

# Third Ave News

August 7, 2011  
from the Pews ... and beyond

The Mission of Third Avenue United Church  
is to reach out with love and provide a welcoming place, especially for downtown people.  
We offer strength, courage, and support in a safe nurturing environment.

## Welcome

We welcome everyone to worship this morning. If you are a guest or a newcomer, please sign one of our guest books at either of the back entrances. If you would like information on any of the church activities, contact us at 306-652-6812 304 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue N. Saskatoon, SK S7K 2J1

Please visit our websites at [www.thirdavenueunitedchurch.org](http://www.thirdavenueunitedchurch.org) [www.sanctuaryonthird.org](http://www.sanctuaryonthird.org) Become a fan on Facebook

A special welcome to all our friends from Knox United Church. We enjoy this time of togetherness and look forward to spending our summer with you.

## Friends and Guests!



If you use a cane or walker, please use our elevator entrance on Third Avenue. It is much easier than the stairs.

There are head sets at the back of the Sanctuary for those who need assistance hearing the service.

There are visitor offering envelopes folded in the pews if you wish to make an offering to our beautiful church.

## This Week at Third Avenue

**Today:** 10:30 a.m. Service  
Hymn Sing

**Mon:** Church Office Closed  
9:00 a.m. Vacation Bible School (VBS)

**Tue:** Church Office Closed  
9:00 a.m. VBS  
3:00 p.m. Funeral for Neville Robson

**Wed:** Church Office Open 9-4  
9:00 a.m. VBS  
11:30 a.m. Weight Watchers

**Thur:** Church Office Open 9-3  
9:00 a.m. VBS

**Fri:** Church Office Open 9-4  
9:00 a.m. VBS  
11:30 a.m. Weight Watchers  
5:30 p.m. Rehearsal

**Sat:** 1:00 p.m. Wedding

**Next Sunday:** 10:30 a.m. Service  
Hymn Sing, Baptism  
& the VBS children perform



Please join us downstairs for refreshments and fellowship following the service.



## OFFERTORY

General (Local)	\$ 1150.00
Mission and Service	\$ 43.00
Building	\$ 25.00
Benevolent Fund	\$ 100.00
Bridging Appeal	\$ 100.00
<b>Total Offering</b>	<b>\$ 1418.00</b>

## July 2011

General (Local)	\$ 1418.00
Mission and Service	\$ 141.00
Building	\$ 51.60
Bridging Appeal	\$ 500.00
<b>Total Offering</b>	<b>\$ 2530.60</b>

## Church Duty Roster

Today: Philip Bray is responsible for opening and closing the church.

Next Week: Barry Duncan is responsible for opening and closing the church.

## Lectionary Readings August 14

Genesis 45:1 - 15  
Psalm 133  
Romans 11:1 - 2a, 29-32  
Matthew 15:(10 - 20), 21 - 28



## August Hymn Sing

Please submit your favourite hymns to the box in the Narthex.

Hymns will be chosen at random and sung before the service each week in August.

Here is your chance to play Music Director.

## Hosting Coffee After Church



This Week: Last names beginning with G - L.

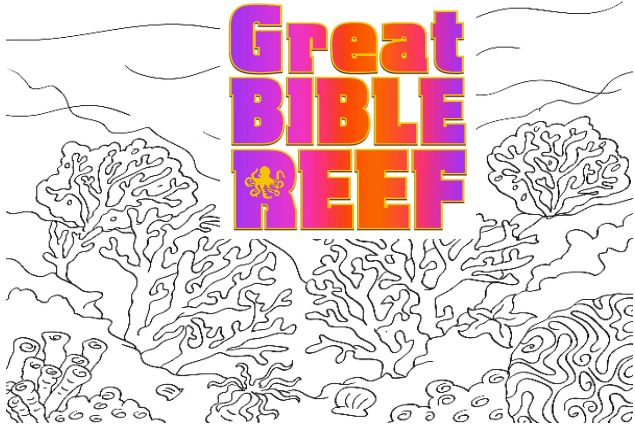
Next Week: Last names beginning with M - R.

