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**Linden Place News**

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May there always be work for your hands to do.

May your purse always hold a coin or two.

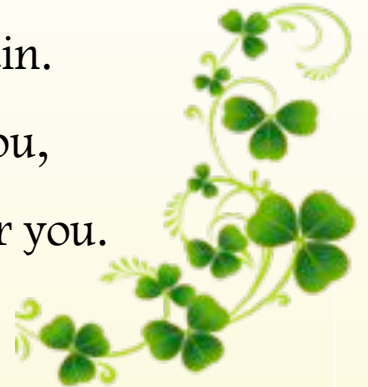
May the sun always shine on your window pane.

May a rainbow be certain to follow each rain.

May the hand of a friend always be near you,

May God fill your heart with gladness to cheer you.

*-An Irish Blessing*



## *Save The Date!*

### **Cheryl's Shopping Bag**

Monday, March 5

Come and see what Cheryl has brought this time! See page 3 for more details.

### **Bus Trip to Winnipeg**

Tuesday, March 20

Join us for a fun trip to Kildonan Mall!  
See page 4 for details.

### **Easter Lunch at 12 pm**

Wednesday, Mar. 28

Join us for our Easter Lunch!  
Cost \$8, please sign up by March 22.  
Details on page 4.

## **March Birthdays!**

There are no March birthdays here at Linden. We'll have to wait until April to do more celebrating!

## From the Chaplain's Desk

*"For as often as you eat this bread and drink this cup,  
you proclaim the Lord's death until he comes." (1 Corinthians 11:26)*

Paul's description of Christ's final supper with his disciples is one of the most beautiful in all scripture, reflecting on the event also described in three of the four gospels. The event of breaking bread and drinking wine was since named differently in different denominations of the church, such as *Communion*, *The Lord's Supper*, or *The Eucharist*.

Each name we use for this sacrament or ordinance brings out a different dimension to it. It is the *Lord's Supper* because it commemorates the Passover meal Jesus ate with his disciples. The name *Eucharist* is taken from the original word for thanksgiving, for in it we give thanks to God for Christ's work for us. It is *Communion* because we commune with God and other believers at the Lord's Table. But no matter what we call it, it is a fellowship of believers by which they gather to remember the sacrifice of our Lord Jesus Christ.

On the night when he was betrayed, Jesus himself instituted this 'remembrance'. Luke tells us in his gospel that Jesus 'took bread, gave thanks and broke it, and gave it to them, saying, "This is my body given for you; do this in remembrance of me." In the same way, after the supper he took the cup, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in my blood, which is poured out for you"' (Luke 22:19-20). (Also see: Matthew 26:26-29; Mark 14:22-24.)

As we eat the bread and drink the wine, we should be quietly reflective as we recall Jesus' death and His promise to come again. We should be grateful for God's gift to us, and joyful as we meet with Jesus and the body of believers at the table.

Since Jesus instituted Communion on the night he was betrayed, I would like to invite you to a Communion Service on Good Friday, March 30, at 9:00 am at Linden Place. Let us gather to celebrate the remembrance of Christ's sacrifice for us, and the promise of His coming.

Ron Babel, Chaplain

Ron will be at **Linden Place on Wednesdays from 9am to 1pm.**



### Daylight Saving Time Begins: Sunday, March 11

Don't forget to turn your clocks **ahead ONE hour on Saturday night**. This is also a good time to update the information in your ERIK kit.

## Cheryl's Shopping Bag

shop  
in the warmth  
and comfort  
of your home!



**Monday, March 5 from  
11am – 1pm**

Lots of variety to choose from:  
Chocolates, gift-wrap, everyday  
cards, Easter treats, fashion  
accessories and so much more!

Cash, Personal Cheques, Visa, Master  
Card and Debit accepted.

## Income Tax Time Help

Monday, March 19 at 7pm

Edwin Klassen, a Chartered Professional Accountant, will be coming on March 19 to pick up tax information. If you would like him to complete your tax return, come to the Multi Purpose Room with all your information at 7 pm. The charge for this service is \$50.



## Good Friday Communion Service

**Friday, March 30 at 9 am**

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





# Easter Lunch

Wednesday, March 28

Noon in the MPR

Cost: \$8

**Sign up by Noon on Thursday, March 22**

## **Easter Lunch Menu:**

Ham, Meatballs, Potatoes w/Gravy, Mixed Vegies, Punch,  
& Lemon/Blueberry Parfaits for dessert.

