



Welcome to Sunday Morning Worship 10:30 a.m., May 11, 2025



MISSION STATEMENT

"St. Andrew's United Church is a progressive worshiping community dedicated to spiritual growth, caring, and inclusivity that is providing outreach to the community and the world."

Our worship leader is Neil Colmin. Jenna Nash leads the choir with Karen Purdy and Hannah Elich taking turns on the piano/organ; their music brings life and joy to our Sunday mornings!

Please note: We will not be passing the plate; there is a box for your donations at the Sanctuary entrance.

Please join us for coffee and refreshments after the service!

Announcements:

Celebration Box:

Congratulations to you. May the dear Lord bless you. May God's special blessing descend upon you.

Lighting of the Christ Candle:

The Lord is my light and my salvation.

Jesus, the Light of the World. Amen

Acknowledgement of the Territories

Call to Worship:

Our Lord is the Good Shepherd. In his goodness he supplies our every need.

The Lord is our Shepherd, and he takes perfect care of us.

Our Lord is the Good Shepherd. He leads us into safety and gives us strength for the journey.

The Lord is our Shepherd, who grants us rest and restores our souls.

Our Lord is the Good Shepherd. He sought us out when we were lost, calling us by our names.

The Lord is our Shepherd, and he has carried us home. Amen.

Hymn VU# 334 All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name

Children's/Young at Heart Time

Opening Prayer and Lord's Prayer (All):

Lord, we would follow you wherever you might lead.

Lord, we would follow you. Forgive us when we stumble and when we stray. Forgive us when, distracted we lose our way. Be the one to whom we turn, whose hand we hold, the Shepherd who leads us safely to the fold. Lord, we would follow you wherever you might lead.

Lord, we would follow you.

As we prepare our hearts to receive your word and our spirits to respond in eagerness. Let us pray together the way Jesus taught saying:

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 Acts 9:36-43

2nd Reading: Psalm 23 (VU page 749, refrain 2)

Gospel: John 10:22-30

Response:

These are our words from scripture. May God bless our understanding.

Reflection: Follow Me

Hymn VU# 232 Joyful, Joyful, We Adore You

Offertory Prayer & Dedication:

O God, Jesus taught that where our treasure is, there will our hearts be also.

In this hour, we come bringing our treasures, all that we have and all that we are.

We come seeking your treasure, treasure that does not fade, decay, or disappoint.

O God, you provide us so many wonderful gifts that make our lives worth living. The gifts of family and friends, the gifts of love and laughter, the gift of your son Jesus. As humble servants it is right that we should show our gratitude and give back. May the gifts of our time, talent and treasure be used for God's work and glory. Amen

Minute for Mission Response Hymn MV# 138 My

Love Colours Outside the Lines

Prayers of the People:

Final Hymn VU# 337 Blessed Assurance

Blessing and Sending:

Thank you to everyone who participated in today's worship service.

Please remember that St. Andrew's United is "Scent-Free".

Living Skies Regional Council Prayer Cycle 2025

Family Sunday
International Day against Homophobia, Transphobia
and Biphobia (May 17)
Marsden, Neilburg (Neilburg) Maymont
Melville: First

Announcements:

St Andrews United Church, Moose Jaw Closing Service is being Held June 29th, 2025 at 2pm Guest Minister/Worship Leader Jim Tenford. Service Followed By Refreshments and a time of Fellowship Everyone Welcome

SAVE THE DATE!

100th Anniversary Service for the United Church of Canada on June 1, 2025 at 7:00 pm at Zion United Church. Four guest ministers and various musical

groups, including a mass choir. Coffee and social time to follow!

For all who love to sing: you are invited to join the 100th Anniversary
Choir for the United Church of Canada Centennial Service at Zion on June
1st! The choir will sing two anthems at the anniversary service. There will be four practices in which you are welcome to participate (but even if you can't make the May practices, we still welcome you to sing on June 1st):

- * Tues, May 13 (arrive just before 7 pm as the office door is locked at 7 pm)
- * Wed, May 21 (just before 7 pm)
- * Wed, May 28 (just before 7 pm)
- * Sun, June 1 (6 pm practice before the service starts at 7 pm)

Church Office Hours are Posted on the Office Door

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Committee meetings
UCW – 1st Wednesday @ 2 pm
Outreach – 2nd Thursday @ 4pm
Worship – 3rd Friday bi-monthly @ 9:30am
Choir practice – Sundays 9:30 a.m.