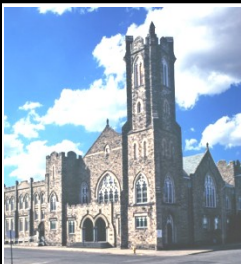


St. Andrew's News

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May 28, 2017



Welcome to the worship of God this morning, and to our shared life in this church. It is a pleasure to have you with us today. Seat cushions are available at the back of the sanctuary. Please ask a greeter for assistance. We invite guests to sign our guest book located at the back of the sanctuary.

ELDER ELECTIONS

Elections for Elders is being held from May 7th to May 28th inclusive. Today is the last day for voting. During service, the ballot box will be located on the table at the back of the Sanctuary.



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!



Regular volunteers are very much needed at the Hogarth-Riverview Services on the 2nd Tuesday of each month Sept thru June. The tasks involved are mostly as a porter to help assist others to the service. If you can give just two hours of your time once a month St. Andrew's and the residents of Hogarth-Riverview would very much appreciate it.

SUMMER CAMP

Registration forms are available in the office for Summer Camp. Junior Camp: July 8-14; Senior Camp: Aug 17-20. Get your registration in... Summer is right around the corner!!



SUMMER SERVICE HOURS



St. Andrew's Sunday Services will be changing to summer hours on June 18th. Service will begin at 10:00am on that day and will continue for the summer until September 10th.

CONGREGATIONAL PICNIC

St. Andrew's Potluck Picnic will be held on June 11th after the service at the South Neebing Community Centre (1841 Mountain Rd) from 12:30pm to 3:00pm. Please bring your own plates & cutlery. Fun and games to follow! We hope to see you there!!



Week of May 29 — Jun 4, 2017

Thu 1st Prayers in Chapel 3:30pm
Sun 4th Sunday School Recognition... 11:00am

PRAYER INVITATIONS

As Christians, we have been called to pray for each other in all circumstances. To help with this, we simply move through the church membership list. Today we ask that you hold the persons listed in your prayers:



June Martinsen; Edith Mason; John & Barbara Mason; Bob & Isobel Matchett; Wendy Mather; Eileen Matson; Jessie Matyczuk; Marilyn, Rob Mauro, Sarah & Tor Lewis; Margaret McCartney; Betty McCormack.

GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY



There will be a "mix and mingle" get together of the Ontario Genealogical Society on Tues May 30th from 7-9pm at the Mary JL Black library. This is a great place to pick up little tips and tricks to help you along your family history quest.

PRESBYTERIAN SHARING

Health and Hope in Afghanistan

Razia always wanted to be a mother. But the young woman had struggled for years to conceive and feared something was wrong. In the remote village in Afghanistan where she lives, the closest health centre was a distance away; therefore medical check-ups and tests seemed a nuisance and the cost to travel an unnecessary expense. With the establishment of a Presbyterian World Service & Development-supported health centre in a nearby village, Razia was able to meet with medical professionals who addressed her health concerns and helped her receive proper treatment so she could get pregnant. Today, with improved access to necessary health services, Razia's well-being has improved and her hope is restored.

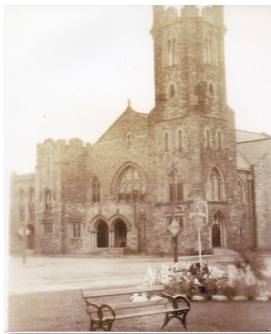
PWS&D helps new mothers have healthy futures



From Rev. Joyce,

Happy Anniversary St. Andrew's! 108 years here in this place on the corner of Brodie and Donald. 108 years of faithful witness. Some of your families go back to the founding members of the church, some people are as new to the church as the last few months. There may even be someone in our midst today who is here for the first time. We celebrate the year of the laying of the corner stone, but this beautiful sanctuary, boasting its dark oak woodwork and heritage Casavant pipe organ, intricate stained glass window and stunning architecture, finds its purpose in its people. Within these walls couples have been married and generations of families taught. These walls have seen celebrations, gatherings, couples meeting, life long friendships cherished, and end of life honoured. This is a place where God is praised, the love of Jesus shared, and the Holy Spirit moves in the lives of the people. I am filled with gratitude that I am one of those called to minister here in this place among the people of God. My prayer is that we continue to honour those who have gone before us in how we minister to each other and the community, and may all that we do bring glory and praise to God!

HAPPY 108th ANNIVERSARY ST ANDREW'S!



Thank you so much for the pens, pencils, highlighters and the bundles of window envelopes!! Again, if anyone has the following items already at home that they're not using & wish to donate them:

- unused DuoTangs (up to 25 needed), window envelopes with windows on the left (including the tbaytel return envelopes sent out with their bills—if you're not using them, recycle them here).

STEWARDSHIP MOMENTS

We keep what we give away.

-Tim Hiller, (1986 -), former American football quarterback, author



THANK YOU!!

Thank you so much to the Evening Guild for Greeting in May. Caring & Contact will be the Greeters for the month of June.

BELLS UNITED

There will be a Handbell Choir Concert on Wed June 21 @ 7:00pm at Trinity United Church (30 Algoma Street S). This is a fun time to hear and learn about ringing handbells! Admission is a freewill offering towards refurbishing the bells.



LAND OF LAKES CHOIRBOYS

On June 16th at 7:30pm, we are delighted to welcome the Land of Lakes Choirboys in a concert at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. Having traveled throughout Canada, United States, Europe and Australia, this choir, consisting of boys ages 8-15, will be performing both sacred and secular songs of all genres. We are looking for 14 billets, 2 boys per billet, to give them a bed for the night of the concert and to provide breakfast & a bag lunch for the following day. See Rev. Joyce for more information.



WHAT'S NEW ON THE WALL...

It's Anniversary Sunday & the Heritage Committee has put together a collection depicting special moments in our church history. While celebrating our past, we also look ahead—there is information about the upcoming junior and senior camps. Happy Days!



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