



The Power of Stories

Over the last few months on Tuesday nights, we have had an opportunity to hear some people tell their stories: Fred Mahler, Else Svendsen, and Mike Lickers. Without their stories, we might just “know them” as a guy that sings in the choir, a woman who comes to Wednesday morning Bible Study, and a guy that works at Suncor. For those of us who were here to hear their stories, we traveled with them through their stories to Poland, Denmark, France & Canada. We journeyed with them through world wars and residential schools. We empathized with them for their losses and rejoiced with them in their triumphs over adversity and challenge.



Else Svendsen

Something as simple as listening to their story has profoundly changed the way each of us “know” these people and who they are.

I’m always a little surprised by the worlds that open up when we take time to listen to other peoples’ stories... But I shouldn’t be!

As Christians (along with Jews and to a great extent Muslims), we are *People of the Book*. We look to the Bible as the inspired Word of God and as the source and authoritative standard for our faith and life together. But

if we really want to be accurate, we are really people of *The Story*.

Most of the Bible was transmitted orally for hundreds of years. Even the Gospels were told orally for 20-30 years before they were written down.



Fred Mahler

In the Bible we encounter the story of

- how God gathered a people who claim Abraham as their father;
- how they journeyed to a new land;

- how they sojourned in Egypt;
- how they were brought to the promised land and trained as God’s people along the way;
- how they became united, divided, conquered, exiled and restored.

The story continues with the incarnation of God in Jesus; his life, death, resurrection, and the embodiment of Christ in the Church.

On one hand, this is something that you know. On the other hand, we live in a society and culture that tends to be focused on what people *do*. I know for myself, I tend to get into *task mode* and my focus is just on getting things done. When I am in this mode, taking time to be with people and listen to their stories occur as *inefficient* and as an *impediment* to getting things done! These are times when I have lost who I am!



Mike Lickers

Through baptism, we become part of God’s story... A story of God’s love for the world that the Bible has been telling for over 3000 years. When we find *our place* in God’s story, we know who we are as beloved children of God and a way to be in the world.

When we spend time telling and retelling the stories of God’s love for the world, we remind ourselves of who and whose we are.

When we spend time hearing each other’s stories, we grow closer as a community journeying together as God’s people.

When we take time to hear a stranger’s story, the stranger becomes a neighbour.

Peace,

Pastor Paul

A glance at April Ministry Happenings....



April 1— Youth Movie Night

April 4 - 7 pm—Part 1 of the Martin Luther PBS movie - Popcorn included

April 5— 10 am—Wed. morning Bible study meeting at St. Gerard’s RC church

April 6—7 pm—Lenten Worship

April 8—8 am—Men’s Breakfast

April 10—12—9 am—Holy Week worship

April 13—7:30 pm—Maundy Thursday worship

April 14—10 am—Good Friday worship

April 14 @ 3 pm—April 16 @ 6:30 am—Prayer Vigil—sign up sheet at church

April 15—8:33 pm—Easter Vigil Worship

April 16—6:39 am—Easter Sunrise worship

April 16—8 am—Easter Breakfast

April 16—10 am—Easter worship

April 18—7 pm—Part 2—The Reluctant Revolutionary

April 19—7 pm—Council Mtg.

April 22—8 am—Men’s Breakfast

April 24—7 pm—Solar Energy Presentation—7 pm

April 28—29—Council Retreat

April 30—11:30 am—Alternatives Funeral Services Presentation

**Morning Prayer—9 am—
Monday—Thursday**

**Fellowship & Coffee at
Tim Hortons—every Tuesday
morning at 10 am.
11472 Braeside Dr. SW.**



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Mission
 Gathered by God to worship and grow.
 Empowered by Spirit to love and care for each other
 Living Christ’s love by witnessing to all.

Vision
 To be a vibrant and growing congregation unified in sharing the
 love of Christ through words and actions.



