

The Painted Wombat Fine Arts Pre-School has been a tenant here at LCOS for the past 4 years. 37 students (3 and 4 year olds) from the community use this space 5 mornings a week. The name "Painted Wombat" comes from director Shauna Woolery Gross's experiences in Australia.

Prayers

Prayers Chain Ministry is always ready to receive prayer requests. Information is kept strictly confidential. Contact Linda Joehnck at 403 279-3770, or the office.

Place your healing strength on:



Bonnie Barton Renee Barton Susan Brick Margaret Brown James Cook

Doreen Cordingley Shirley Hertlein Elaine Koop Dan Nemez Karen Nordgaard Susan Welz

A young woman in need of prayer...

We remember those in care centres or "shut-in" at home, including:

Tom Bergman John Claussen Irene Dekowny Alma Krueger Alexa Nernberg

- Robert Ohlhauser Betty Oldis Betty Sabo Andrew Sands Anne Sands
- Brenda Scott Willy Singbeil Kelly Williams

Loving Father,

So many times I turn away from you

and always you welcome me back.

Your mercy and love gives me confidence.

Thank you for the invitation to share, fast and pray

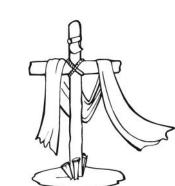
so that you can form a new heart within me.

Your powerful compassion for my weaknesses

leads me to ask for mercy

and await with great hope the Easter joy you share

with us. Amen



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<u>Our Mission</u>...We are an inviting and growing Christian presence, with a passion for living and sharing Jesus Christ.

<u>Our Vision</u>...To be a Christ-centered community that Equips Disciples to Make Disciples.

<u>If you are a visitor</u>, during the time of offering, we have no financial expectations of you. Following the service you are invited for coffee and fellowship. We would be blessed to have you share in worship with us again.



Sunday, March 15, 2020 9:00 & 11:00 am Lent 3



Welcome/Announcements

Gathering Songs

"My Life is in You, Lord"

"Make Me an Instrument"

Children's Story

God's Word: Mark 12:1-12

Message: Fresh Start: Forgiveness Isn't Fair

"Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"

Offering

"Power of Your Love"

Prayers and Lord's Prayer

The Lord's Supper

"Taste and See"

"Lord I Need You"

"Change My Heart, Oh God (Spirit Song)

"Undivided Heart"

"Eat This Bread"

Blessing and Sending

"Sent Forth by God's Blessing" LBW 221

Today:

Regarding **Covid19 concerns** at this time:

As followers of Jesus our words and actions are centered in love for the other and in this situation to reduce the spread of this virus. While at LCOS please

- refrain from passing the peace, shaking hands, and close contact like hugs.
- frequently wash your hands and use the hand sanitizer provided
- stay home if you are concerned you may have the virus

During Holy Communion participating with only one element (wine or bread) is appropriate.

The Journey this past year and a half....Please add a brick to the road leading into the future (on the wall in the Fellowship Hall). On each brick, please print (LARGE) an LCOS moment you've experienced. For example,

- An Ah-Ha moment with God
- Praise for God
- When you were transformed by God
- Something for which you are grateful
- When something (or someone) was spirit-filled



Rather than filling Lenten bags (as we've done in previous years) we have been asked to collect the following items to be distributed to families at no cost. Combs & Hair Brushes Shampoo & Cream Rinse Hairspray Tooth Brushes & Toothpaste Hand & Body Lotion Deodorant Wash Cloths & Hand Towels **Baby Wipes** Dish Soap Mr. Clean Etc... Please drop off items by April 12th.

Upcoming:

If you would like to donate to this year's **Easter Flower Fund** (lilies and hydrangeas) envelopes are available from the usher stands and in the foyer. If you prefer, in lieu of flowers, donations can be made to support the Inter-faith Food Bank. You can mark your envelope with your preference. After Easter some of these flowers will be shared with shut-ins and seniors.

Mission Work Planning

Are you interested in mission work? Canadian Lutheran World Relief, Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes, local needs? Let's work on a plan for LCOS outreach. Please call Jaqui Anderson 403-453-4071.

Lenten NEW LIFE Baby Welcoming Kits As part of the family Lenten Activity event some beautiful new baby welcoming kits were put together. I would like to add letters of congratulations, children's drawings and notes of support for these new mothers and babes. I have purchased baby cards and notepaper. Please contact Jaqui Anderson if you are able to help. 403-453-4071

This year's Lenten Study, "The Lutheran Course" will be held on Thursdays. Each is a stand-alone session so attendees can come once or to all the sessions, from 7:00–8:30 pm.

Mar 19	The Three Most Rebellious Things Jesus Did
Mar 26	How to Read the Bible
Apr 2	How to Share Your Faith with Someone



Today

9:00 am Worship Service
10:00 am Adult Bible Study
10:00 am Young Explorers/Youth Sunday School
11:00 am Worship Service
12:00 pm Coffee and Conversation

This Week

March 16	
7:00 pm	Fireside Group
March 17	
1:00 pm	Games Group
7:00pm	Board Meeting
March 18	
9:00 am	Staff Meeting
9:30 am	Experiencing God
11:00 am	Acadia Lunch Program
7:00 pm	Al-anon
7:00 pm	Drop In Dwelling
7:00 pm	11:00 am Praise Team
March 19	
7:00 pm	Drop-in Session (The Three Most
	Rebellious Things Jesus Did)
March 21	
8:30 am	50+ Exercise Class

Coming Up

March 24	Today's Pilgrims
March 25	NO Acadia Lunch Program
March 26	Flock Care
March 26	Falling Upward
March 26	Drop In Session
March 30	April Vine Submission Deadline
April 4	Making Palm Crosses
April 9	Maundy Thursday at 7:00 pm
April 10	Good Friday at 7:00 pm
April 12	Easter Sunday at 9:00 & 11:00 am
April 12	Easter Breakfast at 10:00 am
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