Please try to come early to set up if you are able (by 10:00 a.m.), or help serve coffee and clean up, or bring baking or goodies for snack.

After coffee on Sundays, please put all tables/chairs away

# Happening at Third Avenue United Church

# Great BIBLE REEF



## Third Avenue United Church

Vacation Bible School  
happening August 8-12  
9:00-12:00

You can still register at the door.

If anyone would like to make a monetary donation to VBS please mark your envelope or speak to Philip. Thank you.

# Benefit Concert

For Third Avenue Centre for  
Community Enrichment

An exciting evening in one of  
Canada's most acoustically  
beautiful spaces!

Funds go to the development  
of the Third Avenue Centre for  
Community Enrichment.

**Tuesday, August 16<sup>th</sup>  
@ 7:30 p.m.**

**Third Ave United Church**

Tickets through  
PicaTic.com  
(and church office)  
Adults \$20, Students \$15,  
Children (6 to 12) \$10

Featuring  
Kirby Criddle  
Sarah Farthing  
Stephen Maguire  
and  
Jeffery Straker

For more info:  
[rosannaparry@shaw.ca](mailto:rosannaparry@shaw.ca)  
229-8289

## SAVE THE DATE!! Scrapbook 'n' Craft Day

Sanctuary on Third, VBS and Sunday School Program  
Fundraiser

When: **Saturday September 10<sup>th</sup>**

Where: **Third Avenue United**

Fee: Scrapbookers 9am-12am \$45

Knitters 9am-4pm \$25, 4pm-12am. \$25  
9am-12am \$45.

This event is not limited to just scrapbooking or  
knitting, whatever craft you would like to do is fine,  
we have had cross-stitchers, painters, any craft you  
would like to do.

For information call Brenda Stokalko at 934-6030.

## Jan Lisiecki in Recital Oct 23 at 7:30 p.m.



Tickets available  
at the Persephone Theatre Box Office

Pianist Jan Lisiecki comes to make a memorable  
encore.

The Saskatoon Registered Music Teachers are proud to  
present the 16 year old pianist's return to Saskatoon.  
Lisiecki wowed a sold out crowd at his Saskatoon debut in  
2010. Lisiecki has performed at all the greatest concerts  
and with the world's leading orchestras.  
He is a Deutsche Grammophon artist.

## BULLETIN BOARD (*The Wider Community*)

### Volunteers needed for the Scottish Pavillion

Preparations are in full swing for the Scottish Pavilion.  
The committee members have been working hard to  
make this year's pavilion another success.

We have a large number of volunteer shifts that need to  
be filled in order to run the pavilion. As of right now, we  
will have a hard time running the kitchen on Saturday as  
there is one person scheduled to work besides the  
Kitchen Chair.

If you are able to volunteer for any shifts that would be  
greatly appreciated. Know anyone who would be  
interested in working a shift or two? Ask your friends and  
family.

Please contact Tanyne Berry [t.berry@sasktel.net](mailto:t.berry@sasktel.net) or  
Rachelle Lockwood [rhollman79@hotmail.com](mailto:rhollman79@hotmail.com) to find out  
what areas still need help and what volunteer shifts are  
still available.

### **"Music for the Gut"**

A Benefit Concert for Crohn's and Colitis  
Jordie Hughton and Friends - Top local talent  
performing an eclectic program of musical theatre,  
classical, and contemporary favorites.

Accompanied by Mark Turner.

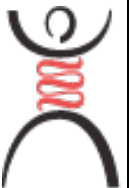
Saturday, Aug. 27 at 7:00 pm

Grace Westminster United Church

Tickets \$15 at the door.

Donations welcome!

All proceeds go to the Crohn's and Colitis  
Foundation of Canada.



### **Auntie Jan's Helping Hands**

Available for:

weekly cleaning, downsizing, sorting, purging,  
de-cluttering, organizing, transitioning from  
the family home, packing and unpacking,  
shopping and errands.

For a complimentary consultation,  
please call Jan McKechnie at: 343-1424.