

Announcements for Sunday, September 27, 2026

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the church office and you will be redirected appropriately.**



WELCOME to all who have joined us in worship this morning! We are so pleased that you are celebrating with us in-person, through the recorded service on our website or written copies of our services!

MISSION STATEMENT

We strive to respect each other as God calls us to be a caring, compassionate Christian community. We worship, support, learn, seek justice, reach out and welcome all.

PLEASE REFRAIN FROM USING FRAGRANCES/COLOGNES AS OTHERS MAY BE SENSITIVE TO THEM.



Living Water
Season of Creation 2026

Immersion in Living Water
EZEKIEL 47:9, 12

Upcoming Events

September 26: Men's Breakfast Out, Mulberry's, 8:30

September 27: Choir Rehearsal, 9:00

September 27: Creation 5, Anne M., 10:30 **Orange Shirt Day**

September 30: National Truth & Reconciliation Day (office closed)

Sept. 30: Women's Breakfast Out, Mulberry's, 10:00

Oct. 01: Stitch & Chat, 10:00-2:00

Oct. 04: Choir Rehearsal, 9:00

Oct. 04: Creation 6, Blessing of the Animals, Pastor Michael, 10:30

Oct. 06: MPCA AGM, 6:00-9:30

Oct. 6-8: Office closed (Anne attending Office Admin. Conference)

Oct. 08: Stitch & Chat, 10:00-2:00

Oct. 11: Choir Rehearsal, 9:00

Oct. 11: Thanksgiving Sunday, Communion, Anne M., 10:30

Oct. 13-14: Office closed for Thanksgiving stat, plus vacation day

Oct. 17: Fall Turkey Supper, 5:00

Oct. 18: Pentecost + 21, Anne M., 10:30



FRIENDS REQUESTING OUR PRAYERS

Larry Newman and Family

Several families and individuals in our church family are experiencing challenges & crises. Please consider checking in.

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR OCTOBER 4, 2026

Exodus 20:1-4, 7-9, 12-20; Psalm 19; Philippians 3:4b-14; Matthew 21:33-46

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR OCTOBER 11, 2026

Deuteronomy 8:7-18; Psalm 65; 2 Corinthians 9:6-15; Luke 17:11-19

THIS WEEK'S VOLUNTEERS

READER: Lynn Earle & Phyllis Robinson

COMPUTER OPERATOR: Finlay MacKenzie

GREETERS: Pat Henick & Lauren Nein

HOSPITALITY: Phyllis Robinson & Susan Cross

Hymns for September 27th

MV #82 Bathe Me in Your Light, verse one

MV #37 Each Blade of Grass

VU #625 I Feel the Winds of God

MV #3: River

VU #295 The Earth and All Who Breathe

VU #691 Though Ancient Walls

VU #884 You Shall Go Out with Joy



Stewardship Second for the 5th Sunday in Creation Time: The power of God's generosity is stronger than you know. You have the opportunity to wield this power when you give to help others.

Blessing of the Animals

In honour of St. Francis of Assisi Day (Oct. 4th), the congregation is invited to bring their pets to church on **Sunday, October 4th** to have their pet(s) blessed by Pastor Michael. If you don't have a pet, bring a picture of one or a stuffed animal.

From September 1st through to October 4th, we will be celebrating the **Season of Creation**. The season's colour is **orange**: the red of passion tempered by the yellow of wisdom.



Our Affirming Moment: "We deserve to experience love in its full blooming, to exist openly in every season of our lives without permission." — Alex Elle



Saskatoon Food Bank and Learning Centre Food Drive
Thank you to everyone for another great Food Bank Drive!
82 kg (180 pounds) of food was collected and \$150 in cheques.



Special Celebrations!!
Happy Birthday Blessings to
Susan Cross & Faye MacKenzie!!!!

FALL TURKEY SUPPER

Saturday, October 17th – 5:00 p.m.

We have only 5 tickets left for the sit-down meal!!

Take-out meals are still available at the same prices until Oct. 9th.

\$25/ADULT. \$12/CHILD under 12.

Gluten-free option is available. Please call the church office at 306-978-0707 for tickets. Payment can be made through *Interac* e-transfer, cash or cheque.



Year-to-date Financial Status

	August 31, 2026	August 31, 2025
Revenues	\$53,641.83	\$54,822.98
Expenses	\$52,471.08	\$49,797.42
Surplus	\$ 1,170.75	\$ 5,025.56



Volunteers Are Needed

Please consider volunteering to prepare and serve coffee **after the St. David's Trinity services in the month of October (the 18thth has not been spoken for)**. The sign-up sheet is in the kitchen. Thank you for your hospitality!