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There will be a screening of the PBS Empires production **Martin Luther**, sponsored by Tuesday's Faith Formation class

From the producers' website:

Few if any men have changed the course of history like Martin Luther. In less than ten years, this fevered German monk plunged a knife into the heart of an empire that had ruled for a thousand years, and set in motion a train of revolution, war and conflict that would reshape Western civilization, and lift it out of the Dark Ages.

Luther's is a drama that still resonates half a millennium on. It's an epic tale that stretches from the gilded corridors of the Vatican to the weathered church door of a small South German town; from the barbarous pyres of heretics to the technological triumph of printing. It is the story of the birth of the modern age, of the collapse of medieval feudalism, and the first shaping of ideals of freedom and liberty that lie at the heart of the 21st century.

But this is also an intensely human tale, a story that hurtles from the depths of despair to the heights of triumph and back again. This is the story of a man who ultimately found himself a lightning conductor of history, crackling with forces he could not quite comprehend or control.

Our screening of Empires: Martin Luther will take place in two parts:

Tuesday April 4, 7-8:30 pm: Part One: Driven to Defiance --PLUS-- group interaction with some of Luther's more interesting and even hilarious writings.

Tuesday April 18, 7-8:30: Part Two: The Reluctant Revolutionary --PLUS-- A special Martin Luther production of Jeopardy!

These movies and interactive components will be held in the sanctuary. All are welcome! Bring a friend! We'll provide the popcorn.

SOCIAL MINISTRY

Cause of the Month for APRIL

Servants Anonymous

Servants Anonymous provides relationship-based programs for women and girls, who have experienced or are at risk of sexual exploitation and/or sex trafficking, all of which have been affected by related issues including addiction, trauma and homelessness. They also offer two stages of housing which allows women to stabilize and begin the process of healing.

Are there any youth that are interested in attending camp this summer at Camp Kuriakos? See Pastor Laura and/or Georgina for details.

SANDWICHES: Since we no longer can get a free supply of bread for making sandwiches, we are now using buns that are picked up from Costco in Okotoks on Tuesday mornings by Glenn Schultz. A big Thank You to all who donated so generously to help keep our sandwich project viable.

Our **Pancake Supper** on Shrove Tuesday was a great success and enjoyed by all. We **raised \$480** and have applied to Faith Life Financial for matching funds.



Holy Week at the Cross

With morning prayer, scripture, song, and sacrament, we recount the events in the last days of Jesus' life. This year, we are living the story told in the Gospel of Matthew. Here is a summary of the week's events:

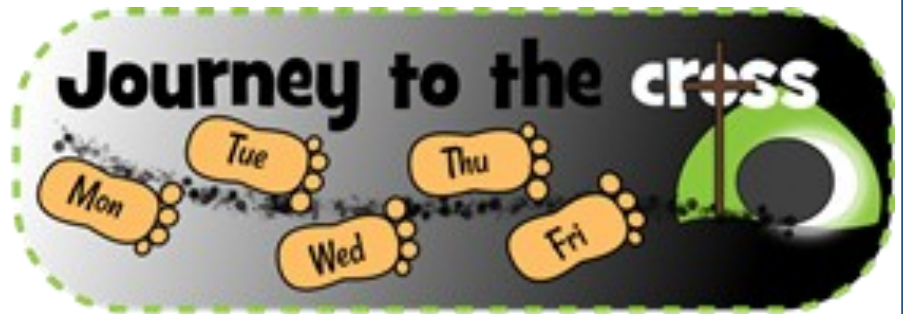
Palm Sunday worship 10 am Matthew 21:1-17 Jesus arrives in Jerusalem. Please bring coats and sweaters that you would like to donate to the Drop-In Centre with you to worship.

Holy Monday Scripture &

Prayer 9 am Matthew 21:18 – 23:39 Jesus teaches in the Temple.

Holy Tuesday Scripture &

Prayer 9 am Matthew 24:1 – 26:5
Jesus laments over Jerusalem and speaks and tells parables about the end of the age.



Holy Wednesday Scripture & Prayer 9 am Matthew 26:6-16 Jesus in the home of Simon the leper.

