creation begins on September 1, the World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation, and culminates on October 4, the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi, patron of ecology and animals.

Resources are available at <https://seasonofcreation.org>. For further details, contact Deacon Christine Burton at christineburton1@gmail.com or ph/text 306-540-7903. **To register:** <https://bit.ly/42p2rzb>

June marks **Pride Month** as well as **National Indigenous History Month in Canada**.

The second **Assembly of the Anglican Church of Canada** and the **Evangelical Lutheran Church in Canada** will be held in Calgary, Alberta from **June 27 to July 2**. The Anglican General Synod will be meeting at the same time as the ELCIC Special Convention, with a number of joint sessions involving both bodies for worship, fellowship, Bible study, presentations and other discussions—with other matters such as voting and convention business being conducted separately.

Information is available at <https://www.anglicanlutheran.ca/assembly/>

Lutheran Campus Ministry Fundraiser supper is coming back after four years! It is a joy-filled fellowship meal together with all who care for and support this exciting ministry to post-Secondary students. You are encouraged to keep **Saturday evening, September 23rd** open and available to come together at **Zion Lutheran Church** to hear how the ministry has navigated COVID, how it has evolved and grown. You can enjoy a great meal catered by Mulberry's, entertainment and have opportunity to offer your prayers, your stewardship and your support, Mark your calendar and watch for more information later in the Summer.

CAMP COMPASSION: A DAY CAMP FOR KIDS AT QUEEN'S HOUSE

Tuesday August 8 – Friday August 11, 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM

Families are invited to consider signing their kids up for Camp Compassion - a four-day summer camp where kids will explore what it means to have compassion for others, ourselves, and the world. These themes will be explored through music, play, art, and friendship. Lunch and snacks will be provided. Open to kids, kindergarten to grade 6. Camp limited to 45 kids, and provided in partnership with the Prairie Centre for Ecumenism and several Saskatoon Churches. Register soon at https://qh.retreatportal.com/events/f?p=EVENTS:2:::::PO_EMBED,PROGRAM_ID:0,12314

The **Lutheran Anglican Women's Retreat** Committee is looking for volunteers to serve with us for an annual retreat to be held **Saturday October 21, 2023**.

We are serving the Lord through providing a retreat experience to nurture spiritual growth and faith in women, develop relationships and communication with one another and with God, and offer the opportunity to learn from a variety of speakers. For more information or to volunteer, please contact Lorraine Harilstad at 306-370-7260.