



Lakeview United Affirming Statement

You deserve to be welcomed here.

We strive to ensure there are no barriers to inclusion within the Lakeview community: all races, ethnicities, genders, orientations, gender identities, abilities, ages, and people of all socioeconomic status are welcome.

It is imperative that we recognize the value of diversity and are committed to embracing each individual with joy, compassion and love.

At Lakeview we believe that our community, the ministries which they undertake and the assets which it owns are to be used by all to promote equality and love.

Lakeview is committed to seeking out all races, ethnicities, genders, orientations, gender identities, abilities, ages, and people of all socioeconomic status to serve in all levels of governance, committees. Your voice is important and welcomed.

This is our pledge, that we will do our best to welcome you here.

Treaty 4 Territory

We are privileged to gather today in Treaty 4 Territory which is the traditional territory of the Cree peoples and the homeland of the Métis people.

Order of Service – February 22, 2026 – First Sunday in Lent

Welcome & Announcements

Land Acknowledgement

Lighting of Candles (*silence*)

A Blessing for the Dust (*by Jan Richardson*) (on screen)

Opening Hymn: Save Us, O Lord

Centering Prayer (responsive on screen)

Hymn of the Day: Voices United #115 – Jesus, Tempted in the Desert

Hebrew Reading: Psalm 51: 1 - 17

Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 5: 20 – 6:10

Special Music: Ashes – Emily Ready

The Gospel: Matthew 4: 1 - 11

Sermon

A New Creed (on screen)

Hymn: Voices United #808 On Eagle's Wings

Prayers of the People: (response on screen)

An Invitation to Receive Ashes

The Lord's Prayer (on screen)

A Blessing for the Gifts that Have Been Offered (on screen)

Closing Hymn: More Voices #28 – God of the Bible (vs 1, 2 & 5)

The Blessing

Sung Amen: Voices United #967 (x2)

Dismissal (responsive on screen)

Thank you to all who helped with today's service!

Guest Worship Leader: Cam Fraser

Welcome: Ken Ready

Scripture Reader: Floralyn Wessel

Music Director: Nathan Pylypuk

Special Music: Emily Ready

AV: Chandra Mark

Communications/Social Media: Catherine Ready

Hospitality: Kathy White, Rob Bredin, Judy Ready

Lakeview Newsletter: If you would like to receive the Lakeview email newsletter, please email your name to Cheryl C. in the office at lakeviewuc@sasktel.net and she will have you added.

- ❖ We Pray for the family of Rodger McDonald, who died on February 17th. The service will be on Thursday, February 26th at 1:00 at Lakeview United.

Please note the call of a **Special Meeting** as permitted by the governing Bylaws of the Congregations of Lakeview and Yellow Grass today, following the service. The business to be conducted at this Special Meeting shall include an oral Report from the Search Committee on the state of the New Minister Search. For more information visit: www.lakeviewchurch.ca

Looking Ahead:

- ❖ **Irish Stew Supper** – Preorder Feb 18 – Mar 14 – Call Beverly 306-585-0404. Pick up Sunday, Mar 15.
- ❖ **Easter Bake Sale** – Go to www.lakeviewchurch.ca for ordering details. Pick up Thursday, Apr 2.
- ❖ **New to You Sale** – Friday, April 10 and Saturday, April 11. Details to come.

Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper Thank you to the organizer and volunteers for your time to help with this year's Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper. The supper was another success. Despite our attendance being impacted by the inclement winter weather, those that came enjoyed their meals and the opportunity to stay and visit.

This year we served pancake suppers to approximately 50 people (including volunteers). The left-over pancakes, sausages, syrup, pancake mix and cool whip was delivered to the Salvation Army Waterston House today. They were very happy to receive this donation.

An Invitation to a Shared Rhythm of Availability and Vulnerability

Cam Fraser is our guest worship leader on Feb 8, 22, and March 8. He has invited anyone interested to join in practicing a shared rhythm of spiritual practice over that time. You can sign up to receive a daily email with a short morning prayer and evening examen practice. If you would like to join contact the office or email Cam at cfraser@united-church.ca. On **Sunday, Feb 22 and March 8** you can join Cam for coffee and reflection on these practices before the service from 9:30-10am

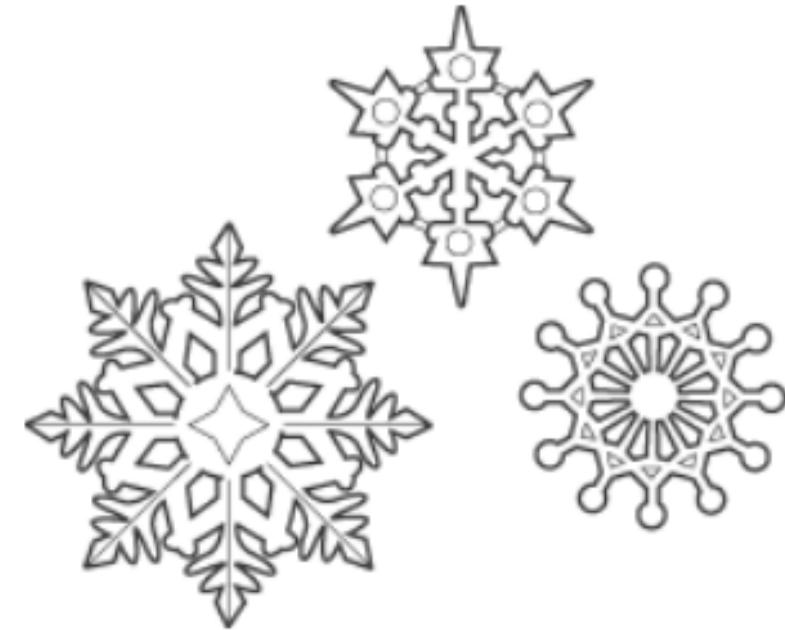
Seniors – Planning Ahead Program

The next Seniors – Planning Ahead Program has been scheduled to run every Tuesday and Thursday beginning on February 24 to March 12, 2026. If you have any questions about the program or would like to be added to the waitlist, please contact Rhonda at 306-581-9057.

Truth and Reconciliation Learning for Non-Indigenous Peoples – being offered by the Regina Native Outreach Ministry. The course consists of four 2.5-hour sessions presented at Heritage United on **Tuesday afternoons and evenings in March**. This course deals with heavy, difficult subjects like racism, white privilege, white guilt, oppression, marginalization, systemic injustices, abuse, denialism, colonization and decolonization. For more information contact Cindy Dorr at 306-533-6858

Income Tax Receipts

Tax receipts for 2025 are ready for pick-up in the Welcome Centre. If you made a donation to Lakeview in 2025 for more than \$20 by offering envelope, PAR, cheque or e-transfer, where we can identify you as the donor, you will be eligible to receive a tax receipt. Donations made through Canada Helps are receipted by Canada Helps. If you are expecting a receipt and there isn't one with your name on it, it means we are missing your mailing address and/or e-mail address. Please contact Ron at r.hopkinson@sasktel.net or text of phone 639-590-6718 if your receipt is missing.



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