

COMMUNITY NEWS + EVENTS

Fri., Oct. 12th, 11am-7pm & Sat., Oct. 13th, 10am-4pm, Headingley CC 5353 Portage Ave. will host the 12th annual Christmas Arts & Craft Sale in support of Headingley Senior Services. Admission \$2/adult, free/12 & under. Canteen, free parking, no ATM on site.

Fri., Oct. 12th, 12pm, Oak Table invites you to their *fall fundraising luncheon* to be held at CUC to celebrate 39 years of service while enjoying a scrumptious lunch, good fellowship & speakers. Doors open 11:30am. Tickets \$30 (\$20 tax receipt) available by calling 204-416-2240. *No tickets at the door. *

Fri., Oct. 12th, 5-8pm & Sat., Oct. 13th, 9am-1pm, St. Mary Anglican Church, 3830 Roblin Blvd. invites you to their annual *Rummage Sale*. White elephant table! Fish pond for the kids! Book table! Bargains galore!

Sat., Oct. 13th, 7pm, Transcona Memorial United Church, 209 Yale Ave. W. will host a *Quiz Night*, with all proceeds to the General Fund of TMUC. Tickets \$15/person; 6-8 people on a team; bring your own snacks! Please contact Adrian at 204-298-7487 or measner@shaw.ca

Sun., Oct. 14th, 1pm, Crescent Fort Rouge United Church, 525 Wardlaw Ave. invites you to an *Indigenous cultural event* featuring performances by an Inuit throat singer, a women's drum group and championship Metis dancers. Following the performance, there will be a time to learn about Indigenous culture during a discussion with the performers.

Sat., Oct. 20th, 7:30pm, Charleswood 55+ Active Livings Centre, 5006 Roblin Blvd. will host a *Quiz Nite*. Tickets \$15/person, 8 people/table. Please call 204-897-5263 or email info@charleswoodseniorcentre.org for more information & to register.

Sun., Oct. 21st, 4:30 & 6:30pm, St. Andrew's River Heights United Church, 255 Oak St. invites you to their *Harvest Supper*. Tickets are \$20/adult, \$8/youth 5-12 years old, free/4 & under. Wine available for \$5/glass. Tickets available by calling 204-488-1130 or online at <https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/st-andrews-annual-harvest-supper-tickets-49093427764>

Tues., Oct. 23rd, 7-9pm, Westworth United Church, 1750 Grosvenor Ave. invites you to a *Hildegard of Bingen Pilgrimage*. Rev. Loraine MacKenzie Shepherd will offer a snapshot pilgrimage based on her Hildegard of Bingen Pilgrimage in Germany. Spaces will be set up on themes relating to Hildegard's Gregorian music, cosmic visions, herbal medicine & prophetic verve.

Sat., October 27th, 11am-1:30pm, Harrow United Church, 955 Mulvey Ave. invites you to a *harvest sale & lunch* featuring a soup & dessert menu with sales of home baking, honey, Christmas items, books & crafts.

Sat., Oct. 27th, 11am-2pm, Westworth United Church, 1750 Grosvenor at Lanark invites you to their annual *luncheon & bazaar* featuring a bake sale, crafts & artisan pieces.

Sat., Oct. 27th, 5 & 6pm, Crescent Fort Rouge United Church 525 Beresford Ave. invites you to their annual *Fall Supper* offering a turkey dinner with all the trimmings. Red & white wine available. Tickets \$20/adults, \$10/ages 5-12 & free/4 & under available from the CFRUC office 204-475-6011.

The *Emergency Food Pantry* at St. Matthews Maryland Community Ministry has a mouse problem! The food in that pantry supports hundreds of families in the West End making each item so important. We are looking for donations of large plastic storage bins, used or new, for storage of food items. Please call 204-774-3957 for more information concerning specific needs & drop-off times.

The Life and Work of Our Church Oct. 7, 2018

Ministers: Rev. Dr. Michael Wilson
Rev. Noelle Bowles

Senior Choir Director: Shauna Sperry
Organist: Carla Plosz
Musician-in-Residence:
Brendan Thompson

Children's Ministry Director:
Rosalie Finch

Bookkeeper: Nancy Jeffrey
Office Administrator: Janet Ammeter

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Our Scripture Readers this morning are:

- Ⓞ 9:00 a.m. Colleen Ortwein
- Ⓞ 11:00 a.m. Tom Turgeon

Our Greeters this morning are:

- Ⓞ 9:00 a.m.
- Ⓞ 11:00 a.m. Marge Wright

REMEMBER IN PRAYER: *Kim Belfry, Al & Helen Boyer, Olga Hembroff, Martha Houston, Linda Norris, Pat Slobodizian, Jack Stewart, Hal Thiessen*

Please contact the church office if you know of anyone who is in need of a pastoral visit or a card.