Maundy Thursday worship 7:30 pm Matthew 26:17-75 Jesus eats the Passover with his friends. As they pray in the garden after the meal, Jesus is betrayed and taken before Caiaphas, the High Priest. Peter denies knowing him.

Good Friday worship 10 am Matthew 27:1-66 Jesus is tried, condemned and crucified. Also, our prayer vigil (*sponsored by Prayer and Care*) begins today. Be part of the continuous prayer vigil lasting from the time of Jesus' death until sunrise Easter morning. Pray at church or wherever you are. The staff will provide a prayer booklet and prayer concerns to aid you. Sign up in the narthex, or by phoning the church office.

Holy Saturday worship at 8:33 pm Sabbath Day: The Word is silent. When the Sabbath ends, the community gathers to keep vigil. They tell stories of God's saving acts, looking to God with hope for deliverance now.

Easter Sunrise worship 6:39 am Matthew 28:1-10 The women discover the empty tomb.

Easter Breakfast 8-9:30 am Sponsored by the Men's Breakfast.

Easter Day worship 10 am Matthew 28:1-10 The women discover the empty tomb.



Holy Week

Prayer Vigil

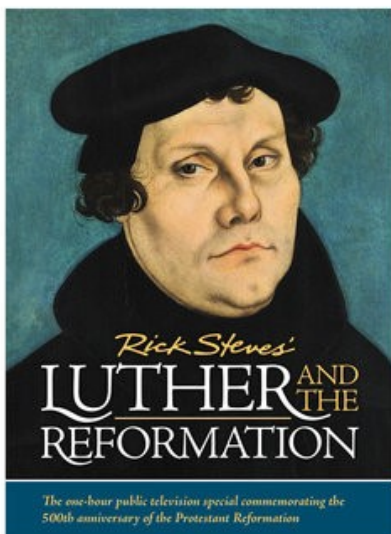
Starting on **Friday, April 14**, after the Good Friday worship, people are invited to pray for 1 hour time slots. Be part of the continuous prayer vigil lasting from the time of Jesus' death until sunrise East morning.

Pray at church or wherever you are.

PRAYER.
conversations with God

The staff will provide a prayer booklet and prayer concerns to aid you.

Sign up in the narthex, or by phoning the church office.



This one-hour public television special commemorating the 500th anniversary of the Protestant Reformation is available to 'sign-out' from the office.

Please call Dianne to reserve it.

This DVD includes the one-hour "**Rick Steves' Luther and the Reformation**" public-television special — plus more than two hours of bonus extras: Germany's Luther Towns, the "*Rick Steves' European Christmas*" special, and the "*Rick Steves' European Easter*" special.

GRAY POWER



The Calgary Philharmonic open senior rehearsals are on the following dates. We car pool from the church and usually go out for lunch after. Except on March 3rd it will have to be a quick snack as it's the same day as the world day of prayer service at our church, which starts at 1pm.

Friday **May 5**, 10am French Classics: Ravel, Saint-Saen's & Franck Conductor- Mathew Halls Soloist - Louis Lorre, piano. Please email hgray64@icloud.com by **Tuesday 25 April** if interested in attending.

Friday **June 2**, 10am Mozart & Mahler with Andre Laplander Conductor - Roberto Minczuk Soloist - Andre Laplante, piano
Please email hgray64@icloud.com by **Tuesday 23 May** if interested in attending.

There are no tickets issued for the rehearsals; but we do have to book one week (or any earlier) before the rehearsal date to reserve our spots as space is limited.

Admission per person is \$10 (cash only), and can be paid at the door on the morning of.



Want to double your joy?

Pray about attending a Cursillo weekend at Entheos Retreat Centre in **April**.

Cursillo (*Spanish for "little course"*) is a 3-day experience in focusing on the prayer, study, and action of Christians in the world. Much more than how it sounds, Cursillo is a faith-renewing, revitalizing, and healing experience that frees people for joyful service in the church and world.

Men: April 20-23

Women: April 27-30

A cost of \$215 (double occupancy) or \$245 (single occupancy) covers lodging, meals, and materials.

