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The United Church of Canada
L'Église Unie du Canada

Weekly Schedule		
	Social Hall	Monday
Moose Jaw Scouting		5:00pm
Yoga in Moose Jaw	Chapel	Monday Thursday
		6:30pm
Crazy Happy Zumba	Social Hall	Tuesday Thursday
		6:30pm
Line Dancing	Social Hall	Wednesday
		10:00am
Bible Study	Ministers' office	Wednesday
		10:00am
Easy Does It (AI Anon)	Lounge & Court	Wednesday
		7:00pm
Hi-Steppers (A.A.)	Lounge & Court	Friday
		7:00pm
Yoga with Sue	Chapel	Wednesday Tues./Thurs.
		4:30pm 9:30am
OSI-CAN (Private)	Harmony Room	Tuesday
		7:00pm
Choir practice	Harmony Room	Sunday
		9:30am
MJ Chinese Christians	Lounge & Court	Sunday
		2:00pm

Committee meetings

UCW – 1st Wednesday @ 2 pm

Outreach – 2nd Thursday @ 4pm

Worship – 3rd Friday bi-monthly @ 9:30am

Children's/Young at Heart Time

Opening Prayer and Lord's Prayer:

Every generation has found its home in you, God our provider, and discovered that every moment spent in your holy presence lasts beyond all imaginable time.

You watch over us in the night, cradling us in your arms as tenderly as a mother cares for her children, and her neighbor's.

Full of wisdom, you humbled yourself that we might learn to love those who have been swept aside by a callous and cruel world.

God of grace, you call us to act in ways of love and peace to all we meet in this life.

In the leaves dancing across autumn's lawns; in the crisp, new snowfall crunching beneath our feet; in the new life flowering in the spring; in the fresh breeze on a summer's day: from everlasting to everlasting you proclaim your love for us, Spirit of Life. God in community, Holy One, continue to be the dwelling place of our minds, our hearts, our souls, even as we pray as Jesus taught:

We pray to you who is our Mother and our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory, forever and ever. Amen

Scripture Reading:

1st Reading Leviticus 19:1-2, 15-18 & Psalm 1

2nd Reading: 1st Thessalonians 2: 1-8

Gospel: Matthew 22: 34-46

Tracy Fairfield (CCS Alumnus 2008) as she shares some learnings and insights, through engaging talks and activities, based on her experience at a clergy wellness retreat put on by BC LeaderShift, at Naramata Centre. Loneliness and isolation are definitely very different things, but regardless which you feel, as a layperson, clergy, theology student, deacon or deaconess, your vocation impacts your mental health and well-being. In this brave and safe space, you can share and be with one another in confidence and trust. If you want to peruse a book in advance that sheds more light on this topic, check out: A Path to Belonging: Overcoming Clergy Loneliness by Mary Kay DuChene and Mark Sundby. CCS Fridays events are free. To register: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/9133733333>

NEW: Angels from Heaven to Earth: Engaging the Mystery Together A Zoom-Based Retreat Series Mondays, Nov. 27, Dec. 4, 11 and 18, 2023 from 1:30-5:00 CST Stories abound of people from every culture sharing experiences of angels coming as thoughts, visions, dreams, animals, light on the water or in the clouds, and as people too. During this Advent retreat we will take time to share the mysteries, of Heavenly Angels to Earthly Angels, as we explore and respond to the qualities that are believed to be part of the essence of Angels. For full details visit: <https://www.freeflowwellness.ca/retreats>

NEW: Rural Church Network (US and Canada) Spring Meeting - June 18-21, 2024 at Cochrane, AB The Rural Church Network of the USA and Canada (RCN) is coming to Mount St. Francis in Cochrane (near Calgary) and CiRCLe M (Centre for Rural Community Leadership and Ministry) out of Saskatoon Theological Union will host them. Planned events include: meeting time, a field trip to a local farm, a trip to Morley, a Stoney Nakota community to hear about the

Final Hymn: VU # 418 Go Forth for God

Blessing and Sending:

Thank you to everyone who participated in today's worship service. Please remember that St. Andrew's United is "Scent-Free".

Latest news from St. Andrews:

Donations:

Attendance October 15 - 33

Local: \$913.37

Other donations:

M & S: \$62.70

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Announcements:

Last chance for the UCW Beef supper tickets! See Louise after the service or come see Cheryl in the office next week!

The lunch for John Howard participants has resumed. It is on Thursdays from 11am until 1pm. See Karen Mundt or Sandra Fowler if you want to help. Cookies and goodies are always welcome!

Sponsor a bulletin cover! The dates & suggested covers are in the Narthex. \$7.50 for each week.

Zion is having a violin recital by Jean-Samuel Bez from France! November 2nd at 7pm. Admission is free, donations accepted.