On the Ecumenical Prayer Cycle this week, our thoughts and prayers are with: Costa Rica, El Salvador, Nicaragua & Panama and Fort Garry United Church

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Charleswood United has a **Benevolent fund** that allows our ministers to help folk coming to the church seeking help in times of need. It also helps students in Charleswood area schools who are unable to afford special school projects. A special benevolent collection will be taken on October 7th. Thank you for your continued support and generosity.

A special gift to the church in 2017 allowed us to create the **Charleswood Memorial Music** Scholarship for university students studying music and contributing to the music ministry of our church. Council is pleased to announce two recipients for 2018-19. Nic Stroud and Indra Egan have been awarded Charleswood Memorial Scholarships this year. Congratulations to these two outstanding and aspiring musicians.

Please be aware that the church office will be closed on Monday, October 8th due to Thanksgiving. Regular office hours will resume Tuesday, October 9th.

The **Observer** connects us as a church family. The Observer is a unifying voice in these times. For a subscription to this award-winning, Christian magazine, please contact the office by November 1st. Please be aware that the annual subscription group rate of \$25/year is only available with a minimum of 5 subscribers.

CREST thanks the many people who enjoyed our Pancake fundraiser on Sept 22nd. With ticket sales and donations, we raised \$1,815 towards sponsorship of our next refugee family, which we expect will arrive in 2019.

Volunteer Opportunity - If you have been in the church during December throughout Christmas and into the New Year, you will remember the beautiful lighted garland that goes all the around the sanctuary and adds so much to our seasonal festivities. The volunteer who has done this for the past 8 years, and to whom we are most grateful, has requested a change.

If you are interested in taking on the responsibility of installing & removing the lighted garland (about a 2 hour job), please contact the church office or speak to Michael. Instruction and help provided.



The **HeBrews Café** is looking for 5 more volunteers to serve coffee and provide refreshments on Sundays; shifts needed are for 9:50 and 11:50 and involve serving & clean up for up to an hour on a Sunday. Please sign up on the roster at the kitchen window and Nancy or Gail will connect with you before your shift. We look forward to working with you!!!

The **Women's Social Group** will meet on Monday, October 15th at 1pm. Constable Shawn Smith from the Community Relations Division of the Winnipeg Police Force will be making a presentation on safety issues. All are welcome. For more information, please call Diane 204-895-1021.

Lost Book! We are requesting the return of a borrowed library book. If you have "The Bully, The Bullied and the Not So Innocent Bystander" by Barbara Coloroso, please return it to the library. We have had several requests for this book. Thank you.



THE WEEK AT CHARLESWOOD Office Hours 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Community Venture	8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.	Monday to Friday (LL)
Monday Thanksgiving	Oct. 8 th All Day	Office Closed
Tuesday	Oct. 9 th 1:00 p.m.	M & SA Mtg. (BR)
Wednesday	Oct. 10 th 7:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m.	Badminton (VRH) AI-Anon (LL)
Thursday	Oct. 11 th 9:30 a.m. 1:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:30 p.m.	Seekers (BR) Oak Table Set-Up (VRH) Girl Guides (LL) Ber. Support Series (L) Senior Choir (S)
Friday	Oct. 12 th 9:30 a.m. 9:30 a.m.	T.G.I.F. (BR) Oak Table Luncheon (K, VRH)
Saturday	Oct. 13 th	
Sunday 21 st Sunday of Pentecost	Oct. 14 th 9:00 & 11:00 a.m. 3:00 p.m.	Worship Cool School Ena Sutton (LL)



That special time of the year has arrived again - **Fall Supper!** Join us for a delicious meal & warm fellowship on Saturday, October 20th at 4:15 & 6:30pm. Tickets adults/\$17 & children 4-11/\$6 & free/3 & under.

Fall Supper ticket sales continue in the Van Room Hall after services and will continue during the week at the office.

The volunteer sign-up sheets are now posted. Please add your name to donate food items and fill a volunteer shift. We need your to help make this important fundraiser a success. Thank you.

Care & Community is a vibrant committee who works for the church. We're the faces you see serving at funeral receptions and organizing church functions such as the June BBQ, the December bake sale and other functions as requested. New members would be warmly welcomed. We meet on the first Monday of the month at 9:30am from September to June. For more information, please speak to Joan 204-888-8266.