Want to know more? Talk with Pastor Laura, or anyone on the growing list of people who have attended a weekend (Lisa R, Jan or Lloyd, Lloyd G, Carolyn or Dean, Hilary, Lise, Dane, Jim or Shelagh, Keith B, Angelique, Terry). Applications are online at cursillo.ab.ca

Storytellers needed for the Easter Vigil Service

Saturday, April 15 8:33 pm

Holy Week begins Palm Sunday, April 9.

We will walk with Jesus through the last week of his life, celebrating his triumphal entry into Jerusalem, hearing his teaching in the Temple, eating with his disciples, and standing with him at his trial and crucifixion.

The sun will set at 8:33pm on Saturday April 15, and the Sabbath Day following his death will end. As his

friends complete their Sabbath meal, they gather in vigil to pray, tell stories, and attempt to renew their communal hope in the power of God to save.

We take up the practice of keeping vigil, recounting the stories of God's saving acts in history, and looking forward to resurrection power becoming real in our lives.

We are looking for people (by yourself, in pairs, as families, or however you wish) to tell the stories of God's power and redeeming grace. These are stories from the Hebrew Scriptures we all know so well:

- Noah's family and the flood
 - The testing of Abraham
- The deliverance of Moses and the Israelites at the Red Sea
 - Ezekiel and the valley of dry bones
 - The deliverance of Jonah
- Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego being saved from the fiery furnace
 - Daniel being spared in the Lion's Den
 - Daniel defeating Goliath
- The widow's never-ending grain that feeds her son and the prophet Elijah
 - The healing of Naaman

Will you tell the story? !

You may tell the story in any way you wish, but songs, skits, and dramatic readings are especially encouraged.



The Easter Vigil service will start Saturday, April 15 at 8:33pm.

We really need you and your family's creativity.

Will you pray about it?

If you or your family is willing to tell a story, please contact Pastor Laura and let her know which one!

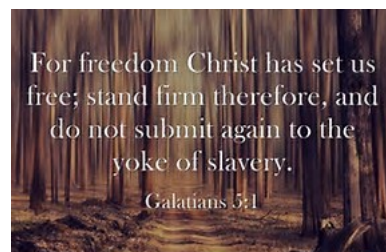
WOMEN'S MINISTRY

MARY & MARTHA BIBLE STUDY

Saturday, April 22 at 10:00 a.m.
at the church.

Topic: For freedom Christ has set us free (Galatians 5:1-6:18)

Please join us for Bible Study and fellowship time.



FUNERAL PLANNING INFORMATION SEMINAR

Have you considered what you would like your Funeral or Memorial Service to include? In this brief session, we will provide a review of the options that are available, the information that is necessary to know as well as the current costs associated with those options. Planning your own service makes it much easier on your family. It is a way to clearly indicate what your specific wishes would be. There will be time for questions.

To be held at:

Lutheran Church of the Cross
Sunday, April 30—following worship



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Ecumenical Study Sessions:

**Wed. March 29th—10 am @ St. Gerard's
RC Church**

**Wed. April 5th—10 am @
St. Gerard's RC Church**

**Wed. April 12th—10 am @ St. Gerard's RC
Church**

Thank you for the expressions of sympathy we received through cards, phone calls, e-mails and hugs following the death of our mother, mother-in-law, Oma and Great-Oma, Ruth Reimer. Your kinds words and many prayers are so very appreciated.

*Arnie and Jan
Laura, Rick and Luke
Kelsey and Blake
Julie and Curtis*



Have you signed up to pray for 1 hour at our Easter Prayer Vigil? See the sign up sheets that will be in the narthex. We will provide you the prayers! One hour goes by very quickly!



Do you have questions about Solar Energy?

"Come and share in a presentation by local solar energy expert **Jacqueline Leeflang** (Bourque) BASc, MSc, PEng. while she tells you about the basics of solar power, the energy system here in Alberta and the newly released solar incentives announced by the provincial government. Jacqueline's broad range of experience in chemical engineering combined with her master's in renewable energy gives a thorough and fact-filled perspective on this exciting technology."

