

September 27, 2026

STRATHMORE UNITED CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Are you planning an event at our church? Please write out the details and put in the mail slot on Susan's office door. Check the calendar on the congregation's bulletin board to make sure the space is available.

Church Office	The Church Office is open Wednesday and Thursday 9:00-12:00
Thrift Sale	Thank You to everyone who helped at the Thrift Sale, donated, brought food and goodies. Without the community helping we would not be able to host this sale.
September 29	6:30 Council Meeting.
October 6	Book Club 1:00 in the Church Library.
October 13	AGAPE Meeting 7:30. All ladies are invited to join us here at the church.
Art's on 817	On October 24 we will have Foothills Brass & Friends. 7:30 pm.
Friday's	Prayer Group at 11:00. All are welcome to join.
Prayer Shawls	If anyone would like to knit or crochet prayer shawls, we would greatly appreciate it. We have wool that is available from Linda Freeman as well as a pattern.
Name Tags	Please remember to wear your name tags, they are provided for you in the foyer. If you do not have a name tag, please let Sharon White know and she will provide one. This is to welcome all our newcomers.
Vital Card Ministry	The Pastoral Care Team needs to know if you are aware of anyone who could use a card, we don't want to miss anyone. Please call Sharon White 403-934-3069
Broadview, and devotionals.	Check out the magazines available on the table and periodical display shelf in the narthex.
E-Banner	The E-Banner newsletter is now posted on the UCW board in the library.
Par and envelopes	If you would like to sign up for Pre-Authorized Remittance (PAR) or to receive envelopes, please contact Susan in the church office 403-934-3025.

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Food Bank	Food Bank donations are gratefully accepted in the black bin in the foyer. Thank You for your support.
Announcement deadline	Please have all the announcements in by Wednesday at 12:00 to be included in the weekly announcements.
RCMP	403-934-3535 The number for the local RCMP is now posted on every phone in the church. If you need assistance due to loiter or non-emergency situations, please call.
Booking Church	Please remember that if you need to book the church for an event it must be done through the office.
Catering	The UCW will no longer be providing catering for social gatherings except by special request.
Fourth Tuesday of every month	6:30 pm the church council meets. Team reps are encouraged to attend or to send a written report.
Bottle Drive	We have a bag in the foyer where we will be collecting refundable beverage containers. The money raised will be given to the Guatemala Project.
First Tuesday of each month.	1:00 pm in the library. The book club meets. Bring your favorite books and share the story.
Every Wednesday	The quilting group meets in the basement 10:00 am-2:00 pm . Bring your lunch and join us for some cutting, sewing, and chatting. Lots of fun.
3rd Saturday of the month.	10:00 am the property team meets. Please let them know of any property-related requests.
Broadview	Our congregation is part of the 'Every Family Plan' where one can receive the magazine free of charge, or you may choose to subscribe and pay the fee of \$25.00 annually. All subscription fees can be placed into the offering plate with a designation of "Broadview" in the subject line or on the envelope. Please contact your Broadview Rep Geoff Scott at Scottgek@telusplanet.net or call 403-934-3129 if you wish to have your name and address added to our Subscription List.

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3rd. Thursday	The Mary Martha UCW group meets from September to June. All women of the congregation are welcome. Contact Barbara Davison 403-934-2659 or Alice Bramley at 403 901-1432 for information and location.
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Our Mission Statement

Strathmore United Church is a community of faith, striving to make a difference for Christ.

Vision Statement

Strathmore United Church lives out our faith through worship, music, fellowship, and outreach.

We would like to take this opportunity to acknowledge the traditional territories of the people of the Treaty 7 region in Southern Alberta.

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Community Announcements

1. Parkinson's Disease Support Group meets 1st Thursday of every month 1:30-3:00 at the Hope Church.
2. Meals on Wheels has a new order form for 2026 and will be posted on FCSS website.
3. Grief Support Group 2nd Tuesday of the month.
4. Dementia Support Group 4th Thursday of the month.
5. True North has many upcoming events.
6. The Vault has many things coming up. Please see all the posters on the community board.
7. Chinook Winds UCW Fall Gathering in Vulcan.
8. October 3 there is a concert at the Travelodge.
9. Wheatland Society of the Arts has many things coming up both Free and some at a charge.
10. Help bring a CT scanner to Strathmore Hospital. Letters are needed to help support this process. See poster or email you support to strathmorehospitalfoundation@gmail.com

Rural Ministry Conference - October 2-4, hosted by the United Churches of Three Hills/Trochu, AB. With inspiring keynotes from Rev Dr Catherine Smith (Rural Routes Through the Holy), and workshops to equip, encourage and support lay leaders and ministry personnel, like First Third Ministry, Spiritual Care Ministry, Community Organizing, Leading Worship as a Lay Person, new Stewardship resources, and more. Only \$50 and includes all meals from Friday dinner to Sunday lunch (discount for groups). More info and registration here: www.leadershiftuccan.org/rural-ministry-conference-2026. Hope to see you there - you are so welcome!