

February 2019

FERNWOOD NEWS

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*Valentine's
Day Lunch*

Thursday, February 14 @ Noon

\$6 per person

See bulletin boards for more info

Shopping Trip to St. Vital Mall

Monday, February 11 from 9:00 am—3:30 pm

Cost: \$15.00/person

See Eva to sign up



CHERYL'S SHOPPING BAG



WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 6

11:00AM - 1:00PM

Mordens'
OF WINNIPEG

*Trinkets
&
Treasures*

Greeting Cards

JANUARY BIRTHDAY PHOTOS



ELMA THIESSEN



ALICE KROEKER

MONTHLY BIRTHDAY PARTY!

This month's Birthday Party will be on Friday, February 15 @ 2pm

February Birthdays

*2 Peter Harms
6 Jane Stewart
8 Grace Gryba
9 Agnes Brazeaux*

*13 Helen Bergman
18 Jake Harms
18 Sara Koop
22 Helen Zulak*

*23 Ruth Bercier
25 Edna Reimer
26 Elma Loepky
29 Richard Wieler*

INCOME TAX SERVICES



This year, Edwin Klassen will be offering his services to prepare tax returns. He will be coming to Fernwood in March to collect your papers to prepare your income tax forms. The cost is \$50.00 for a simple, single return. Check the bulletin boards for when he will be here. If you would like to have him prepare your income tax forms, please bring your income tax information to the MPR on that date.

FRAUD PRESENTATION

FRIDAY,
FEBRUARY 22
@ 2PM

*COME LEARN MORE ABOUT
FRAUD AND SCAMS FROM
CONSTABLE GABRIEL BUNN*

Laundry Room Reminders

- Only use laundry room that is assigned to you
- Make sure to clean up after use
- Only do your laundry in your scheduled time slot or at times when nobody is scheduled.



**meal
ticket**



When ordering meals for the next day please make sure you speak with Elma or Eva.

Phone messages may not be heard in time.



TENANT WORKSHOP

Please remember to report all broken tools to Elma.

February 2019 Menu

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 Fruit Punch Mushroom Meatballs Mashed Potatoes Caesar Salad Triple Layer Lemon Dessert	2
3	4 Peach Juice Cottage Cheese Perogies Farmer Sausage Coleslaw Blueberry Sauce	5 White Grape Juice Beef Stoganoff w/ Noodles Peas Garlic Toast Cookies & Ice Cream	6 Cream of Potato Bacon Soup Ham Sandwich Peach Pie w/ Ice Cream	7 Apple Juice Pork Tenderlion Mashed Potatoes Corn Keylime Square	8 Orange Juice Lemon Butter Chicken Rice Peas & Carrots Lasy Daisy Cake	9
10	11 Cherry Juice Chicken & Bubbat Mashed Potatoes Corn Pecan Tarts	12 Tomato Juice Roast Beef Mashed Potatoes Carrots & Onions Vanilla Tapioca Pudding	13 Chicken Noodle Soup Fresh Brown Bread Cream Pie	14 Cranberry Juice Mushroom Pork Chops O'Brien Potatoes Peas Cupids Cloud Dessert	15 Fruit Punch Lazy Cabbage Roll Casserole Mixed Vegetables Buttermilk Fruit Salad	16
17	18 Peach Juice Cod Fish Potato Wedges Cucumber Salad Cottage Cheese Fruit Salad	19 White Grape Juice Meat Loaf Mashed Potatoes Mixed Vegetables Cherry Cha Cha	20 Cream of Broccoli w/ Cheese Fresh White Bread Apple Pie w/ Ice Cream	21 Apple Juice S&S Farmer Sausage Rice Tossed Salad Date Square	22 Orange Juice Ranch Chicken Mashed Potatoes Peas & Carrots Chocolate Cake	23
24	25 Cherry Juice Chicken Drumsticks Baby Roast Potatoes Carrots Rice Pudding	26 Tomato Juice Sweet & Sour Veal Rice Corn Cheese Cake	27 Kommst Borsht Cheese Biscuits Cream Pie	28 Cranberry Juice Kielke w/ Onions Ham Mixed Vegetables Dreamsickle Salad		