KING GEORGE SCHOOL BREAKFAST PROGRAM

Please consider joining our baking crew. Bakers can drop off muffins in the church freezer on Sundays or during office hours. According to Fred the cook, the children really like our muffins! Some fruity ingredients may becoming available (raisins, cranberries). Check with Gwen !



St. David's Trinity United Church is a designated drop-off for the recycling of household batteries. This includes both rechargeable and single use, each weighing 5 kgs or less. No wet-cell, damaged or defective batteries are accepted.

Batteries can be dropped off at the office between 9:30 and 12:30, Tuesday to Friday. **Individual storage boxes are now available in the office.**

Outreach at St. David's Trinity

Friendship Inn (most needed items): Thanksgiving Wish List: 2,500 Thanksgiving meals will be served on October 12th. Wish list includes usual staples of peanut butter, jam, coffee, sugar oil, and specifically turkeys, cheese, celery and pies. \$5 helps prepare and serve one meal for a neighbour in need. E-transfer to: donate@friendshipinn.ca

Core Community Water Initiative: We will also be receiving donations of reusable water bottles and bottled water to be delivered to an agency in core neighbourhood for direct distribution, e.g. Station 20 West or the Friendship Inn.

Saskatoon Community Advocacy & Support (formerly ICM): The Wednesday Chop & Chat lunch program continues through the summer. Volunteers are needed to assist from 11:00-1:00 on Wednesdays. Please contact Susan C., Gwen W. or Anne M. if you're willing to donate a few hours of your time to prepare and serve lunch.

The Salvation Army Saskatoon will be delivering essential items to the homeless encampments through to mid-October and are looking for the following items: menstrual products, bottled water, hygiene kits (soap, small bottles of shampoo, toothbrush and toothpaste, socks, underwear). Please label your donation "Hope" if you're supporting this project.



USED STAMPS: If you have used stamps, you could drop them off in our mailbox or during office hours. Please make sure you leave a tiny margin around the stamp. We are now sending them to the Canadian Bible Society for their Stamps for Freedom Program. Stamps collected from donations across Canada are combined to create charity boxes and are sold to stamp collectors and vendors. The revenue generated from the stamps allows CBS to purchase Bibles for the Canadian prison ministry.



For your reading pleasure... We have a lot of new books in our very well-stocked bookcase across from Anne's desk in the office. If you have books that you have particularly enjoyed and you think that someone else might like to read them, please stop by and leave them in the shelves. If you see a book that you would like to read, take it and enjoy! No time limit, no charge!!



Worship Videos

Video recordings of our Worship Service can be found on our Church Website (www.stdavidstrinityuc.ca) under the "Members" section.

Pipe Organ Recital Sunday, September 27, 7:00 p.m.

A poster for a pipe organ recital by Tina Christiansen. The background is a dark, artistic photograph of an organ console. The text is in white and green. At the top, it says 'THE ROYAL CANADIAN COLLEGE OF ORGANISTS' and 'LE COLLÈGE ROYAL CANADIEN DES ORGANISTES'. Below that, 'SASKATOON CENTRE PRESENTS'. The name 'Tina Christiansen' is in large, stylized green letters, with 'in concert' in a smaller, cursive font. To the right is a small portrait of Tina Christiansen. Below the portrait, it says 'SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 7 PM', 'KNOX UNITED CHURCH', '838 SPADINA CR E', and 'ADMISSION BY DONATION (\$25 SUGGESTED)'. At the bottom, a green box contains a short biography of Tina Christiansen and a Facebook link.

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Tina Christiansen is an active concert organist from Denmark with an extensive international career as a soloist, chamber musician, and accompanist.

FIND US ON FACEBOOK AS "ROYAL CANADIAN COLLEGE OF ORGANISTS - SASKATOON CENTRE"

The Saskatoon Centre of the Royal Canadian College of Organists will be hosting an international artist performing at **Knox United Church**. Tina Christiansen is an active concert organist in Denmark with an extensive international career as a soloist, chamber musician and accompanist. She has played numerous concerts throughout Denmark as well as more than 90 concerts across Europe and Russia. She has played solo concerts at some of Europe's largest organs including St Paul's Cathedral and Westminster Abbey in London. Tina is the organist and director of music at Ansgar's Church in Odense (DK), and she is the artistic director of the Odense International Organ Festival. Admission is by donation (suggested \$25/adult).

