



---

## **Notices April 26th , 2026 - Easter 4**

Readings for this Sunday: Acts 2:42-27; 1 Peter 2:19-25; John 10:1-10  
Readings for next Sunday: Proverbs 4:10-18; 1 Peter 2:2-10; John 14:1-14

**Sunday Services: 8am and 10.30am**

**Evensong - 4.30pm - April 29th**

---

### **Weekly Events at Christ Church**

Wednesdays 11am - **Lectio Divina & Holy Eucharist** in the Chapel  
Wednesdays 5pm - **Meditation** in the Sitting Room  
Wednesdays 1pm - **Seniors Bridge** - All are welcome  
Thursdays 10.30am - **Bible Study** in the Crump Room

---

### **Special Congregation Meeting 03 May 2026:**

Just a reminder of our special congregation meeting to be held on the 3<sup>rd</sup> of May following the 10.30am Service. At this meeting you will be asked to accept the reviewed 2025 Financial Statement which was not available for our Annual Congregation Meeting in February. The statement will be sent to you electronically and limited paper copies will be made available. If you have any questions, please direct them to Canon John.

---

Building Preservation Capital Fund Raising Campaign

***"Investing in what we have today for tomorrow"***

Our Church has a wonderful history — both people and building. Fortunately, we have been able to address building repairs and maintenance on a reactive basis. However, the Church building now needs improved proactive care and attention. This means more money and establishing a building care strategy. To increase our available building capital, we would like to launch a campaign to increase funding for building preservation.

To achieve our goals, we need volunteers to form a Capital Fund Campaign Committee. Through the work of the Committee we're hoping to host a fund raising event in September. If interested in being involved please send an email to the Church Office at [office@christchurchcalgary.org](mailto:office@christchurchcalgary.org) , or speak with Tim Grant or Irene Pfeiffer.

---

## Seniors Spring Lunch



The Seniors Spring Lunch will be held on WEDNESDAY APRIL 29th from 11-1:30 pm. All Seniors are invited to attend the Eucharist followed by a delicious lunch in the Crump Room. Please let Cynthia at the office know if plan to attend and if you need a ride.

---

## Pictorial Directory

We have a limited number of Pictorial Directories available in the office at the cost of \$20 each. If you would like to

purchase one please contact Cynthia in the office

---

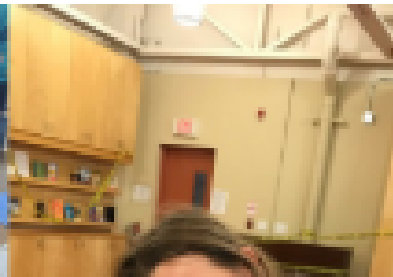
## Flowers

There is an available spot for February 21, 2027 for Altar flowers, and one for Chapel flowers on May 24th. If you would like to purchase flowers for these days please contact Cynthia in the office

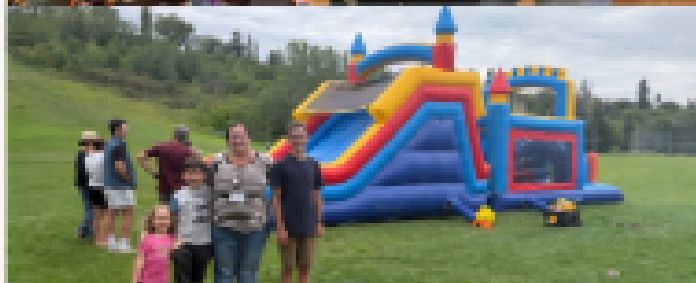
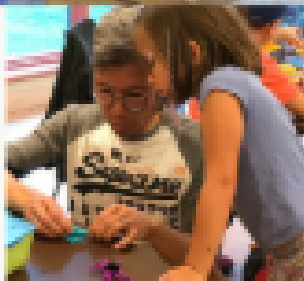
---



**Christ Church Family Ministries Updates!**



## Support Children & Youth at Christ Church Calgary



### **Say Yes to Kids 2026**

We are thrilled to be participating in the **Say Yes! to Kids** fundraiser again this year, sponsored by the Anglican Foundation of Canada.

