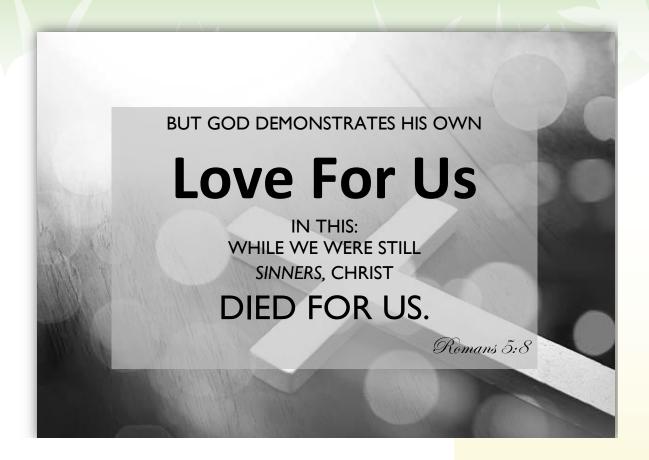
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# Linden Place News

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#### Save The Date!

### Nutrition Talk with Dr. Erin

Thursday, April 4

Join us for a presentation from Dr. Erin Esau. See page 2 for details.

#### Special Easter Lunch

Wednesday, April 17

Come celebrate Easter together. Go to page 4 for more details.

## Bus Trip to St. Vital

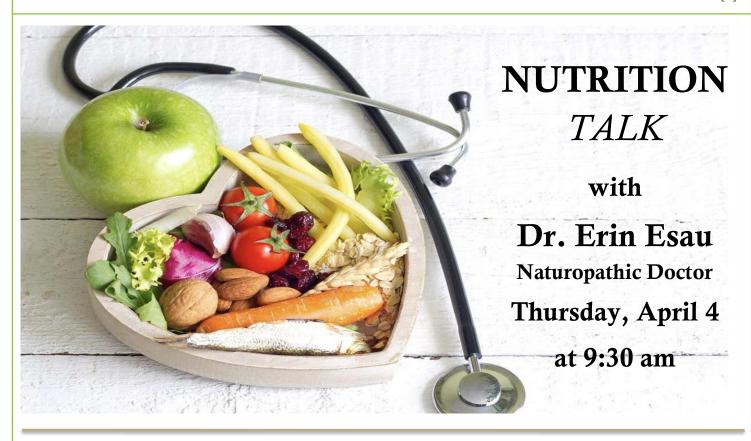
Tuesday, April 30

Join us for a fun filled day at St. Vital Mall. Cost is \$15, see page 4 for details.

# April Birthdays!

Happy Birthday to the Linden tenants celebrating a birthday this month!

Lena Bueckert – April 6 Susie Enns – April 27



### Fraud and Scam Prevention Tips

Back in February, Constable Bunn came to talk about frauds and scams of various kinds, and he encouraged us to become knowledgeable of what we can do to prevent falling prey to frauds and scams. Here are a few quick tips – for a detailed information sheet see Janie at the office.

- 1.Don't make any decisions without doing your homework. Look into the offer being made and seek advice before making any decisions.
  - 2. Never send money or provide personal banking details to anyone you don't know and trust.
- 3.Delete and do not open any e-mails that appear to be suspicious. Looking at the e-mail address may help to verify if it is from a reliable source.
- 4. Do not trust unsubstantiated claims about medicines, magic pills or miracle cures. Always consult your doctor who is knowledgeable about medicinal options that might be right for you.
- 5. If you feel unsure of a call, e-mail or text message you have received. Talk to someone about it to get a second opinion before acting on anything the inquirer is asking of you.
- 6. It is okay to hang up if you suspect a phone call is a scam. There is no reason you need to stay on the line.



### From the Chaplain's Desk

I have been crucified with Christ. It is no longer I who live, but Christ who lives in me.

And the life I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God,

who loved me and gave himself for me. (Galatians 2:20 ESV)

I don't know many Bible verses that better describe what it means to be a Christian, what it means to be a follower of Christ. You and I have been crucified with Christ. How appropriate as we prepare for Easter 2019.