Monday, April 24 @ 7 pm

Lutheran Church of the Cross

10620 Elbow Drive SW





WALK OR RUN FOR LOVE

Saturday, May 6, 2017



Support Lutheran Hospital Ministries – Southern Alberta’s Visitors
Who bring Jesus’ Healing to Patients in Hospitals and Care Centres

Join the Fun  **Raise the Funds \$\$\$**

Walk or Run 5 km through Confederation Park

Sponsor a Walker or Runner

Support by Donations

8:30 am Enjoy a healthy breakfast and register at
Faith Lutheran Church

1903 – 19 Avenue NW, Calgary

9:30 am Walk & Run Begin

Finish with healthy snacks at Faith Lutheran Church

Tax Receipts will be issued for sponsorship donations of \$10 or more.

Pledge forms are available from your Church Office
or from

Lutheran Hospital Ministries – Southern Alberta
66 – 7 Street NE, Calgary, AB T2E 4B7

Phone: (403) 264-4045 email: lhmsac@gmail.com

Website: www.lhmsa.ca

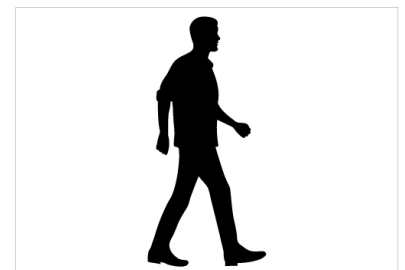
***Pledge
Sheets will
be posted
when they
arrive!***

THE WALK WILL TAKE PLACE COME RAIN OR SHINE, OR SNOW



Walk for Love 2016

Sponsored by Your Faithlife Financial Chapter



ITEMS NEEDED FOR BLAST



Do you have any of these items laying around?

- *spray paint*
- *650 g yogurt containers*
- *4" plastic plant pots*
- *Heat n' Bond or other fabric fusing material*

We can use them! Please bring your contributions by **Easter Sunday, April 16.**

Word for Children Ministry

- April 2—Hannah Rude
- April 9—Renate Erickson
- April 16—Laurie Hansen
- April 23—Georgina Normandin
- April 30—Frieda Wells



Word for Children workshop for new leaders April 4

- ◆ Have you ever wondered what happens in the pink chairs in the narthex during the sermon?
- ◆ Do you like to read stories to children?
- ◆ Would you like to consider being part of this ministry?

Renate Erickson will host a training for new leaders and people interested in the ministry of Word for Children on Tuesday evening, April 4, 7-8:30. This workshop is being conducted as part of the Confirmation program, but all are welcome! Please call the church office & let us know you're coming.



Germany: Luther, Bach & the Beatles



THERE IS STILL ROOM—October 21—November 4, 2017

Your church staff is traveling to Germany to celebrate the 500th anniversary of the Reformation and you are invited to join them!

If you are interested, reserve October 2017 on your calendar and have a conversation with Pastor Laura.

COMMUNION ASSISTANTS

APRIL 2—JOAN & GLENN SCHULTZ

APRIL 9—SCHMIDT FAMILY

**APRIL 16—BRIGITTE CALKHOVEN & JUNE
KVICALA**

COMMUNION SET-UP

APRIL 2—MARILYN & NORM JONASSON

**APRIL 9—MARILYN JONASSON & GAIL
ANDERSON**

APRIL 16—PEARL SCHUSTER & JUNE KVICALA

READERS

APRIL 2—DEAN LARSEN

APRIL 9—HELMUT HOFER

**APRIL 16—BLAKE CRAVEN & JIM JO-
HANSSON**

APRIL 23—TOM MCCULLOCH

APRIL 30—ARNIE REIMER

SUNDAY MORNING

COFFEE SET-UP

**APRIL—SOCIAL MINISTRY
COMMITTEE**

Acolyte Ministry

April 2—Isak Larsen & Mikaela Rude

April 9—Nyachang Reath & Natalie Rude

**April 16—Blake Craven, Mattias Allison, Sam
Urquhart**

April 23—Max Thomson & Justin Bailey

**April 30—Blake Craven, Sam Urquhart &
Justin Bailey**

Message from Our Bishop

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ –

*Ho, everyone who thirsts, come to the waters;
and you that have no money, come, buy and eat!
Come, buy wine and milk without money and without price.
Why do you spend your money for that which is not bread,
and your labour for that which does not satisfy?*

Isaiah 55:1-2a

My Lenten devotions this year have been in part focused on a set of compiled writings from Old Testament scholar, Walter Brueggemann: *A Way other than Our Own: Devotions for Lent*.

