The **Annual Church Picnic** is coming up soon. Plan to attend **Sunday May 26th from 3pm til 7pm** at Bev and Dave's house **94 Aitken Cres** (in Uplands). We will have hamburgers and hotdogs but ask that you sign up to bring buns, salads and desserts. Please see the Sign up Sheet in the Narthex. There will be a Free Will Offering to cover the cost of the meat. It was a fantastic time last year so don't miss out on the fellowship and fun!! Bring a lawn chair, a water bottle and jacket (if needed) as the weather could be chilly. Hope to see you there! What a great turnout 2023.



Offerings – There are a several ways to submit an offering:

- 1. In person Sundays or drop off during the week
- 2. Mail NBLC 1037 Victoria Ave. S4P 0N6 -Regina
- 3. E-transfer <u>lutheranchurchnewbeginnings31@gmail.com</u>

 Question "name our pastor" Answer "Paulo"

Information for the May 19th bulletin can be emailed

To adzwack@accesscomm.ca

Please send prayer requests for May 19th

To: PastorPaulobrum@gmail.com

www.facebook.com/newbeginningslutheranchurch

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Email: newblchurch@gmail.com

Website: nblc.ca





Welcome to Worship Sunday May 12th, 2024 Seventh Sunday of Easter



Pastor Paulo's Sermon Today

"CRISIS AND RESPONSE"

- Acts 1:12-26

Schedule

Readers May 12th - Vince

May 19th - Kevin May 26th - Rhondda

June 2nd -

Communion May 12th and 19th

Coffee May 12th— Dot

May 19th- Penny May 26th - Bev

June 2nd - Carla

Worship May 12th - Living Hope

May 19th - Phoenix May 26th - Living Hope June 2nd - Jubilate

Worship 11:11 AM every Sunday

Pastor Paulo Brum Ministry: All of Us

306-584-7729 (Church Cell)

You can reach Pastor Paulo Brum at pastorpaulobrum@gmail.com or 306-807-1858. *Password for God'sFreeWi-Fi is john3:16

In-person attendance last Sunday was 45 people

Thank you for this week's offerings totaling \$3010.00 Praise God and thank you for continuing to bless our ministry at NBLC!

Each of you must bring a gift in proportion to the way the LORD your God has blessed you.



May 3rd - Randy S.

May 4th - Audrey A.

May 5th - Jean Marie

May 6th - Camargo

May 16th - Kevin S.

May 16^t - Cheryl W.

May 18th - Garth H.

May 18th - Hannah S.

May 27th - Dianne M.

May 28th - Sharla G.

May 29th - Penny W.

May 31st - Rocky C.

May 31st - Mediatrice

May 31st - Jackie R.

Tune in to "The Lutheran Hour"

Hear this inspirational message on $CKRM\ at\ 7:30\ am$

May 19

"Waiting, But Not Alone"

Guest Speaker: Rev. Dr. Jason Broge

Jesus leaves His followers waiting for Him to return

but He promises they will not be left alone.

(Acts 2:1-21)

Kids love adventure and they will love VBS!

VBS Scuba will be happening right here at NBLC from Aug 19th—23rd. Call the church to sign up your kids and volunteer yourself to be a part of the fun! The kids will enjoy learning about Christ's Love through stories and games and great food too! **VBS themed supper** for kids and volunteers will be provided each night. It will be an amazing Adventure! Stay tuned for more info in the weeks to come but last year's kids and volunteers had an incredible time...so don't miss out this summer!

READING OF THE GOSPEL FROM JOHN 17:11b-19 - (Vince)

Holy Father, keep them in your name, which you have given me, that they may be one, even as we are one. ¹² While I was with them, I kept them in your name, which you have given me. I have guarded them, and not one of them has been lost except the son of destruction, that the Scripture might be fulfilled. ¹³ But now I am coming to you, and these things I speak in the world, that they may have my joy fulfilled in themselves. ¹⁴ I have given them your word, and the world has hated them because they are not of the world, just as I am not of the world. ¹⁵ I do not ask that you take them out of the world, but that you keep them from the evil one. ¹⁶ They are not of the world, just as I am not of the world. ¹⁷ Sanctify them in the truth; your word is truth. ¹⁸ As you sent me into the world, so I have sent them into the world. ¹⁹ And for their sake I consecrate myself, that they also may be sanctified in truth.

Hey Kids! What are you doing this Summer??

Let's go to Camp Lutherland in July and then go to VBS Scuba in August!