From the Chaplain's Desk

Now that you have purified yourselves by obeying the truth so that you have sincere love for each other, love one another deeply, from the heart. (1 Peter 1:22)

February 14th is Valentine's Day, the day many cultures set aside to celebrate love. It's a day of celebrating romance, a day of flowers and hearts. Chances are, you will see hundreds of hearts on Valentine's day alone, candy shaped hearts, hearts of store windows, hearts on billboards, and hearts on Valentine's cards. In our culture, the heart has become the sign of romantic love.

The apostle Peter makes a strong connection between the heart and love, but it's not the connection that is advertised and celebrated on Valentine's day. The chief command of this verse reads, *"love one another deeply, from the heart."* The meaning here is much different from the romantic norm of most Valentine's cards.

The Greek word for love Peter is using here comes from the word *agape*, which refers to choiceful, self-giving, and sacrificial action for the sake of another person. Jesus demonstrated this love when he washed the disciple's feet at the Last Supper and commanded, *"If I then, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also ought to wash one another's feet. ¹⁵ For I have given you an example, that you also should do just as I have done to you."* (John 13:14)

In today's verse, Peter is making the connection to the heart. While today the heart symbolizes romance, in the language of 1Peter, the heart is the center of thinking, willing, choosing, and feeling. The emotional dimension of love is not a central part of the heart.

So, is love a matter of the heart? Yes, in the sense that love is something we chose to do, being motivated by emotions and conviction. Is love something romantic? Yes, romance is a gift from God to enrich the love between man and woman. The love we find in 1 Peter 1:22 is a love that transcends feelings of romance, a love that flows from commitment, a love that perseveres in good times and in bad.

This Valentine's Day, send cards with hearts to the ones you love. But all the time, love one another deeply, from the heart, committing to one another in deep self-giving, sacrificial action and support.

Ron Babel, Chaplain

February 2019 Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 9:30am Exercises in Games room	2
3 10am- Worship Service	4 9:30am- Exercises in Games room 2pm- Coffee Break 7pm- Bible study	5 9:30- 11:30- MIM 7pm- The Ungers <small>Offering will be taken for Today House and Backstage</small>	6 9:30am Exercises in Games room 11am-1pm Cheryl's Shopping Bag	7	8 9:30am Exercises in Games room 2-4pm-Mary's Bake Sale	9
10 10am- Worship Service	11 9:30am- Exercises in Games room 11 am- MCC pickup Bus Trip 7pm- Bible study	12 9:30- 11:30- MIM 7pm- John Penner <small>Offering will be taken for Today House and Backstage</small>	13 9:30am Exercises in Games room 2-3pm- Bingo	14 10-4- Quilters 2-3pm- Library	15 9:30am Exercises in Games room 2pm-February Birthday Party!	16
17 10am- Worship Service	18 9:30am- Exercises in Games room 7pm- Bible study OFFICE CLOSED	19 9:30- 11:30- MIM 7pm- Fernwood Variety <small>Offering will be taken for Today House and Backstage</small>	20 9:30am Exercises in Games room 2-3pm- Bingo	21 7pm- Abe Loewen and Group	22 9:30am Exercises in Games room 2pm- Fraud Presentation 7:30pm- Steinbach Church of God	23
24 10am- Worship Service	25 9:30am Exercises in Games room 2pm- Coffee Break 7pm- Bible study	26 9:30- 11:30- MIM 7pm- Mitchell Seniors Choir <small>Offering will be taken for Today House and Backstage</small>	27 9:30am Exercises in Games room 2-3pm- Bingo	28 10-4- Quilters 2-4:30 pm- Martha's Bake Sale		