

November 2016 Newsletter for Our Redeemer Lutheran Church

November 6 7 p.m Soulspace

Soulspace is a quiet time of singing and silent reflection modelled on the type of worship developed by the Taizé community in France. If you have sung the songs, "Jesus, Remember Me" and "O Lord Hear My Prayer" you have sung Taizé songs.

The name "Soulspace" is an intentional play on words. "Soul Space" is about creating a worshipful space for the soul to be nourished. "Soul's Pace" is about slowing down from all the hurry so that the soul can come to stillness—to become still and be present to God.

November 27, 5:30 pm Yuletide Feast

Our annual Yuletide Feast returns on the First Sunday in Advent. As in years before, the doors will open at 5:30 pm and we will begin feasting at 6:00. Following the feast there will be a time of singing Christmas carols together.

To make this all happen we will need people to help with setup and cleanup, with making the main courses (in the past one or two turkeys and a ham have been on the menu), and of course with bringing potluck dishes. A signup sheet will be put out inviting you to help make the Yuletide a reality again!

Looking Ahead to December

Friday, December 2, 7pm Liz Tribe is offering a Christmas concert at ORLC to benefit the children's breakfast program in Penticton.

Saturday, December 10 is the Christmas Gift Café. Be watching for more details.

Sunday, December 18, 10am will be the date for the **Choral Christmas Program** featuring the ORLC Choir.

This year **Christmas Day falls on a Sunday**, so the Christmas Eve services will be on Saturday evening.