

Pick up your copy of the **2018 Annual Report** from the Information Desk or check it out at spuonline.com/information/annual-reports.

SPUC's Annual General Meeting is set for today @ 11:30 am following worship service. We require a quorum at this meeting. Please consider attending. Everyone is welcome.

Have you ever wanted to throw something at the minister? Here's your chance! Sunday **March 24 take part in the first ever SPUC Sock Toss**. All you have to do is bring pairs of new socks to church and wait for the word to start tossing! All gathered socks will be delivered to **The Lighthouse Supported Living**.

We had a wonderful and successful Mardi Gras Pancake last Tuesday! Our special guests from **Saskatoon Mother's Center** inspired us with their stories. Your generous donations allowed us to present them with a cheque for **\$700!** Thank you! Thanks also go out to Pat Keyser and their efficient team for preparing a delicious meal for over 100 guests. We really appreciate your time, your energy and your passion. Blessings as we move into this time of Lent.

Camp Christopher is looking for staff, pick up a staff application from and check out what positions are available on the website www.campchristopher.ca. **Camp Christopher registration forms are** now available. Get yours today from Info Desk.

Join us with your friends and family for the **Free Community Soup Lunch Wednesdays @ noon**, in the Hall

St. Andrew's College will be hosting their annual fundraising event on **Wednesday, April 10th at the Western Development Museum**. Doors open 6:00pm, Program 7:00pm. **Tickets \$40 are available to purchase at SPUC church office.** Deadline April 3.

The Transition Council for Region 4 is excited to announce our new name. Starting today, we will be known as Living Skies Regional Council.

The journey of Lent has begun. Consider joining a Spiritual Growth Group for the next 6 weeks as we travel together through a time of reflection. SGGs will begin the week of **March 11**. The resource is **Everyday Skeptics**. For more information, contact Cheryl Wilken 306 371-1422.

March a Mile Walkathon raises awareness of homelessness in our city while raising funds for **The Lighthouse Supported Living**. Join Team Willing Walkers on **March 30** to show your support and have some fun or participate by sponsoring the team. More information contact Cheryl Wilken 306 371-1422 or check out [The Lighthouse](http://TheLighthouse.org) online.

Please find the **Moderator's Lenten Message video** from UCC YouTube channel. Richard Bott reminds us that this season is a time to think, deeply, about our relationship with God. He asks us each to consider meeting with another disciple of Jesus, and exploring the question, "How is it with your soul?" www.youtube.com/watch?v=Mv_kcqAcrPg&feature=youtu.be

The latest **Regional Rambler** version of Region 4 The United Church of Canada is post on the Hall bulletin.

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We inhabit the land of TREATY 6. May we live in respect.

Even Now, Return to Me

March 10, 2019 @ 10:30 A.M.

We do a lot of talking and praying about forgiveness. After all these years of Lenten days and nights you would think that we would be better at it! What is the price of forgiveness? In God's economy the cost of forgiveness is so outrageously exaggerated that none of us could ever imagine paying in full. It doesn't make sense, this is no "business as usual." This is a dazzling radical message of forgiveness. The lesson for us, is that it is a blessing that we must pay forward. The parable is a challenge, and so is forgiveness itself. How do we continue to listen, love, work and speak the truth even when we disagree? "Even now," God says, "Even now, return to me." The story of forgiveness is a lesson for the future about how to live together in grace, love and forgiveness. This we do with God's help.

Scripture of today: Matthew 18:15-35 Reconciliation and Forgiveness

Core Value of today: Grow spiritually

Seed of Learning: When has the belief in your heart guided your actions? How did that work out for you?

Next Board Meeting – March 29, 2019

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Sutherland School has partnered with the **Saskatchewan Rush** to raise money for the school. All proceeds from this fundraiser will go towards new volleyball poles and nets. Please take a look at the poster on the Info Desk.