Say Yes! to Kids supports ministries for children, youth, and young adults across the country. The best part is the Anglican Foundation will match our donations!

To Donate to Christ Church's Say Yes to Kids Program, click [here](#). You will then need to scroll down and select Christ Church Elbow Park from the list.

### **Interested in Volunteering with Our Youth and Children?**

We need more hands to help us keep up with our incredible growth! We need people to help with greeting children, holding babies, crafts, games and so much more. You don't have to lead the lesson if you are not comfortable and everything is provided for you. We would

love to have you. Please speak to Laurel if you are interested!

### **Vacation Bible School – This Summer**

We are planning to host a vacation bible school this summer in the lower hall. We are still working on firming up the dates. If you would like to assist, please let me know.

### **Reminder - Youth Sunday Morning Lessons**

Just a reminder that we now offer Sunday morning lessons for our youth at 10.30am! We hope to see your youth there!

### **Family Ministries Instagram**

Just a friendly reminder that I have created an Instagram account to document our adventures in Family Ministries! Please follow us @christchurchfamilyministries

Warmly,

Laurel Hatch  
Director of Family Ministries

---

---

*April 26th, 2026 Flower Memorials*

*The flowers at the Altar are given to  
the glory of God and in loving  
memory of parents and grandparents,  
Eva and Clifford Bijou and Mike and*

*Mary Luhowy, with love and gratitude  
by Barb Luhowy and family*

*The flowers at the Chapel are given to  
the glory of God and in loving  
memory of Eileen and Gordon Pearce,  
the gift of the Pearce brothers*

*The flowers at the Font are given to  
the glory of God and in loving  
memory of Robert Sonko by his family*

---

### **The Power of Prayer**

#### **Forward Day by Day**

Prayer books for February - April are available in the Narthex  
Additional prayer resources can be found on Forward Movement's  
website: [https://prayer.forwardmovement.org/forward\\_day\\_by\\_day.php?  
d=29&m=4&y=2020](https://prayer.forwardmovement.org/forward_day_by_day.php?d=29&m=4&y=2020)

#### **Prayer Shawls - "Tangible Evidence of Prayer" (ref: "The Prayer Shawl Ministry")**

Each of our shawls , handmade by the members of this ministry includes the prayers of the shawl maker as it is made, receives a special blessing, then is available to be given to offer peace, and comfort to someone in need. Shawls are always available here. Please contact Cynthia at the office: 403-243-4680, or Barbara Robinson: [barbrobinson@gmail.com](mailto:barbrobinson@gmail.com) if you know of someone for whom a shawl would be helpful.

#### **The Parish Prayer Chain**

Have a friend who needs someone to pray for them? Our prayer chain does this daily, and welcomes requests for confidential prayer. Contact Alicia Hampshire, Adam Bedford.

#### **Praying with Alongside Hope**

On the second Thursday of each month praying with Alongside Hope takes place over zoom at 11am (Calgary time). On the fourth Thursday of each month the Alongside Hope team in Toronto plans an educational webinar in the same time slot. Please contact Kim Umbach at [kumbach@pwrdf.org](mailto:kumbach@pwrdf.org) for the zoom link to be included and for further details.

---



Anyone can be added to our email list... they just need to ask!  
Know a friend who'd appreciate getting these emails?  
Just forward this to them, and...  
They can [click here](#) to be added to our mailing list!



**Anglican Parish of Christ Church, Elbow Park**  
3602 8th St. SW  
Calgary, AB T2T 3A7  
403-243-4680  
[www.christchurchcalgary.org](http://www.christchurchcalgary.org)

---

Anglican Parish of Christ Church, Calgary | 3602 8 St SW | Calgary, AB T2T 3A7 CA

[Unsubscribe](#) | [Update Profile](#) | [Constant Contact Data Notice](#)



Try email marketing for free today!