

## Congratulations



Professor Phyllis Shand Ph.D. accepted the position of Head of the Department of Food and Bio-products Sciences, College of Agriculture and Bio-resources at the University of Saskatchewan, Saskatoon, Saskatchewan. She is the first woman to hold this prestigious position in this department in the history of the University.

Phyllis, the eldest daughter of Velma Vereb and the late Joseph Vereb, grew up on a family farm in the Lakeland, Manitoba area. She attended North Lakeland School until it closed, obtained elementary in Langruth, Manitoba, and her high school at William Morton Collegiate in Gladstone Manitoba. She was on the honour roll for 4 years at the University of Manitoba in Winnipeg, Manitoba, taking Home Economics, as it was then called. She studied her Masters at the University of Alberta in Edmonton, Alberta and was also on the honour roll. Next she received her doctorate at the Colorado State University in Fort Collins, Colorado, USA. She has been employed at the University of Saskatchewan ever since.

Phyllis has travelled extensively for the University to many countries to take part in conferences and to help other scientists in their research. Some countries as far away as New Zealand, Australia, Brazil, Argentina, Korea, France, Ireland, Belgium Czech Republic and most cities in the USA and Canada.

Congratulations Phyllis!

We love you and are proud of your accomplishments

From your family



### Church News

**Grace Lutheran Church 10:30 AM**

*Supply Pastor Phyllis Thordarson 445-2323*

April 20<sup>th</sup>: No service

May 13<sup>th</sup>: Service of the Word

May 13<sup>th</sup>: Service third Crossing Manor 3 p.m.

May 20<sup>th</sup>: No service

May 27<sup>th</sup>: Liturgical Communion Service

May 9<sup>th</sup>: **Council Meeting: 7:30 p.m.**

**Grow a Row Challenge!** Help others by growing an extra row in your garden. In the fall the produce will be donated to a soup kitchen or food bank.

### Langruth United Church

**Service at 11:30 a.m. unless otherwise stated**

April 21: Service conducted by local laity.

April 29: Joint Service at Glenella at 11:00 AM.

Marg Allen conducts the service with communion. Potluck lunch to follow.

May 6: Service conducted by local laity.

May 13: Service conducted by Jim Warburton.

May 20: Service conducted by Dan Jardine.

May 27: Service conducted by local laity.

### Amaranth Catholic Church

Sunday Mass: 10:45 a.m. unless otherwise stated.

### Sandy Bay Catholic Church

Sunday Mass: 12:30 p.m. unless otherwise stated.