

# CHRIST EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

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## Welcome

Please make yourself at home. Page and hymn numbers in the order of service may be found in the cranberry-coloured worship book. To know what to do in worship, follow the people around you. If you have questions, don't hesitate to ask the person sitting closest to you.

## Today

For serving in worship we thank:

**Lectors:** Reiner Haussler and Richard Walsh

**Assisting Minister:** Rodny Said

**Ushers:** Garry Wilk and Don Breadner

**Altar Guild:** Pat Hartley

**Coffee Hour:** Dawn and Reiner Haussler (in memory of Ada Stahle, Dawn's grandmother's February 18, 1989, passing)

## This Week



### Happy Birthday



Happy Birthday this week to Wolfgang Wilk, Caitlin Chappell, and Jeff Wilk.

Day	Time	Description
TUES	9:30 AM	Music Together (Tuesday - Saturday)
	10:00 AM	Prayer Shawl
WED	10:00 AM	Omas Siskona of KW
	6:30 PM	Girl Guides (RGH)
	7:30 PM	Lenten Service at All Saints
THURS	10:00 AM	Nia Fitness (RGH)
	7:00 PM	KW Chamber Orchestra (RGH)
	7:30 PM	Choir (S)
FRI	6:00 PM	Sri Abiramy Dance (GM)
SAT	9:00 AM	Joint Confirmation Event at Mt. Zion
	9:30 AM	KW Glee (RGH)
	2:00 PM	KW Glee (GM)
SUN	10:00 AM	Holy Communion, Sunday School
	11:30 AM	Tea Blending

## Holy Communion

### First Sunday in Lent, February 18, 2018

#### GATHERING

Welcome/Announcements

Prelude My Heart Is Filled with Longing Johannes Brahms

Confession and Forgiveness p. 94

Gathering Song 326 Bless Now, O God, the Journey

Greeting

Kyrie p. 98

Prayer of the Day

#### WORD

First Reading Genesis 9:8-17, *The rainbow, sign of God's covenant*

Psalm 25:1-10



Your paths, O LORD, are steadfast love and faithful-ness.

Second Reading 1 Peter 3:18-22, *Saved through water*

Gospel Acclamation p. 103, **Let your steadfast love....**

**One does not live by | bread alone,\* but by every word that comes from the | mouth of God.**

Gospel Mark 1:9-15, *The temptation of Jesus in the wilderness for forty days*

Opening of the Word

Sermon

Hymn of the Day 768 Lead Me, Guide Me

Installation of Church Council

Prayers Lord, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Peace The peace of Christ.... **And also with you.**

#### MEAL

Offering

Anthem O Lord, throughout These Forty Days  
(text at ELW 319)

Offering Hymn 502 The King of Love My Shepherd Is

Offering Prayer

Great Thanksgiving p. 107

Thanksgiving at the Table p. 65, V

The Lord's Prayer 68 SCW Our Father

Communion Hymns 770 Give Me Jesus

325 I Want Jesus To Walk with Me

773 Precious Lord, Take My Hand

Prayers after Communion

#### SENDING

Blessing

Sending Song 618 Guide Me Ever, Great Redeemer

Dismissal Marked with the cross of Christ, go forth

to love and serve the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Postlude O World, I Must Now Leave You Johannes Brahms

## Financial Summary and Attendance

Financial Summary, February 11, 2018	Budget	Offering
Operating Fund	3,452	2,495
Synod and ELCIC Benevolence	370	280
Building / Capital Fund	288	175
Last Sunday's Attendance – 50		

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**Director of Music:** Sheryl Loeffler

**Council Chair:** Conrad Knabenschuh

**Caretakers:** Suna and Armando Limoeiro

**Student Pastor:** Rodny Said

## **Announcements**

### **We're in the Season of Lent**

On February 14, Ash Wednesday, the 40 weekday period of Lent prior to the great Festival of Easter began. Traditionally an austere, solemn season for spiritual disciplines such as fasting, prayer, and acts of generosity (Matthew 6), Lent originally, in the first centuries, was a time when candidates prepared for baptism. From the Middle English root *lente* meaning "Spring" and "lengthening of days," the season of Lent for us can be a time of spiritual renewal, refocussing on what really matters in life – love of God and neighbour – rather than pursuing self-centred ends.

