CROSSROADS UNITED PASTORAL CHARGE



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July 7th, 2019

Minister & Worship Leader

Roy Bortolotto

Ministry of Music

Maryfield: Mary Lou Sweeting

Wawota: Nicki Ford

We Gather as God's People

Lighting the Christ Candle

One: As we light the Christ Candle, we ask that the Spirit move in each of us to share the message of Jesus in our words and actions.

All: Make us believers of passion and conviction, O God. Challenge us with the work you call us to do: pursuing peace, confronting injustice, making disciples. Amen.

Introit: #402 We Are One (v.1 only)

Welcome & Announcements

Minute for Mission

Call to Worship:

One: Seeking God's peace,

All: we come to this place of reflection and calm.

One: Seeking God's presence,

All: we come to this place of worship and prayer.

One: Seeking God' challenge,

All: we come to this place where God's word demands action.

One: Seeking God's love,

All: we come to this place where all are graciously welcomed in.

One: Come, let's gather to worship God.

Hymn #371 [VU] Open My Eyes That I May See

Opening Prayer

Gracious God, we thank you for calling us together today in this place to worship you, to pray, to sing, and to hear your word. Instruct us with wisdom. Lift up our hearts by your Spirit, that we may magnify your name and walk in the way that you show us

through Jesus Christ. We pray for your blessing and peace, your hope and strength, so we may be instruments of your healing love, compassion and understanding. All this we pray in Jesus' name. Amen.

Lord's Prayer

Hymn #316 [VU] Praise Our Maker

Time The Young at Heart

We Listen For God's Word

Scriptures: 1 Corinthians 16:13-14

Psalm 82 -#799 Luke 10:25-37

Reflection

We Respond to God's Word

Hymn #488 [VU] Friends, Let Us Love Each Other*

Prayer of Confession

All: Loving God, as we worship this day, it's easy to grumble and complain. Our hearts are often hardened by the troubles of this world and of our lives. Open us to your flowing Spirit. Refresh us with your joy. Break down all that separates us from being with you. Amen.

Words of Assurance

One: The Good News is God's grace is freely given to all who come seeking.

All: We're forgiven and ready to begin once again, anew in Gods' love and grace. Thanks be to God. Amen.

Offering, Doxology (#537 [VU] Your Work, O God, Needs Many

Hands) and Dedication

Prayers of the People

Hymn #591 [VU] Jesus, United by Your Grace

Commissioning and Benediction:

One: Go from our time of worship to meet our neighbours with open hands and an open heart, giving and receiving the goodness of God's love. All: We go to love God and our neighbours as ourselves. Amen.

Response: #212 [MV] Sent Out in Jesus' Name

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Happening!

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Worship times: Apr to Jul: MUC @ 9:30 am, WUC @ 11:30 am Bulletin Sponsorship: If you would like to dedicate a service to a love one, please send a cheque of \$6.00 (no cash please) to Lynne Swanson (Box 390, Wawota, SK S0G 5A0). This will cover the cost of the new bulletin overs. Please indicate the week and name(s) of your loved one(s).

Summer events:

<u>Worship</u>: July: Sunday, July 14. <u>No</u> worship service July 21 and 28. August: Sunday, August 4 Church in the Park (Wawota – <u>no</u> service in Maryfield)

Sunday, August 11 (note time change – Wawota at 9:30, Maryfield at 11:30)

No worship service August 18 and 25, as well as September 1.

<u>Vacation</u>: Roy will be away for vacation, July 15-28 and August 19-31, 2019. Dawn Wilson will be available for pastoral emergencies. Her phone number is (306) 645-4359.

Wawota

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DVL events

<u>August</u>: worship August 7, 10:30 a.m. <u>No</u> visitation during July and August.

Maryfield

Bible study: <u>No</u> Bible study during the summer months. Bible study resumes Thursday, Sept.5

Villa worship service/communion: <u>None</u> during the summer months. This resumes Thursday, Sept.5

Board meeting: short meeting after service July 7.