

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

SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY - FEBRUARY 17, 2019 10:30 AM

**Blessings abound in our text today...
We are invited to find our place in the crowd
among those who desire to touch him and
experience the power of his healing presence
and his blessing.**

**Our Lord Jesus still stands among us in the
mystery of the holy supper with an
invitation to live in him and the power to
heal us and to bless us from the inside out.
Blessed are They...Blessed are You.**



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 Ivar & Carole Saugen.**

Today

9:15 am	- Adult Education	Fellowship Centre
NO	- Friendship Class	Basement Audit.
NO	- Sunday School	B024
10:30 am	- Worship Service	Sanctuary
11:45 am	- Coffee Fellowship	Fellowship Centre

TODAY is Food Bank Sunday

The need is always there!!

Please continue to overflow the grocery cart in the Narthex with gifts for the Food Bank.



**All donations are
greatly appreciated!!**

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: Elsie Richardson; Edna, Margarita, Walter, Manuela & Alejandra Rios; Walter & Doris Ritter; Ken & Shirley Rostad; Carol Roy. We also pray for our Bishops Susan Johnson and Larry Kochendorfer, Pastor Brian Rude, Bethany Meadows and our partners in ministry at Luther College, Lutheran Collegiate Bible Institute, Lutheran Theological Seminary in Saskatoon, and their faculties and staff.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 18

Family Day - Office Closed

NO - Lectio
5:00 pm - Senior Youth Travelling Supper
7:00 pm - Camerata

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 19

10:00 am - Staff Meeting
5:15 pm - Church Council

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 20

12:00 pm - Announcements Due

9:00 am - Quilting
7:00 pm - ATP Musical Rehearsal @
United Church

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 21

NO - Handbells
6:45 pm - Confirmation
NO - Messiah's Choristers

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 22

Messenger Delivery

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 23

8:45 am - Men's Bible Study

Next Sunday's Bible Readings

Genesis 45:3-11, 15
Psalm 37: 1-11, 39-40
1 Corinthians 15:35-38, 42-50
Luke 6:27-38

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 24

9:15 am - Adult Education
9:30 am - Friendship Class
10:30 am - Sunday School
10:30 am - Worship Service
11:45 am - Coffee Fellowship

" There is nothing in the world
so much like prayer
as music is"
William P. Merrill

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 Bev will be leading the service
at Deer Meadows.

Pastor Bev and Pastor Calvin will
both be attending Cluster meeting,
Easter Vigil planning session and
Church Council.

Blessed are you!

Setting One

GATHERING

Welcome

The Life of the Community of Faith - Announcements

Greeting

Prayer of the Day

Living God, in Christ you make all things new. Transform the poverty of our nature by the riches of your grace, and in the renewal of our lives make known your glory, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

Song 322 *Oh, Love, How Deep* vs 1,2 4

Confession and Forgiveness page 94

Song 322 *Oh, Love, How Deep* vs 6, 7

WORD

Children's Time*Kelly Moseson*

First Reading - Jeremiah 17:5-10

Psalm 1 *I Shall Not Be Moved*

Second Reading - 1 Corinthians 15:12-20

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Gospel - Luke 6:17-26

Sermon - Pastor Bev Swanson

Song 728 *Blest Are They*

Apostles' Creed

Prayers of the People

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

Sharing the Peace

MEAL

Offering*Donny Loewen & Norma Ferguson*

Offering Prayer

Great Thanksgiving page 107

Holy Holy page 108

Lord's Prayer page 112

The Lord's Supper

Lamb of God page 112

Song 479 *We Come to the Hungry Feast*

Song 725 *When the Poor Ones*

Table Blessing

SENDING

Blessing

Song 858 *Praise to the Lord, the Almighty*



Go in peace. Be blessed. Be a blessing.
Thanks be to God.