

COMMUNITY NEWS + EVENTS

Saturday Oct 20th Fort Garry United Church, 800 Point Road is holding it's 6th annual handmade Craft and Bake Sale from 10 AM - 3 PM. Admission is \$2 for adults, 12 and under free. Join them for over 60 tables of handmade treasures, a free craft corner for the kids from 11 AM - 1 PM, a balloon artist all day, \$2 face painting from 10 AM - 2 PM. Contact 204-475-1586 or fguc@shaw.ca for further information.

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.

Saturday Oct 27th, 7pm, Fort Garry United Church, 800 Point Rd., the Fort Garry United Church Choir presents *Around the World in Song* with guest musicians. For tickets call 204-475-1586. Music, snacks, prize draws.

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, Churchill Park United Church 525 Beresford Ave. invites you to their annual *Fall Supper* offering a turkey dinner with all the trimmings. Red & white wine will be available for purchase by the glass. Tickets \$20/adults, \$10/ages 5-12 & free/4 & under available from the CPUC office 204-475-6011.

Sun., Oct. 28th, 2:30pm, Westminster United Church, 745 Westminster Ave. will host *Concert #1 of the 2018-19 Organ Series* featuring Adam Brakel of Florida. Tickets \$25/adult, \$20/>65 & \$10/student with card available at McNally Robinson, at the door or at westminsterchurch.org or 204-784-1330.

Sat., Nov. 3rd, 8:30am-4pm, Crescent Fort Rouge United Church 525 Wardlaw Ave. invites you to *Regenerating Places of Faith* a workshop to discuss maintaining churches in the face of dwindling membership & resources. Cost \$20/person, includes lunch & refreshments. Optional Fri., Nov. 2nd, 1pm building audit session available. Online registration at <http://regenerationworks.ca/events> open until October 31st.

Sun., Nov. 4th, 4pm, St. John's Cathedral, 135 Anderson Ave. will host *In Memoriam*, a Royal Canadian College of Organists choral & evensong celebrating the lives of Winnipeg organists. All are welcome.

Sun., Nov. 4th, 4, 5 & 6pm, St. Charles Headingley United Church invites you to their *annual fall supper* at the Headingley CC, 5353 Portage Ave. Tickets \$15/adult, \$8/ages 6-12 & free/5 & under available in advance only from Jean 204-222-5402.



The Life and Work of Our Church

Oct. 14, 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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204-832-3667

Our Scripture Readers this morning are:

- ⊙ 9:00 a.m. Henry Dyck
- ⊙ 11:00 a.m. Bruce Berven

Our Greeters this morning are:

- ⊙ 9:00 a.m.
- ⊙ 11:00 a.m. Doreen Docking

Our Prayers of the People Readers this morning are:

- ⊙ 9:00 a.m. Neil McMillan
- ⊙ 11:00 a.m. Doreen Barton

REMEMBER IN PRAYER: *Kim Belfry, Linda Bell, 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: Colombia, Ecuador & Venezuela and Gordon-King Memorial 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. Due to your continued support and generosity, \$2679 has been raised in 2018 to support this ministry.

The Mission & Social Action Committee will be holding a **Winter Clothing Drive** to collect good winter clothing and boots for adults and children. The items will be distributed to agencies in need. Please bring your winter wear on Friday, Nov. 9th, Sunday morning Nov 11th, or Monday Nov 12th. Thank you for helping out.

The Observer helps people. It helps people understand their church. It connects them to the larger church community. For a subscription to this informative 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.

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 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 now has its additional volunteers to provide refreshments on Sundays. Thank you so much to all that help carry out this important part of our ministry.

The **Women's Social Group** will meet on Monday, October 15th at 1:30 pm. Constable Shawn Smith from the Community Relations Division of the Winnipeg Police Department will be making a presentation on safety issues. All are welcome. For more information, please call Diane at 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.



It's here at last - **Fall Supper!** Join us for a delicious meal & warm fellowship on Saturday, October 20th at 4:15 pm. 6:30 tickets are sold out. Tickets adults/\$17 & children 4-11/\$6 & free/3 & under.

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

The volunteer sign-up sheets are now posted. We have slots to fill with food donations and personnel. Please help us make this event a success. 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	Oct. 15 th 1:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Women's Social Group (BR) Faith Based (CR)
Tuesday	Oct. 16 th	
Wednesday	Oct. 17 th 8:00 p.m.	Al-Anon (LL)
Thursday	Oct. 18 th 9:30 a.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:30 p.m.	Seekers (BR) Girl Guides (LL) Bereavement Support Series (L) Senior Choir (S)
Friday	Oct. 19 th 9:30 a.m.	T.G.I.F. (BR)
Saturday	Oct. 20 th 4:15 p.m. 6:30 p.m.	Fall Supper I (K, N, S, VRH) Fall Supper II (K, N, S, VRH)
Sunday	Oct. 21 st 9:00 & 11:00 a.m.	Worship Cool School
<small>22nd Sunday of Pentecost</small>		

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 9:30 am from September to June. For more information, please speak to Joan at 204-888-8266

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.

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Monday Oct. 15th at 7:00 PM the Charleswood Historical Society presents the 2nd of its 2018-2019 Heritage Lecture series. Oriole (Vane) Veldhuis will speak at the Charleswood 55 Plus Centre, 5006 Roblin Blvd. on "For Elise: Unveiling the Forgotten Women on the Criddle Homestead". Refreshments will be served. All are welcome. Silver collection. Additional parking can be found at the back of the building just off Harstone Road. Please check our website www.charleswoodhistoricalsociety.ca for future lectures.

Sat., Oct. 20th, 7:30pm, Charleswood 55+ Active Living 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.

Saturday Oct 20th Canadian Muslim Women's Institute invites newcomer families to come and enjoy a homemade lunch with friends in your neighbourhood. Join **FRIENDS OVER LUNCH** at Charleswood Mennonite Church at 699 Haney Street from 1:00 - 4:00 PM. For details, phone CMWI at 204-943-8539, contact@cmwi.ca, or Rudy Friesen from the Mennonite Church at [rudynruth@mymts.net](mailto:rudyfrnuth@mymts.net)