### **Did you Know?**

Words matter. When European colonizers first landed on North American soil, they assumed they had reached lands on the continent we now call Asia. Following this misapprehension, they called the people they found here "Indians." But today, that designation is patently false. Most "first peoples" in North America prefer the designation Indigenous Peoples. Let's honour them by using their own preferred designations!

### **Pancake Supper**

Was a success. A lot of new people came this year to enjoy pancakes and sausages. We raised \$701. Thank you to all the volunteers for all their hard work and for making our pancake supper such a success.

### **Lenten Series**

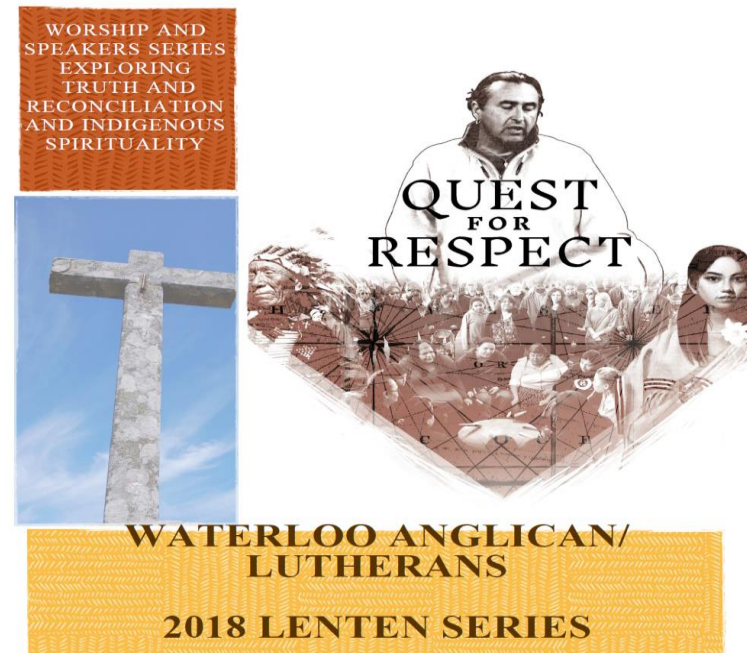
For this Wednesday's Lenten study and evening prayer at 7:30 pm at All Saints Anglican, you may wish to read the following articles in "Quest for Respect" in preparation:

p.7 *Sweetgrass and Jesus Prayers: Called to Respect* by Jeff Friesen & Steve Heinrichs

p.53 *A Mixed Record: Indigenous-Christian Encounters in Canada* by J.R. Miller

p.63 *Land and Community: Indigenous-Christian Encounters in the United States* by Jennifer Graber

p. 153 *Back to the Womb: a Conversation at Turtle Lodge* by Dave Courchene



**February 21 at 7:30 p.m. at All Saints (400 Northfield Dr. W.)**

**February 28 at 7:30 p.m. at All Saints (400 Northfield Dr. W.)**

Special Guest: Bishop Mark MacDonald,  
Anglican National Indigenous Bishop

**March 7 at 7:30 p.m. at Christ Church (445 Anndale Rd.)**

Special Guest: Rev Tom Patterson, Bridge Builder

**March 14 at 7:30 p.m. at Mount Zion (29 Westmount Rd. S.)**

Special Guest: Rev Rosalyn Elm, Priest in Charge,  
Parish of the Six Nations

**March 21 at 7:30 p.m. at Christ Church (445 Anndale Rd.)**

Special Guest: Deacon Scott Knarr,  
Music for the Spirit, Six Nations of the Grand River