



**BREAD of LIFE**  
LUTHERAN CHURCH



# Bread Crumbs

## February 16, 2023

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### Join us for Worship:

**Join Bread of Life for Sunday Worship In-Person at 9:30 am.**

We also welcome everyone to join us online via Facebook Live at 9:30. Services are recorded and will be available on our website afterwards.

[Facebook Page – Join us online!](#)

[Webpage – Recorded services are posted](#)

### **Are you curious about how you can support Bread of Life?**

The methods you can use to give to Bread of Life include:

- Your offering during worship on Sunday mornings
- Cheques, or post-dated cheques (mailed or dropped off)
- Pre-Authorized Remittance ([Click here for more information](#))
- [By credit card or PayPal](#)
- eTransfer to [breadoflife@sasktel.net](mailto:breadoflife@sasktel.net) (Please include your name and email in the notes for tax receipt purposes)

## **Bread of Life**

**Bread of Life's AGM - March 5, 2023 following Worship.**

[Click here](#) to view more information about the AGM, including the Annual Report and Zoom information for this meeting. Physical copies of the report will be available at the LSC on Sundays leading up to the AGM.

**2022 tax receipts are ready – there are a few ways to receive your receipt,  
and deadlines for pickup/mailling methods.**

**If you gave directly to Bread of Life, please note the options below:**

- a. Tax receipts will be available at worship on **Sunday, February 12th and 19th.**
- b. All tax receipts that have not been emailed or picked up by will be sent by Canada Post by **February 28th.**

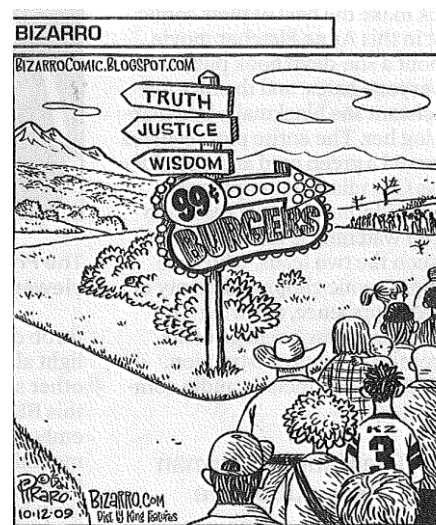
If you gave through the Bread of Life website using **Canada Helps**, access to your tax receipt would have been provided immediately on the Canada Helps site. If you need to download it again this is the link [Receipt Download Tool](#).

**We are looking for a few people who might like to get trained to help us out on Sunday mornings with getting the Worship out on Facebook/Internet.**

- 1) Facebook Host - this is a relatively easy job of putting greetings/announcements/assisting note into the comments section of the Facebook feed during the worship time. Brent Langenberger has been super faithful in looking after this for us EVERY WEEK during pandemic but I think it is time we step up to help him and enable him to take the occasional Sunday off. Please connect with Brent or the pastor if you would be willing.
- 2) Camera/Streaming host - this is a slightly more “techy” kind of work but the Bread of Life services are relatively straightforward. This would involve being trained on how to use the camera and streaming equipment for Sunday’s and/or other services that take place at Bread of Life. Let Pastor Stewart know if you would like to help out with this.

### **Time For a Mid-Winter Dive...??**

I (Pr. Stewart) feel like it is time for us to offer a study/discussion group during late Feb and March. I am – as always – open to create a group around any topic you might like to take on so please let me know if you have ideas. Some that I have considered are... “Reconciliation with our Indigenous Siblings”, “What is a church?”, Lutheranism 101, etc... Or maybe we could have a series of movie nights with discussion to follow. Or another possibility is to take on a “book study” (I have many that would be worth it). Please let me know what YOU would be interested in. As usual we try to find a time that works for everyone who eventually “signs up.”



Contact me at [pastor.stewart@sasktel.net](mailto:pastor.stewart@sasktel.net) or give me a call!

### **Refugee Update – AND THEN THERE WERE 12!**

Civil war hit Fardous' South Sudanese village in 2016. Fardous saw her father killed; her husband, sister and brother-in-law disappeared. Fardous herself was beaten, raped, and jailed for three days. When she was released she gathered her five children and made her way to a refugee camp in neighboring Uganda. Miraculously, Fardous found her sister's orphaned five children in the same camp! They were now a family of 11. Recently, Fardous' husband was reunited with the family, having escaped a forced labour camp he was held in for three years! So, this is now a sponsorship of 12, an ambitious undertaking of the Regina Lutheran Refugee Committee.

The Committee has raised a large portion of the funds necessary for this sponsorship. We are hoping we can complete fund-raising in the coming few weeks as required by Canadian Lutheran World Relief and the Government of Canada. Our goal at BOL is to raise several thousand dollars as our congregation's contribution. Donations can be made to BOL in all the usual ways, just be sure to label your donation "refugee". We thank all those who have already made donations to this sponsorship.