Dates are set for **Camp Lutherland** with exciting changes and additions! Summer "All Ages" Camp is July 7-11 (ages 7-14); Family Camp is July 11-14 (contact <u>daryl.mang@hotmail.com</u>); "Come and Go" Camp for a day or 2 or the week for ages 7-14 is July 14-18; Seniors' Camp (55+) is Aug 5-8 (contact Garnet at <u>farm.boy@sasktel.net</u>). See our Camp Lutherland website for info/registration and our Facebook page. Early bird and family discounts available, as well as financial assistance.

An OPEN HOUSE is scheduled Sun June 9 with Worship at 10:30am in Lutherland Chapel, tours, meet/greet, etc.

PSALM 1 – The Way of the Righteous and the Wicked

- **P** Blessed is the man who walks not in the counsel of the wicked,
- C nor stands in the way of sinners, nor sits in the seat of scoffers;
- P but his delight is in the law of the Lord,
- C and on his law he meditates day and night.
- P He is like a tree planted by streams of water
- C that yields its fruit in its season, and its leaf does not wither.
- P In all that he does, he prospers.
- C The wicked are not so, but are like chaff that the wind drives away.
- P Therefore the wicked will not stand in the judgment,
- C nor sinners in the congregation of the righteous;
- P for the Lord knows the way of the righteous,
- C but the way of the wicked will perish.
- **P** Blessed is the man who walks not in the counsel of the wicked,
- C nor stands in the way of sinners, nor sits in the seat of scoffers;
- P but his delight is in the law of the Lord,

TOGETHER - and on his law he meditates day and night.

Our next **Souls Harbour meal is Tuesday May 21**st. If you would like to come and help us prepare or serve this Shepherds Pie meal for 300 hungry neighbors, please talk to Dot about volunteering! It is such a blessing to be able to serve our community in this way. Thanks for prayers and financial support for this ministry! Many hands make light work and peeling potatoes for 300 takes a lot of hands!! Hope to have you join us!

FIRST READING FROM ACTS 1:12-26 - (Vince)

Matthias Chosen to Replace Judas

¹² Then they returned to Jerusalem from the mount called Olivet, which is near Jerusalem, a Sabbath day's journey away. 13 And when they had entered, they went up to the upper room, where they were staying, Peter and John and James and Andrew, Philip and Thomas, Bartholomew and Matthew, James the son of Alphaeus and Simon the Zealot and Judas the son of James. ¹⁴ All these with one accord were devoting themselves to prayer, together with the women and Mary the mother of Jesus, and his brothers. 15 In those days Peter stood up among the brothers (the company of persons was in all about 120) and said, ¹⁶ "Brothers, the Scripture had to be fulfilled, which the Holy Spirit spoke beforehand by the mouth of David concerning Judas, who became a guide to those who arrested Jesus. ¹⁷ For he was numbered among us and was allotted his share in this ministry." 18 (Now this man acquired a field with the reward of his wickedness and falling headlong he burst open in the middle and all his bowels gushed out. 19 And it became known to all the inhabitants of Jerusalem, so that the field was called in their own language Akeldama, that is, Field of Blood.) ²⁰ "For it is written in the Book of Psalms, "May his camp become desolate, and let there be no one to dwell in it'; and "Let another take his office.' 21 So one of the men who have accompanied us during all the time that the Lord Jesus went in and out among us, 22 beginning from the baptism of John until the day when he was taken up from us—one of these men must become with us a witness to his resurrection." ²³ And they put forward two, Joseph called Barsabbas, who was also called Justus, and Matthias. 24 And they prayed and said, "You, Lord, who know the hearts of all, show which one of these two you have chosen 25 to take the place in this ministry and apostleship from which Judas turned aside to go to his own place." ²⁶ And they cast lots for them, and the lot fell on Matthias, and he was numbered with the eleven apostles.

READING OF THE EPISTLE OF 1 JOHN 5:9-15 - (Vince)

⁹ If we receive the testimony of men, the testimony of God is greater, for this is the testimony of God that he has borne concerning his Son. ¹⁰ Whoever believes in the Son of God has the testimony in himself. Whoever does not believe God has made him a liar, because he has not believed in the testimony that God has borne concerning his Son. ¹¹ And this is the testimony, that God gave us eternal life, and this life is in his Son. ¹² Whoever has the Son has life; whoever does not have the Son of God does not have life.

That You May Know

¹³ I write these things to you who believe in the name of the Son of God, that you may know that you have eternal life. ¹⁴ And this is the confidence that we have toward him, that if we ask anything according to his will he hears us. ¹⁵ And if we know that he hears us in whatever we ask, we know that we have the requests that we have asked of him.

Happy Mother's Day to all the ladies who are so special in the lives of those they care for! This includes all the special women who have "mothered us" with such caring and love!