The apostle Paul is using these words intentionally, drawing us back to Jesus' words, "If anyone would come after me, let him deny himself and take up his cross and follow me" (Matt. 16:24).

So, the cross is not just the place of death for Christ, it is the place where we have died with him. As a follower of Christ, I died to myself to the point that it is no longer I who live, but Christ lives in me and through me. What a glorious thought. What a great exchange. Being a follower of Christ means, according to Galatians 2:20, that it is no longer you or me living, but Christ living in and through us.

Yes, we live in the flesh every day, but how do we live? Do we live, relying on our own strength and resources? No, we live by faith in the Son of God. We were not just saved by faith, we live by faith every single day. We have the privilege to wake up in the morning and give the coming day into His hands, "Lord, I cannot do this on my own, I need you to live through me. I trust that you will be my wisdom, my strength, and my joy. Today, I live by faith in you."

The last phrase, "I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me," should be before our eyes every day. He loves us so much that he gave himself for every person who wants to believe. The invitation is not for you and me only. It is for everyone. "For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life" (John3:16).

This Easter season, let us celebrate Christ living in and through us. I invite you to attend the Good Friday Communion Service and the Easter Sunday service at 9:00 am here at Linden Place.

Ron Babel, Chaplain

#### Chaplain note:

Due to vacation time, I won't be at Fernwood and Linden on April 11, 12, and 13. I will be back on April 18.

# **Easter Lunch**

April 17 at 12 pm ~ Cost: \$8

Menu: Punch, Coleslaw, Mashed Potatoes,
Mushroom Meatballs, Lemon Butter Chicken,
Paska Buns,
Chocolate Cheesecake
Please sign up by Monday, April 15 at Noon.



## Good Friday Communion Service

Friday, April 19 at 9 am

Ron Babel will be here to host a Good Friday Communion Service.



#### **SPRING BLOSSOM ~ FLOWERING TREES**

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FRINGE TREE
CAROLINA SILVERBELL

# APRIL 2019

## Linden Place

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
	1	2	3	4	5	6	
		Bingo 1 pm	Stretch Class 9:30 am	Nutrition Info Coffee Break	Hair Salon Day		
		Bible Study	Soup's Hot 12 pm:	9:30 am			
		7 pm	Cream of Cauliflower w/cheese, Buns, Lemon Pie	Bingo 1 pm			
			Games Night 6:30 pm				
7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
Worship Service 9-9:30 am	Faspa 3 pm	Bingo 1 pm	Stretch Class 9:30 am	Coffee with Janie 9:30 am	Hair Salon Day	Instrumental Group 7 pm	
4 pm MB Youth		Bible Study 7 pm	Soup's Hot 12 pm: Ripe Bean Soup, White Bread, Banana Cream Pie	Bingo 1 pm		Tarak P	
			Games Night 6:30 pm				
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	
Worship Service 9-9:30 am	MCC Pick Up Day 11 am	Bingo 1 pm	NO Stretch Class	Coffee with Janie 9:30 am	Good Friday Communion		
4 pm MB Youth		Bible Study 7 pm	Easter Lunch 12 pm: See menu on page	Bingo 1 pm	Service 9 am (No Hair Salon)		
			Games Night 6:30 pm		(NO Ungers)		
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	
Happy Easter!		Bingo 1 pm	Stretch Class 9:30 am	Coffee with Janie 9:30 am	Hair Salon Day		
Worship Service		NO Bible Study	Soup's Hot 12pm:				
9-9:30 am 4 pm MB Youth		Margaretha & John Music Night 6 pm	Chicken Noodle Soup, Brown Bread, Chocolate Pie	Bingo 1 pm			
		Night o pin	Games Night 6:30 pm				
28	29	30					
Worship Service	Potluck Lunch	Bus Trip					
9-9:30 am	12 pm	9-3:30pm					
4 pm Youth		Bingo 1 pm					
		Bible Study					
		7 pm					