### **Indigenous Christian Fellowship Could Use Our Help!**

Bread of Life will be assisting with community breakfasts served at ICF. When we help out with Indigenous Christian Fellowship's community breakfast, we aim to have four or five volunteers.

ICF is at 3131 Dewdney Avenue.

There are currently providing breakfasts in brown bags; if weather allows, people sit at the picnic benches outside; if weather is inclement, people will pick up the breakfasts and return home.

We are one of several churches who help with these breakfasts. We aim to start at 8:30 a.m. and finish by 11:30 a.m. or noon. If you are able to help out, please contact David Bartolf at 306-566-2971 or [dbartolf@saskpower.com](mailto:dbartolf@saskpower.com)

### **CARING FOR EACH OTHER IN TIMES OF SORROW**

Did you know that, most times when Bread of Life hosts a funeral, we are also asked to help serve a lunch for the family and guests to share after the service? This is often a very healing time where people get to share their memories of the person who

has died, get to reconnect with each other and (of course) care for one another.

These days the church (we used to say “church ladies”) don’t actually make or provide the lunches – that has gotten a bit too complicated. Instead the family themselves purchases or arranges what they want served and we provide the people power to serve and clean-up afterward.

In the past we have had a few of our folks “at the ready” to help out in this way. But for a whole variety of reasons some have had to step back a bit.

**If you would be willing to help out with these lunches - most especially if you would like to take on the role of coordinating them - please talk to Pastor Stewart or call the office and share your name.** This is a very important ministry of our church and I thank you in advance for your willingness to share yourself in this way.

## St. Paul’s – Edenwold



February 19 ~ David Kaiser  
February 26 ~ Boyd Molder

**We have resumed coffee fellowship time after church each Sunday! Please join us. Offering/donations will be accepted by eTransfer to [stpaulsedenwold@gmail.com](mailto:stpaulsedenwold@gmail.com)**

## The Living Spirit Centre

**Whist for Seniors** at Living Spirit Centre is on Tuesday mornings at 10:00. If you are unfamiliar with the game, we will teach you. For more information phone/text Rod at 306-535-2877 or email [rodashley@sasktel.net](mailto:rodashley@sasktel.net)

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At the LSC, we are interested in partnering with various groups to share the space and create a vibrant community providing spiritual, wellness and social support for all. If you are aware of a group or organization that might be interested in either short term or longer-term rentals at the LSC, please let Becca know!





LIVING SPIRIT CENTRE

# Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper

HOSTED BY EASTSIDE UNITED CHURCH

February 21

5:00 - 7:00 pm

By Donation

## LSC ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE



FEBRUARY 22 AT 7:00 PM

# LENTEN WEDNESDAYS



Mar. 1 ~ Immanuel Anglican Church

Mar. 8 ~ Living Spirit Centre

Mar. 15 ~ Living Spirit Centre

Mar. 22 ~ Living Spirit Centre

Mar. 29 ~ Our Savior's Lutheran

**Worship at 7:00**

**Soup and Buns at 6:15**

**Contact: 306-761-0265**

## Community and More

**Canadian Lutheran World Relief is calling on Canadians to pray for those affected by the earthquakes in Türkiye and Syria, and to give generously to support their urgent humanitarian needs.** In south-east Türkiye and northern Syria, a massive humanitarian emergency is unfolding. CLWR is joining the Humanitarian Coalition in appealing for support to respond now. Will you give today to support those people affected by this earthquake? Please give what you can by donating at [clwr.org/earthquake](https://clwr.org/earthquake) or by calling 1-800-661-2597 (office hours Mon-Fri, 9am-4pm), and pray for all those who are affected.

**Bach in Concert - Mount Olive 70th Anniversary** - An organ Concert of Bach's Selected Works is being hosted by Mount Olive Lutheran Church on Saturday, February 18th, at 2:00

pm. The Concert will present conductor and Musician Paulo Brum, Master in Music and Pastor at New Beginnings Lutheran Church in Regina. He will play some of Johann Sebastian Bach's Works for organ, and the Choirs from New Beginnings Lutheran and Mount Olive Lutheran will join him in singing three hymns with Bach's harmony. The concert is the opening event of the celebration of Mount Olive's 70th Anniversary in 2023. No ticket for admission is required, the Concert is open to the whole community. Mount Olive Lutheran Church is located at 2015 4th Avenue North, Regina. For more details, please visit: <http://lutheran-church-regina.com>

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**Did you know?** Your feedback is a gift! If you have any comments, questions, or concerns regarding Bread Crumbs, contact [breadoflife@sasktel.net](mailto:breadoflife@sasktel.net). Bread Crumbs will now be delivered to your inbox on Thursday afternoons!