

The Word of the Lord

Old Testament Reading: **Deuteronomy 18:15-20**

The LORD your God will raise up for you a prophet like me from among you, from your fellow Israelites. You must listen to him. For this is what you asked of the LORD your God at Horeb on the day of the assembly when you said, “Let us not hear the voice of the LORD our God nor see this great fire anymore, or we will die.” The LORD said to me: “What they say is good. I will raise up for them a prophet like you from among their fellow Israelites, and I will put my words in his mouth. He will tell them everything I command him. I myself will call to account anyone who does not listen to my words that the prophet speaks in my name. But a prophet who presumes to speak in my name anything I have not commanded, or a prophet who speaks in the name of other gods, is to be put to death.”

Gospel Reading: **Mark 1:21-28**

Jesus Drives Out an Impure Spirit

They went to Capernaum, and when the Sabbath came, Jesus went into the synagogue and began to teach. The people were amazed at his teaching, because he taught them as one who had authority, not as the teachers of the law. Just then a man in their synagogue who was possessed by an impure spirit cried out, “What do you want with us, Jesus of Nazareth? Have you come to destroy us? I know who you are—the Holy One of God!” “Be quiet!” said Jesus sternly. “Come out of him!” The impure spirit shook the man violently and came out of him with a shriek. The people were all so amazed that they asked each other, “What is this? A new teaching—and with authority! He even gives orders to impure spirits and they obey him.” News about him spread quickly over the whole region of Galilee.

Extra reading: **1 Corinthians 8:1-13**

Concerning Food Sacrificed to Idols



With Authority

Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany
January 28, 2024



What's Happening

Youth Group

Thursdays at 7:30pm at the church.
Open to all students in grades 7-12!

Community Hymn Sing

Will be held at the Gem of the West Museum in Coaldale on Jan. 28th at 3:00pm. Hope to see you there!

Mental Health Matters

Join us for session 4 of 8 on Wednesday, January 31st from 7-8:30pm. Call the church office to register.

Young Adults Pickleball

Sunday, February 4 from noon-2pm.
Bring your gym clothes!

"Is Genesis History?"

This 5-session study on the documentary film by Del Tackett is scheduled to begin on Feb. 5th and runs Monday nights from 7-9pm. A sign-up sheet is available in the lobby.

Serving at Lethbridge Food Bank

Sign up to serve with us on Sunday, February 11 from 2:30-4:30pm.

♥ "Seniors" Valentine's Day Luncheon ♥

11:30am on Monday, February 12 at the church. Thanks for all who signed up!



From the Book Nook (Bev's pick for January)

This novel tells an unforgettable story about three courageous women – one English, one German, one French whose lives are utterly changed by WWII. Sophia, Hazel, and Rose come from very different backgrounds and are each determined to become part of the Resistance. Often women were only allowed to help the war effort as nurses, but in this novel the women we meet are practically daredevils...parachuting into occupied France? Will their united front be strong enough to see them through?

Elim Society for Senior's Care

Hiring a live-in manager for southside apartment building Balmoral House. Ideal position for a couple! Includes rent-free 2-bedroom (tax deductible) unit. Major duties include cleaning of common areas, renting suites and minor maintenance. For full job description or to forward your resume, please go to elimlethbridge.ca. Feb. 23 is closing date for applications.

Spring Youth Retreat

In April 2024, we are travelling to the Alberta Lutheran Spring Youth Retreat. This weekend gathering, from April 19th to 21st, in Leduc, Alberta, promises a unique experience to study God's word, worship, and serve. It'll be an enriching and fun-filled experience that guarantees spiritual growth, fellowship, and lasting memories. Talk to Kris to find out more!

Youth Gathering 2025 New Orleans

The Gathering provides young people a vision for the vastness of Christ's Church and equips them for service as they continue their walk with Jesus. Youth and their parents/guardians are invited to join Kris and Pastor Lee for a complementary lunch on Sunday, March 10th at noon to hear more.

This Week

SUNDAY

(JAN. 28)

9:00am Worship Service
11:00am Worship Service/Communion
11:15am Sunday School
12:00pm Media & Tech Ministries meeting
12:00pm Coffee & Fellowship

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

3:30pm LEGO Club
1:00pm Empty Spools
3:30pm LEGO Club
7:00pm Mental Health Matters (Session 4)

THURSDAY

1:30pm Bridge
6:00pm Confirmation
7:30pm Youth Night

SUNDAY

(FEB. 4)

9:00am Worship Service/Communion
10:00am Coffee & Fellowship
11:00am Worship Service
11:15am Sunday School

OFFICE HOURS

LITTLE LAMBS

PICKLEBALL TIMES

Open Monday through Friday from 8:30am-2:30pm

Classes Mondays through Thursdays, 9am-3:15pm

Download TeamReach App (Group Code: KITCH3N)

Please be Praying for:

Craig Johnson	Edeltraut Schwarz	Richard & Linnea's	Achik Duot
Emil Dorok	Adele Oglesby	daughter-in-law	Bev and Dick Dunn as
Betty Nicol	Christel Spitzer	Kenda	they mourn the loss
Pastor Phil and Irene	Don Vincent	Willie Kuhn	of her brother Jim
Jorgensen	Lloyd Pedersen	Linda Egli's family	Lori Friesen's sisters
Peter Wigand	Sigrid Heinrich	Joy Leigh Rude	Sherrie and Judith
Carole McDermott	Jim Porteous	Kathy Kogler	
Lucille Duke	Tove Ipsen	Alison Napper	

Please pray for the Lord's abiding comfort on the death of our dear brother in Christ, Bert Witt and for Hilda Seeman and her family on the death of her father-in-law Joseph.