

Good Shepherd GARAGE SALE



CHURCH
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Saturday, April 29, 2017-
9 am to 2 pm.

Please speak to John Dyck if
you are able to help out.

The Women's Fellowship will
hold clothing sale.

Mission & Outreach

Thank you for your support for the DIC project
for razors and gently used towels. We delivered
a bag of towels and 450 disposable razors. The
DIC really appreciates your generosity.
Submitted by Pat Lim



Senior Social at Good Shepherd
Friday, April 21st at 1:30 pm

Entertainment by Prairie Mountain Fiddlers

This is our final social for the season so we hope you
will come join us before the summer break.



Yeah! It's finally Spring!

The Mission of our Ministry

Our mission states: **“Good Shepherd Community Church is a family of faith where God loves, Christ leads and people serve.”** The purpose of this mission statement is to be a reference for our ministries. Throughout the year, we will highlight one ministry in each monthly newsletter to educate our readers and invite them to pray and participate in the work we do for God's glory. This month we are highlighting the Good Shepherd Prayer-Chain Ministry.

The Prayer Chain is one way our congregation remains grounded in faith as a church family. The Prayer Chain is made up of church members with a passion to pray for others. Originally, this ministry was called a Prayer Tree. It began with Isabelle Elliott as the “trunk” who received the prayer requests of individuals. She then called a few people on the team (branches) who in turn called others (twigs). This was before computers became a regular part of communication. Justin Narum then took over and eventually passed the leadership on to Helen Norton who brought this work into the computer age. Currently Joan Altenhof receives prayer requests and passes them on to the prayer team. Her email address is, altenhof@shaw.ca. Prayer requests can be as detailed or as simple as desired and all requests are considered confidential unless otherwise indicated.

Prayer is a witness to the presence of God's love. As Joan indicates, “I found the prayer chain a blessing and a comfort. I do get feedback from some of the people that have requesting prayer giving thanks for all the prayers that have gone out on their behalf.”

Thank you for the Healing Shawl Ministry

Shepherd Group

A big thank you to all those who have knit, crocheted or sewn healing shawls or blankets for our Healing shawl Ministry, with a special shout-out to Fern Kerslake, Marjorie Schultz and Marg Twissell.

We present these shawls or afghans to members or our congregation (and others) who are in need of comfort and prayer's.

We have given out more than 60 shawls and afghans, and are always looking for more to replenish our supply.