I have always found Brueggemann's writings to be thought-provoking, insightful and challenging. Perhaps, since it is the season of Lent and I am "open" in the season, I have found this compilation to be even more thought-provoking, even more insightful and even more challenging.

Reflecting on Isaiah 55:1-2a: Lent is a question. Lent is a gift. Lent is a summons.

The questions of Lent Brueggemann suggests are:

What are we doing?

Are we working for that which does not satisfy?

Are we spending for that which is not bread?

Thought-provoking.

The gifts of Lent are free, gifts in the gospel that sustain life. Free wine and milk. Free water and bread, and "all the markings of sacrament that refuse our thin attempts at empire" (pg. 11).

Insightful.

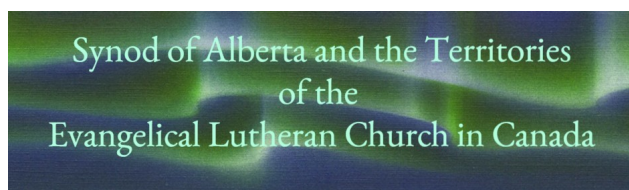
And challenging: The summons of Lent is to bear new fruit. To do what is in sync, in harmony, with the God of the good news, the God who has another intention for our lives, who wants us out of the rat-race of "big is better", "highest salary means most valuable", "the one with the most toys wins" and so has mercy, who gives us pardon when we do not do enough by doing two things at once.

We are left, dear sisters and brothers, with "a new sense of ourselves as God's people: no longer working for that which does not satisfy; receiving good gifts that we need for life; engaging in a new productivity of that which heals and transforms" (pg. 11).

The Lenten question, gift and summons.

In Christ Jesus –
Shalom,

+Bishop Larry Kochendorfer



*The God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing,
so that you may abound in hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.*
Romans 15:13

"Elbow Drive Ecumenical Group"

YOU ARE INVITED TO:

Our 2017 SPRING BUFFETT BREAKFAST:

Saturday, April 8th

St Gerard's Church – 8944 Elbow Dr. SW

TOPIC: "The Sandwich Generation"

We care for our aging parents while supporting our own families

Mass with Fr. Bogdan @ 9:00AM

Hearty Breakfast @ 10:00AM

Guest Speakers: *Jessica Williams*

from *Catholic Family Service Calgary* @ 10:30AM

"Good Will Offering" accepted

Proceeds to Calgary Catholic Family Service

(serving individuals and families of all faiths and cultures)

Sponsor: St Gerard's Knights of Columbus Council #6488



Can't make it on the 24th? We would love to see you in another city!
May 28 Brooks • June 10 Red Deer • June 11 Edmonton • June 25 Camrose

SYNOD OF ALBERTA AND THE TERRITORIES

Ponder Anew

what the Almighty can do

Join Bishop Larry for dinner.
Listen to stories of God's work in
and around the Synod.

at the
Ambrose University (Airhart Theatre)
150 Ambrose Circle SW, Calgary
June 24, 2017 6:00 p.m. (doors open 5:30)

There is no cost to attend. Please RSVP to the Synod Office
by June 9. More info is available on the Synod website.

Join us
for the
Wurst Fundraiser Ever!
In support of
Lutheran Campus Ministries

FRIDAY, APRIL 28 AT HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH
DOORS OPEN AT 6 P.M. † DINNER & WELCOME AT 6:30 P.M.
CAMPUS MINISTRY UPDATE 7:30 P.M. † HOLDEN EVENING PRAYER SERVICE AT 8:15 P.M.

