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LINDEN PLACE NEWS

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"Spring shows us what God can do with a drab and dirty world."

Virgil A. Craft





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April Birthdays

April 17 at 1:30 pm

Birthday Treats & Coffee/Tea - Cost \$2 Free for those celebrating a birthday this month!

Happy Birthday to:

April 5 - Cliff Dueck (#305) April 12 - Irma Wiebe (#206)



ENTERTAINMENT AT LINDEN:

Book Mobile: Friday, April 5 at 1 pm

Browse a great selection of books, audio books, magazines and more from the Jake Epp Library!



Giesbrecht Family Singers: Saturday, April 13th

The Giesbrechts are back from vacation and looking forward to coming again!

Music with Joe Draude: Monday, April 22 at 1:30 pm Joe Draude will be here to entertain us.

On behalf of the HavenGroup Foundation, we would like to express our gratitude for the generous donations we received at our 2024 Dessert Evening Fundraiser event.

You have provided support towards honouring our seniors, as we continue to provide exemplary facilities, services and care for our residents and tenants who reside within HavenGroup.

Abe Bergen, HavenGroup Foundation Board Chair
Tannis Nickel, Chief Executive Officer

From the Chaplain's Desk

"...and many bodies of the saints who had fallen asleep were raised, and coming out of the graves after His resurrection went into the holy city and appeared to many."

Matt. 27:52-53

Christ is risen from the dead! The verse quoted above is a strange one. It states that right after Christ died these holy ones were raised and appeared to many people in Jerusalem. What on earth does that mean? When Christ died, His soul travelled down to Hades, the place of waiting assigned to the dead. However, He went there with a difference: While Christ's human death was a true, real death, He died without sin. Moreover, though He died a man, He lives forever as perfect God. And so instead of entering death to await judgement, He went down Himself as Judge and Redeemer: "...being put to death in the body, but made alive by the Spirit, by whom also He went and preached to the spirits in prison [in Hades]..." (1 Pt. 3:18-19).

Christ entered death not as just another among the dead, but as Life Himself, there by His death to redeem, heal, and save. He claimed the keys of death away from the hand of the Devil who held them for many long ages (Gen. 3:14), and set free those who were captive there. "I am the living One. I was dead, and now look, I Am alive forever and ever. And I hold the keys of death and Hades" (Rev. 1:18).

Christ entered Death to set free the Old Testament saints. These are the ones who were raised when He died, and yet entered Death alive.

Their appearances in Jerusalem ("the holy city") prefigure the entering of all God's people into the heavenly Jerusalem, the city and Kingdom which comes down from God when we are all raised at the end of the age. Christ is risen!

Scot Moir, SHI Chaplain (204-326-2547)

WEDNESDAYS: CHAPEL at 10am, BIBLE STUDY at 10:30 am

Everyone is welcome to join! Scot will also be here on Wednesday afternoons for one-on-one meetings in the Library. Call him to make an appointment or just stop by.



Easter Bingo

Tuesday, April 2 at 1:30 pm

Easter themed prizes!

Keen Companion Health Services Wednesday, April 3 at 1:30 pm

Keen Companion Health Services offer fee-forservice blood collection and laboratory services in the South East area.

Join us as they give us more information on what they do. Coffee and treats will be served.



Southwood School Literacy Program

Thursdays: April 4 & 25 at 2:15 pm

Please join us as we watch and engage with these Grade 3 kids while they share what they're currently learning in their literacy program at school.

ABBY NEEDS A GRANDMA



Thursdays, April 11 & 25 at 10 am

Abby is coming to hang out with her "grandmas"! Everyone is welcome to join, coffee and treats will be served,

AND.... it's all for free!

April 11 - We'll be playing Linden Place Jeopardy!

April 25 - To Be Announced (watch for posters with details)



Best Grandma Everl



Bingo with Owen

Saturdays: April 13 & 27 at 12:30pm

Owen, an SRSS student volunteer, will be coming to play Bingo. Everyone is welcome to join and there will be prizes to be won.



Income Tax Returns

For those who dropped off their tax information for Ed Klassen, he will be returning your information sometime this month; I will let you know when he has returned your information.

Bake Sale with Pearl

Tuesday, April 16 from 10 - 10:30 am

She'll be bringing a variety of breads (including cinnamon raisin), pizza rolls, cookies (sugar free, meringue, jam-jams, ginger snaps and icing cookies) and more!





Potluck Lunch

Wednesday, April 24 at Noon

Bring some food to share and we'll enjoy a fun lunch together! (Ideas: casserole, salad, buns, dessert). Don't have anything on hand? **Bring \$3 to contribute.**



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LINDEN MENU

S	W	Т	W	Т	F	S
	1	Orange Juice Roast Beef Mashed Potatoes Cucumber Salad Cupcakes	3	Peach Juice Mushroom Pork Chops Scalloped Potatoes Marinated Carrots Cookies	5	6
7	8	Apple Juice Chicken Cordon Blue Mashed Potatoes Lettuce Salad Rhubarb Dessert	10	Fruit Punch BBQ Ribs O'Brien Potatoes Peas Jello	12	13
14	15	16 Cranberry Juice Hamburger Steak & Onions Mashed Potatoes Cucumber Salad Dessert	17	Peach Juice Hot Dogs Chips Tossed Salad Raspberry Dessert	19	20
21	22	Iced Tea Sweet & Sour Chicken Thighs Rice Green Beans Strawberry Dessert	24	Apple Juice Spaghetti & Meat Sauce Garlic Bread Veggies Coconut Pudding	26	27
28	29	Orange Juice Roast Beef Mashed Potatoes Cucumber Salad Cupcakes				

*Cost: \$8.50 per meal. *Sign up by Thursday of the week before. No cost if you cancel the day before.



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LINDEN EVENTS



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	OFFICE CLOSED 10 am: Coffee with Friends	12 pm: Group Lunch 1:30 pm: Easter Bingo	3 10 & 10:30 am: Chapel/ Bible Study 1:30 pm: Keen Companion Presentation	12 pm: Group Lunch 2:15 pm: Southwood School Program	5 1:00 pm: Book Mobile	6
7 9 am: Chapel Service (John Hildebrandt)	8 10 am: Coffee Time	9 12 pm: Group Lunch 1:30 pm: Bingo	10 & 10:30 am: Chapel/ Bible Study	10 am: Abby Needs A Grandma 12 pm: Group Lunch	12	12:30 pm: Bingo with Owen 7 pm: The Giesbrechts
9 am: Chapel Service (Emmanuel Free Church)	10 am: Coffee Time	10 am: Bake Sale with Pearl 12 pm: Group Lunch 1:30 pm: Bingo	17 10 & 10:30 am: Chapel/ Bible Study 1:30 pm: Birthday Party	18 12 pm: Group Lunch	19	20
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