

Prairie Spirit United Church

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Please call before planning a visit to the church.

Weekly Update – Friday 5 January 2024

Happy New Year!



EPIPHANY

Epiphany is the end of the Christmas season, when we remember the Magi's visit with the Holy Family.

The word epiphany means a sudden insight or new understanding. It comes from the Greek word *epiphainein* meaning "to reveal" or "to be manifest."

This Sunday's service will led by Rev. Dr. James Christie

Sermon Theme: "Where is this Child?"

Our scripture reader is Darlene McPherson.

Scripture passages are:

Psalm 72 VU790 Parts One & Two

Matthew 2: 1-12

Community of Faith Meeting

Sunday, January 7, 2024

12:00 Noon

This Community of Faith Meeting is called
for the following purpose:

to approve the Search Team Members.

This will be a very brief meeting;
please plan to attend.

What's Happening for January

Sunday January 7th, 14th, 21st & 28th Rev. Dr. James Christie is leading us in worship.

LENT

Lent is soon upon us this year with Ash Wednesday being Feb 14, 2024.

PSUC will be offering a Lenten study led by Rev. Dr. Jim Christie entitled 'Reading our way through the Passion Week'

Dates/Times:	Wednesdays February 21st to March 27th from 10:00am to 12:00pm
Location:	Prairie Spirit United Church, in the Kirkfield Park Meeting Room
Resource:	Bring your preferred bible with you
Who:	All interested folk from St. Charles Headingly, Crestview and PSUC Churches
Refreshments:	Coffee & Tea will be available and if anyone wants to bring nibbles or treats they will be welcome
Registration:	Please call the Prairie Spirit Office at (204) 832-1000 and leave your name with the Office Administrator, Sherri, so we know to expect you.

Happy New Year from The United Church of Canada's General Council Office!

We pray for God's abundant blessings as we enter 2024, seeking to live into our calling to be a church and people of deep spirituality, bold discipleship, and daring justice.

God of immeasurable grace,
Bless us with spirituality as deep as the ocean
Call us to a discipleship as bold as the saints'.
Compel us to a justice as daring as the Redeemer's love,
In the name of our Impossible Hope,
Christ Jesus.
Amen

Prayer by Jennifer Henry



Plan to join us
Sunday January 14
after Church.

\$5.00 per person soup bowl and treats

Enjoy catching up with friends you haven't
seen since last year.

Hope to see you then.

- Congregational Wellness



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Thursday, January 18, 2024
1:30 - 3:30pm

The Happy Gang Afternoon

WELCOME 2024

Join us for an afternoon of fun and conversation.
Play card games, table games, bridge.
Light refreshments served complimentary from us.

For more information
call 204-832-1000 or 204-895-7410

Stories of Our Mission

2023 in the Rear View

While we look forward to the New Year and all the possibilities for joy and love that 2024 will bring, it's important to reflect on [the growth we went through in 2023](#). Through the peace, pain, joys and sorrows, it has been a true blessing to see God working through United Church people like you.

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WEEKLY *Sneak Peek*

Sun 7 Jan	9:30am	PSUC Choir
	10:30am	PSUC Worship
	12noon	Community of Faith Meeting
Mon 8	10am	Worship and FF Meeting
Tues		
Wed		
Thu		
Fri 12		Portage Avenue Food Bank
Sat		
Regular Office Hours are Tue-Fri 10am-2pm Please call before planning a visit to the church.		

Please submit Weekly Updates to the office by Wednesday morning.

Please send the article as you would like it to appear, include Title, Write-up, files or posters to be included if any.

If you would like to register for our Member Only area of the PSUC website, please email the office with your name and email address.

In the Member Only section you will have access to past Annual Reports, Governance Structure, Ministry Profile, Oversight & Executive Minutes, Newsletters & Weekly Updates.

If you would like to sign up for email editions of our Weekly Update, please contact the church office.