PLEASE R.S.V.P. BY APRIL 24 CONTACT MARGARET PROPP
MPROPP@UCALGARY.CA (403) 471-9895

Hope Lutheran Church • 3527 Boulton Rd. N.W., Calgary

Around Town



You're invited to take in the majestic and awe-inspiring sounds of this modern oratorio that tells the story of God's passion for His people presented by First Alliance Church Choir and Orchestra with New West Symphony and Chorus **Wednesday, April 12, 2017** at 7:30 pm. "Saviour" is composed by Greg Nelson and Bob Farrell; arranged by David Hamilton. **NO COST** or tickets required; open seating. Performance will be approx. 1 hour in length.

Invitation to a Special Film Event

WAITING FOR WALDEMAR



Waiting for Waldemar is a moving 45-minute docu-drama about four children's lifelong search for their father who disappeared during their harrowing escape from Ukraine to Germany during World War II.

The film stars Vance Avery, Lilly Bebernik and a supporting cast of professional actors and volunteer extras from German communities and homeschooling students across Alberta.

This event is open to the public and will have cast and crew members in attendance. The film will be followed by a Question and Answer period with the cast and director.

THE PLAZA THEATRE *

1133 Kensington Rd. NW | Calgary, AB

Sunday, April 23rd @ 4:00pm

PURCHASE ADVANCED TICKETS BY VISITING:

Eventbrite

www.eventbrite.com

* Search for "Waiting for Waldemar Calgary"

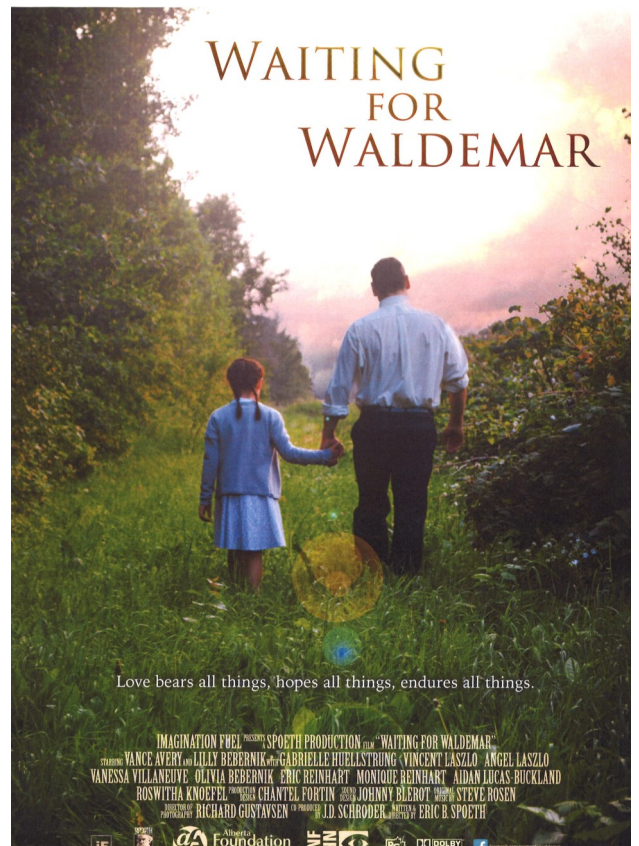
Facebook:



waiting for waldemar

Film trailer:

vimeo.com/204493909





Christian Pastoral Caregivers Association

is offering the workshop

May I Sit With You Awhile? The Basic Arts of Pastoral Care

This course offers pastoral care visitors the opportunity to learn and practice the basics of pastoral visiting. The course is designed to help visitors focus on the needs of the people receiving care. Six workshops feature a combination of information and hands-on practice: Defining Pastoral Care, Pastoral Care Visiting, Developing Listening Skills, Grief & Loss, Ethics, Professionalism & Administration, and Spiritual Practices in Pastoral Care.

