

# Welcome to Third Ave

from the Pews . . . and beyond

April 2, 2017

The Mission of Third Avenue United Church is to reach out with love and provide a welcoming place, especially for downtown people. We offer strength, courage, and support in a safe nurturing environment.

**We welcome everyone joining us this Sunday.**

If you would like information on the church activities, contact us:

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## This Week: April 2 - 9

This Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
Church Office Closed 9:45a.m. Choir Practice 10:30a.m. <b>Lent 5</b> Service 12:30a.m. Lenten Study	Church Office Closed 7:00p.m. Knit & Crochet Group	Church Office 9-4 Minister's Hours 10:30-1 10:30a.m. Staff Mtg.	Church Office 9-3 Minister's Hours 1-4 11:30a.m. Weight Watchers
Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Next Sunday
Church Office 9-3 Minister's Hours 10:30-5 10:30a.m. Lenten Study	Church Office 9-4 Minister's Hours 9-1 7:00p.m. Youth Game Night 7:15p.m. Youth Mom's Night Out	Church Office Closed 	Church Office Closed 9:30a.m. Choir Practice 10:30a.m. <b>Palm Sunday</b> Service 12:30p.m. Lenten Study

## Third Avenue United Church Information

### Social Time



Please join us for coffee in the Narthex before service and for coffee and snacks downstairs after the service. We would love to meet you and get to know you better.

### Seder Supper

Sign up sheets are up on the lower hall bulletin board for our Seder Supper and kosher potluck to be held on Maundy Thursday, April 13 at 5:30 p.m.



If you are able to attend or donate a needed item please sign the appropriate sheet.

The formal foods needed for the meal are: Haroset, Parsley, Boiled Eggs, Horseradish, Matzo Bread and Grape Juice.

### Lenten Study



The Study will be today at 12:15 p.m. and will run every Sunday in Lent and every Thursday at 10:30a.m.

### Youth Game Night

Want to have fun playing games like the Game of Things, Love Letters, Anomia, etc. Teens invite your friends to this fun and loud group.

Friday, April 7 from 7-9 p.m.  
Potluck snacks.

### Tulips

We will once again be ordering tulips for Easter Sunday. They will decorate the sanctuary for the service and then you are welcome to take yours home after.



Cost for cut flowers: \$10  
If you would like to place an order please talk to Philip before April 9.

### Mom's Night Out

Once a month the youth Mom's go out, relax and visit with each other. It's a fun night with lots of laughs, great stories and helpful tips. Any mom's with kids 18 years or younger are invited this Friday, April 7 at 7:15 at Factory Tap Behind Earls

*(Teens can be dropped off at the Game Night)*

### Givings

#### March 26

General (Local)	\$	810.00
Mission & Service	\$	5.00
Benevolent	\$	10.00
Coffee	\$	4.95
Loose	\$	10.50
<b>Total Offering</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>840.45</b>

### Donations

If you would like to make a donation to the church by credit card please go to the Canada Helps button on the website

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### Annual Meeting

**Our Annual meeting will be held on Sunday, April 9 after the soup lunch.**

If you are interested in helping on any committees please talk to Kenneth Holmes.



## Church Duties

### Baking and Cleanup

This Week: Last names starting with A - L.

**Next Week: Last names starting with M - Z.**

Please bring a donation of baking or goodies for snack to allow us to continue this great time of fellowship. If you are able, please come to help get ready for snack time or stay after to help with clean up.

## Readers/Greeters

We would like to have lay readers participate in the service. The reading sign up sheet is on the bulletin board downstairs. We could also use greeters to welcome our congregation members and guest each week.

## Thank you



Thank you to Kerry Agnew for filling in as our pianist today.

## Scripture - April 9

### Liturgy of the Palms

Matthew 21:1–11  
Jesus enters Jerusalem.

Psalm 118:1–2, 19–29 (VU p. 837)  
The stone the builders rejected.



### Liturgy of the Passion

Isaiah 50:4–9a

The suffering servant struck and insulted.

Psalm 31:9–16 (VU p. 758)  
My times are in your hands.

Philippians 2:5–11

Let the same mind be in you as was in Jesus.

Matthew 26:14–27:66 or Matthew 27:11–54  
The passion of Jesus.

## Prayer Cycle

### April 2

Unity, Meridan  
(Evesham, Unity)  
Wakaw  
Wapella  
Regina: Wesley



Unity  
United  
Church

### April 9

Watrous, Young  
Regina: Westminster  
Weyburn: Grace  
Wilke, Scott

## Community Events

Gustin House Spring Recital:  
Janina Fialkowska, piano ~ Monday, April 3  
St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church,  
436 Spadina Cres.  
Performance 7:30 p.m., pre-concert talk 6:45 p.m.  
World-renowned pianist Janina Fialkowska returns to the Lyell Gustin Recital Series to give an all-Chopin recital in the year celebrating our country's sesquicentennial. An artist of rare distinction, Fialkowska is internationally acclaimed for her exquisite pianism, lyrical sound and profound musical integrity.

### **Saskatoon Youth Orchestra**

Sunday, April 9 at 6:30 p.m. TCU Place  
Symphony No. 5 Beethoven –conductor Jerry He  
Violin Concerto No. 5 Vieuxtemps  
– violinist Brandon Johnson  
Star Wars: The Force Awakens Williams  
Beatles Forever Lennon, McCartney  
Advance tickets: \$20 adults, \$15 seniors/student  
McNally Robinson, Picatic.com, www.syo.ca  
\$25/\$20 at the door

St. Thomas Wesley United Church  
ANNUAL "CHILI SUPPER" and Silent auction  
(Meat & vegetarian chili, variety salads ,buns,  
pickles and deluxe dessert bar)  
Over 150 items to bid on: collectibles, gift  
certificates, food and service vouchers.  
Saturday, April 8, 2017  
Avenue H and 20<sup>th</sup> Street  
Lower Hall (Use Glass Doors)  
Wheel Chair Accessible  
Supper: between 4:30 and 6 p.m.  
Tickets at the door: Adults: \$10  
Children (12 & under): \$2 (6 & under): Free  
Viewing and Bidding 4:00 – 6:30 p.m.  
Final Bids at 6:30 p.m.

### Saskatoon Children's Choir Spring Concert

Many Hearts: One Voice  
Friday, April 7 at 7:30 p.m.  
Knox United Church  
Tickets: \$30 and \$15 (limited sight lines)  
Available at McNally Robinson and at the door  
Reserved seating.

**Kids of Note & The Notations** present "Canada Rocks!" — our 12th annual Spring Concert at Grosvenor Park United Church, Sunday, April 9 at 2 pm. What better way to get into the spirit of "Canada 150" than grooving to some of the best songs ever written by Canadian pop, rock and folk stars of the last half-century? For more info and to purchase \$10 ADVANCE tickets, visit **KidsofNote.com**. Tickets are \$12 at the door. We will post availability of tickets at KidsofNote.com by 9:00 a.m. on April 9. Come early to park — this is a well-attended event! (Rather than our traditional reception, a "Meet & Greet" will follow the concert, with music provided by our band.)

On Wednesday, April 19<sup>th</sup>  
at 5:30 pm there will be  
a gala banquet  
at the German Cultural Centre.  
The speaker will be The Right Reverend  
Jordan Cantwell, Moderator of The United  
Church of Canada and entertainment will be  
provided by Sons of Django.  
Deadline to purchase tickets is April 10.  
Tickets are \$100 (partial in tax-credit receipt).  
Tickets are available by calling St. Andrew's  
College at 306-966-8970.



