

We Welcome You to Worship and Fellowship here at Messiah Lutheran Church

FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY - FEBRUARY 3, 2019 10:30 AM

Today we hear the words of God to Jeremiah as he is appointed and called to be prophet over the nations. He senses his inadequacy and is given the words.

Our greatest call is to love. We only need to listen to the gentle whisper of God's voice to each one of us... and answer the call to bring love and light into the world in our own unique way.



Welcome To All Visitors This Morning

Please visit our Welcome Centre at the back of the sanctuary for information about our congregation and to sign our guest book.

Communion at Messiah

We believe that in this joyous celebration, our crucified and risen Savior Jesus Christ is present with us in word and action. By his gracious love, Christ awakens faith, saves, forgives, unites, gives life, comforts and strengthens us for service.

Please Note: Gluten free bread as well as regular wafers are available. Due to dietary needs, grape juice is available as well as wine. After communion, glasses are placed in a basket at the side of the pews. (**Bread ingredients:** gluten free flour, gluten free baking powder, baking soda, salt, sugar, canola oil, coconut milk, unsweetened apple sauce).


Please join us for



**following the 10:30 am service
in the Fellowship Centre
with hosts Art & Ann Reiten.**

Today

9:15 am	- Adult Education	Fellowship Centre
9:30 am	- Friendship Class	Basement Audit.
10:30 am	- Sunday School	B024
10:30 am	- Worship Service	Sanctuary
11:45 am	- Coffee Fellowship	Fellowship Centre
11:45 am	- Witnessing Committee	Office Staff Room



The Sacrament
of Baptism

Baptized today,
Liam Gordon Hatch
son of
Gordon & Janet Hatch

IN OUR WEEKLY PRAYER CYCLE

Each week we hold in special prayer
some of the people and ministries of Messiah.

This week we pray for: Jesse, Sarah, Jax & Ava Petryshyn; Art & Gail Pfeiffer; Erhard Pinno; Sue Quinlan; Dwayne & Lorraine Radke. We also pray for our Bishops Susan Johnson and Larry Kochendorfer, Pastor Brian Rude, Seasons Retirement Community and our partners in ministry in Canada and around the world who share ministry with us through the Canadian Council of Churches, the Lutheran World Federation and the World Council of Churches.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 4

10:30 am - Lectio
2:00 pm - World Mission Group
@ Pinno's
7:00 pm - Camerata

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 5

10:00 am - Staff Meeting
11:00 am - Laurette Campbell Funeral

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 6

12:00 pm - Announcements Due
4:45 pm - Learning Committee
7:00 pm - ATP Musical Rehearsal
7:15 pm - Service Committee

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 7

10:30 am - Handbells
NO - Confirmation
7:00 pm - Messiah's Choristers
7:00 pm - Support Committee

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 8

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 9

8:45 am - Men's Bible Study

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 10

9:15 am - Adult Education
9:30 am - Friendship Class
10:30 am - Sunday School
10:30 am - Worship Service
11:45 am - Congregational Potluck
2:00 pm - Camerata Retreat
7:00 pm - Fall Planning Session, Part 2
at Larson's



**What are your Pastors up to...
please pray**

Monday: Pastor Bev's day off

Friday: Pastor Calvin's day off

**Along with regular pastoral
ministry and care:**

Pastor Calvin will be attending the
Pastor's Study Conference in
Canmore, Feb 4-7.

Pastor Bev will be presiding at the
funeral of her close friend and former
neighbor.

As well, they both will be taking part
in the Fall Planning Session, Part 2,
Sunday, Feb. 10 with Church Council
and committee representatives.

Next Sunday's Bible Readings

Isaiah 6:1-13

Psalms 138

1 Corinthians 15:1-11

Luke 5:1-11

We are claimed, called and empowered to be God's love in the world.

Setting One

GATHERING

Welcome

The Life of the Community of Faith - Announcements

Song 661 *I Love to Tell the Story*

Greeting & Kyrie page 98

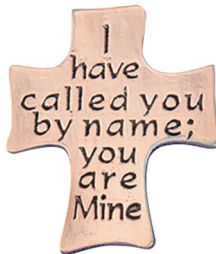
Prayer of the Day

Almighty and ever-living God, increase in us the gifts of faith, hope, and love; and that we may obtain what you promise, make us love what you command, through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.



Baptism

Children's Time



WORD

First Reading - Jeremiah 1:4-10

Psalms 71:1-6

Second Reading - 1 Corinthians 13:1-13

Gospel Acclamation page 102

Gospel - Luke 4:21-30

Sermon - Pastor Bev Swanson

Song 574 *Here I Am, Lord*

Prayers of the People

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

Sharing the Peace

MEAL

Offering

Offering Prayer

Great Thanksgiving page 107

Lord's Prayer page 112

The Lord's Supper

Song *Oh How I Love Jesus*

Song *Take the Name of Jesus With You*

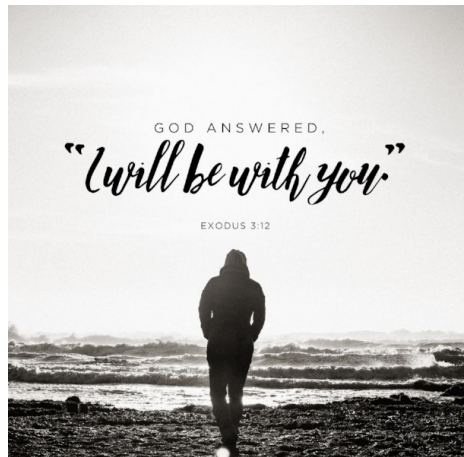
Song *He Hideth My Soul*

Table Blessing

SENDING

Blessing

Song 796 *How Firm a Foundation*



Go in peace. Follow your call to be love and light in the world. **Thanks be to God.**