

AUGUST 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3	4
AUGUST 7 - 10 Vacation Bible School AUGUST 15 - 19 CLAY in Thunder Bay						
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
11 PENTECOST 10:00 am Service of Holy Communion	OFFICE CLOSED 8:00 pm AA Group Meeting	9:00 am - Noon Vacation Bible Camp	9:00 am - Noon Vacation Bible Camp	9:00 am - Noon Vacation Bible Camp 7:00 pm AI-Anon Meeting	9:00 am - Noon Vacation Bible Camp 9:30 am - 5:00 pm RCM Exams	9:30 am - 5:00 pm RCM Exams
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
12 PENTECOST 10:00 am Service of Holy Communion	12:00 Noon Fitness 8:00 pm AA Group Meeting	4:00 pm Food Depot		9:00 am - 3:00 pm Babysitter Course 7:00 pm AI-Anon Meeting		
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
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26	27	28	29	30	31	
14 PENTECOST 10:00 am Service of Holy Communion 11:30 am Ministry Meeting	12:00 Noon Fitness 8:00 pm AA Group Meeting	4:00 pm Food Depot	HSLC Summer Office Hours: General office hours are Monday thru Friday from 8:30 am - 3:30 pm. These hours may be reduced to accommodate vacation time for staff. Please call ahead if you plan to drop by for a visit. Emergency contact phone numbers are available when you call and access the voice mail messages.			

MISSION STATEMENT: Holy Spirit Lutheran Church provides a welcoming and nurturing environment for anyone who chooses to join us in our walk with Jesus. In this walk, we praise God, we cherish community, we strive for justice, and we learn about our faith, our world, and each other. In our shared and individual lives, we are witnesses of God's saving grace, love, and forgiveness through our actions, attitudes, and relationships with others.



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Pastor: Rev. Lindsey Jorgensen-Skakum

Administration: Lori Z.

STAY IN TOUCH

Check out our website:

www.holyspiritlutheran.ca for

- Worship service times
- PDF copies of *Holy Spirit Connects*
- Sunday sermons (PDF and audio recordings available)
- Link to our Facebook page
- Twitter feed

Deadline for our Fall 2018

Newsletter: Friday, August 17

Sunday Bulletin Submission

Deadline: Tuesday each week by 3:00 pm.



A CLAY Sending!

Pr. Lindsey and some of our youth have been waiting too. And now in August they will be off, traveling with others from the Edmonton area all the way to Thunder Bay! There, they will join in worship, prayer, song, learning, and sharing as they explore faith from a youth perspective. Working to help our youth grow in faith is a generous and caring ministry we do together.

Whether you are coming or going this summer, remember God is alongside of you to encourage and inspire you. As the psalmist says (Psalm 139:8-10):

If I go up to the heavens, you are there; if I make my bed in the depths, you are there. If I rise on the wings of the dawn, if I settle on the far side of the sea, even there your hand will guide me, your right hand will hold me fast.

What a wonderful reminder of God's dwelling with us. These are wonderful examples of living out faith in our present time. So, be challenged to see God in your own comings and goings; may God challenge you this summer to actively be the God-person you already are.

And may you be blessed as you do so,
Pastor Trish

TREASURER'S REPORT 2018

	Income	Expenditures	Difference
January	\$ 30,209	\$ 31,584	(\$ 1,375)
February	\$ 21,769	\$ 30,658	(\$ 8,889)
March	\$ 23,458	\$ 32,073	(\$ 8,615)
April	\$ 28,627	\$ 32,874	(\$ 4,247)
May	\$ 24,683	\$ 31,739	(\$ 7,056)
June	\$ 24,532	\$ 31,549	(\$ 7,017)
Sum (deficit)	\$ 153,278	\$ 190,477	(\$ 37,199)

Note: Monthly Budget amount is \$32,297

ALL ARE WELCOME!

HSLC is an affirming and inclusive community, sharing together the joy and work of God's love.

UPCOMING AT HSLC

August 5 – 11 Pentecost

10:00 am Service of Holy Communion

August 12 – 12 Pentecost

10:00 am Service of Holy Communion

August 19 – 20 Pentecost

10:00 am Service of Holy Communion

August 26 – 14 Pentecost

10:00 am Service of Holy Communion

Monday Fitness Class

Mondays from Noon – 1:00 pm

August 7 – 10 – Vacation Bible Camp

Tuesday to Friday, 9:00 am - Noon

A Canadian Welcome!

If we feel it's been a long wait for us to welcome our new Syrian friends, imagine how long it has felt for them! And yet, in God's good timing they are here, safe and sound with much thanks to the Refugee Committee. As people of faith we live out our Christ-identity when we love anyone who needs love.

Join Holy Spirit over the Summer for our Fitness Program

led by Professional Fitness Trainer Tonia Leske



Mondays



12:00 Noon at HSLC

Suggested donation – \$10 per class

All ages and fitness levels welcome