## **Bus Trip to Kildonan Place**

Tuesday, March 20 9:15-3:30

All aboard for a Bus Trip to Kildonan Place!

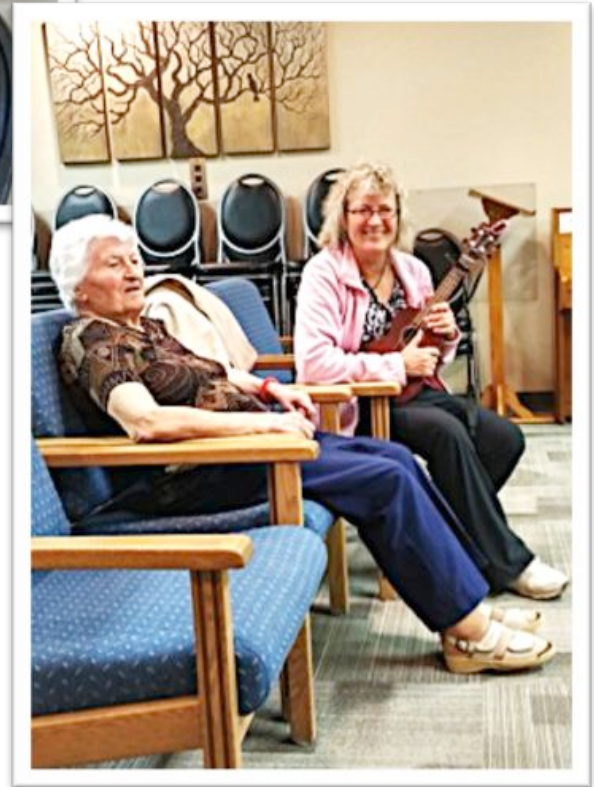
There are some new stores there that we thought were worth checking out! Cost: \$15 per person and includes snacks on the bus!

Lunch is extra but you can eat wherever you wish, there are lots of great choices in the Mall!

Sign up by Thursday, March 15.




# Valentine's Day Fun!



# March 2018

## Linden Place

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 Coffee with Janie 9:30 am  Bingo 1 pm	2 Hair Salon Day	3
4 Worship Service 9-9:30 am 4 pm MB Youth	5 <b>Cheryl's Shopping Bag</b> 11am – 1pm	6 Bingo 1 pm  Bible Study 7 pm	7 Soup's Hot 12 pm <i>Cream of Potato &amp; Bacon Soup, Grilled Cheese Sandwiches, Cherry Pie</i>  Games Night 6:30 pm	8 Coffee with Janie 9:30 am  Bingo 1 pm	9 Hair Salon Day	10 Instrumental Group 7 pm   SPRING AHEAD!
11 Worship Service 9-9:30 am 4 pm MB Youth	12 <b>Faspa 3 pm</b>	13 Bingo 1 pm  Bible Study 7 pm	14 Soup's Hot 12 pm <i>Chicken Noodle Soup, Brown Bread, Peach Pie</i>  Games Night 6:30 pm	15 St. Patrick's Day Coffee with Janie 9:30 am  Bingo 1 pm	16 Hair Salon Day  <b>The Ungers 7 pm</b>	17  <b>Happy St. Patrick's Day</b>
18 Worship Service 9-9:30 am 4 pm MB Youth	19 <b>Income Tax Time Help 7pm</b>	20 <b>Bus Trip 9:15-3:30</b> Bingo 1 pm  Bible Study 7 pm	21 Soup's Hot 12 pm <i>Cream of Broccoli, Fresh White Bread, Apple Pie</i>  Games Night 6:30 pm	22 Coffee with Janie 9:30 am  Bingo 1 pm	23 Hair Salon Day	24 <b>MPR Booked</b>
25 Worship Service 9-9:30 am 4 pm MB Youth <b>Palm Sunday</b>	26 <b>Potluck Lunch 12 pm</b>	27 Bingo 1 pm NO Bible Study <b>Margaretha &amp; John Music Night 6:00 pm</b>	28 <b>EASTER LUNCH 12 pm</b> <i>Punch, Ham, Meatballs, Potatoes w/Gravy, Mixed Vegies, Lemon/Blueberry Parfaits</i>  Games Night 6:30 pm	29 Coffee with Janie 9:30 am  NO Bingo <b>Bake Sale with the Barkmans 2-4 pm</b>	30 NO Hair Salon  <b>Good Friday Service 10 am</b> 	31