The course will be held on

Friday, April 21st, 2017, 6:30 pm – 10:30 pm

Registration begins at 6:00 pm

Saturday, April 22nd 2017, 8:30 am – 4:30 pm

@

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church

703 Heritage Dr. SW

Calgary, AB

The event is open to everyone, and especially those who provide pastoral care in congregations, hospitals, care facilities, hospice and other contexts of ministry.

Refreshments and Lunch will be provided.

To find out more information and to register please go to www.cpcassoc.ca

The cost: \$65.00 (non-members), \$55.00 (members)

To become a CPCA member go on our website at www.cpcassoc.ca

April 2017



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	Cause of the Month Servants Anonymous					1 FACE—9 am—2 pm Youth Movie Night
2 Adult Study—9 am Worship—10 am BLAST—following worship SWCG—1—3 pm	3 Morning Prayer—9 am Kodaly—9:15 am Staff Mtg.—10:15 am Water2Wine—4:30 pm	4 Morning Prayer—9 am Coffee @ Tim Hortons'—10 am FACE—3—8 pm Faith Formation—7 pm Confirmation—7 pm	5 Morning Prayer—9 am Bible Study—10 am FACE—9 am—8 pm SWCG—7 pm	6 Quilting—9 am Kodaly—1:15 pm FACE—3—8 pm Knitting—6 pm Lenten worship—7 pm Choir—7:30 pm E.A.—7 pm	7 Office Closed FACE—9 am—8 pm SWCG—7 pm	8 Men's Breakfast—8 am FACE—9 am—2 pm
9 Adult Study—9 am Worship—10 am with Baptism BLAST—following worship SWCG—1—3 pm	10 Holy Week Worship—9 am Kodaly—9:15 am Staff Mtg.—10:15 am FACE—3—8 pm	11 Holy Week Worship—9 am Coffee @ Tim Hortons'—10 am FACE—3—8 pm	12 Holy Week Worship—9 am FACE—9 am—8 pm Bible Study—10 am SWCG—7 pm	13 Kodaly—1:15 pm FACE—3—8 pm E.A.—7 pm Maundy Thurs.—7:30 pm	14 OFFICE CLOSED GOOD FRIDAY WORSHIP—10 am PRAYER VIGIL SWCG—7 pm	15 EASTER VIGIL—8:33 pm
16 EASTER SUNDAY Sunrise worship—6:39 Easter Breakfast—8 Worship—10 am BLAST—following worship SWCG—1—3 pm	17 OFFICE CLOSED	18 Morning Prayer—9 am Coffee @ Tim Hortons'—10 am FACE—3—8 pm Faith Formation—7 Confirmation—7 pm	19 Morning Prayer—9 am FACE—9 am—8 pm Bible Study—9:30 am SWCG—7 pm Council Mtg.—7 pm	20 Morning Prayer—9 am Quilting—9 am Kodaly—1:15 pm FACE—3—8 pm Knitting—6 pm E.A.—7 pm Choir—7:15 pm	21 Office Closed FACE—9 am—8 pm SWCG—7 pm	22 Men's Breakfast—8 am FACE—9 am—2 pm M & M—10 am
23 Adult Study—9 am Worship—10 am BLAST—following worship SWCG—1—3 pm	24 Morning Prayer—9 am Kodaly—9:15 am Staff Mtg.—10:15 am Water2Wine—4:30 pm Solar Energy Presentation—7 pm	25 Morning Prayer—9 am Coffee @ Tim Hortons'—10 am FACE—3—8 pm Prayer & Care—5:15 pm Faith Formation—7 pm Confirmation—7 pm	27 Morning Prayer—9 am FACE—9 am—8 pm Bible Study—9:30 am SWCG—7 pm	27 Morning Prayer—9 am Quilting—9 am Kodaly—1:15 pm FACE—3—8 pm Knitting—6 pm E.A.—7 pm Choir—7:15 pm	28 Office Closed FACE—9 am—8 pm SWCG—7 pm	29 FACE—9 am—2 pm
30 Adult Study—9 am Worship—10 am BLAST—following worship Alternative Funeral Services Presentation—11:30 SWCG—1—4 pm	Communion Sundays April 2, 9, 16					

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