

COMMUNITY NEWS + EVENTS

Fall at CMU | Sat., Sept. 23, 10:30am-5pm | CMU Campus, 55 Shaftesbury Blvd. | Join us at the annual alumni and community gathering, featuring a Farmers' & Makers' Market, activities for children, MennoCross cyclocross race, food trucks, campus tours, alumni reunions & much more! cmu.ca/fall

Lunch & Presentation | Sun., Sept. 24, following 10:30am worship | St. Andrews River Heights United Church auditorium, 255 Oak St. | Join us for a casual lunch by Feast Café & Bistro and a presentation by John McKay, Indigenous Cultural Program Lead & Elder Mike Monias of 1Just City as they share the 7 Teachings of Indigenous Culture on our collective journey to reconciliation. | RSVP to office@standrewsriverheights.com

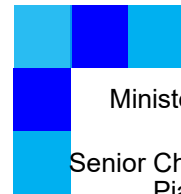
Flourishing | Thurs., Sept. 28, 6-8:30pm | Fairmont Winnipeg, 2 Lombard Place | Join Moderator Carmen Lansdowne for an address and a fireside chat with guest Shaun Loney. [Flourishing Registration](#)

Flourishing | Fri., Sept. 29, 9am-4pm | UCiM, 1111 Dakota St. | The Moderator, The Right Rev. Dr. Carmen Lansdowne seeks to engage the church & Canadian society on the idea of flourishing & how it can influence the future at this free workshop. Register on CHURCHx [Flourishing Winnipeg](#)

Aaron James in Concert | Fri., Sept. 29, 7:30pm | First Presbyterian Church, 61 Picardy Place | the RCCO Winnipeg Centre presents an evening of German Baroque music, entry by donation rccowinnipeg.ca

Assiniboine Chorus Open House | Tues., Oct. 3, 7:15pm | Churchill Park United Church, 525 Beresford Ave. @ Nassau St. South | All women who love to sing are invited to an drop-in open house to share the love of a cappella singing. Visitors welcome to each Tuesday evening practice. | For more information & to register, please contact Rosemary 204-667-0521, Sandy 204-489-1545 or info@assiniboinechorus.org assiniboinechorus.org

MHC Gallery 25th Anniversary Celebration | Thurs., Oct. 5, 7:30pm | CMU Campus, 500 Shaftesbury Blvd. | MHC Gallery's fall fundraiser & 25th anniversary celebration with keynote artist Miriam Rudolph, local music, light food & refreshments. | Please RSVP to mhcgallery@cmu.ca by September 22.



Minister: Rev. Dr. Michael Wilson
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 Carolyn Lucas

HeBrews Café:
 Brad Griffiths
 Joyce Riddell

Reader:
 Jim Fergusson

REMEMBER IN PRAYER: *Kim Belfry Mary Buchanan, Cam & Jen Ellis and family, Sharon Gordon, the family of Eileen Graham, Ken Hudson, Eric Johnson, Marnie Manerch, Vicky Stevens, Bob Van Den Berg, Harvey Waterman*

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

On the Ecumenical Prayer Cycle this week, our thoughts and prayers are with: Argentina, Paraguay & Uruguay and Deer Lake United Church (Deer Lake, ON)

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Summer Potted Plants Maintenance - We have again been blessed with beautiful potted plants at the south entrance and volunteers are needed to tend them. We ask that you sign-up for one week, Monday through Sunday, to water and maintain the pots as necessary. Please add your name to the volunteer board sign-up sheet as you are able. Thank you.





The Mission & Social Action Committee is calling for your help! The Westgrove Resource Centre is in need of support for their food pantry. Harvest Manitoba does provide food items but the need often overwhelms the supply. We will collect small boxes of cereal and small jars of peanut butter until Sunday, October 8th. We do ask that smaller sizes be donated as space is an issue at the centre. Thank you for your generous support of the centre. Items can be left on the table at the north end of the sanctuary.

All are welcome to join the fun on Monday evenings, as the church schedule permits, for badminton. Come over for an hour of physical activity and fellowship at this non-competitive league. Indoor shoes are required. The first session is on Monday, September 18th. For more information and to be added to the contact list, please contact Nancy or Russ at jeffruss@mymts.net.



The Mission & Social Action Committee was again happy to assist Westgrove School with a school supply drive. The final count of packages collected is pencils 48, sharpeners 1, erasers 16, pens 14, pencil crayons 36, markers 20, glue sticks 22, sharpies 7, scribbles 40, Duo-tangs 100, plus many miscellaneous school supplies. Thank you so much for your generous support of the students and staff of Westgrove.

called to serve

Can you serve the congregation on Sunday morning? We have spaces open for those who wish to usher, greet & welcome people to worship, collect the offering and read the Scriptures and the Minute for Mission devotion during worship. Please take a look at the sign-up sheets at the north window and add your name as your schedule permits. If you are unsure of the duties associated with each task, please do not hesitate to speak to Michael Wilson or Carolyn Hsu, Chair of W & E.

NEW PROGRAM - Still Waters: A Grief Support Fellowship – is a monthly gathering for people coping with sorrow in any form. Led by Michael Wilson, Still Waters is an opportunity to share, listen, reflect, pray, and otherwise work towards the healing of a broken heart. Still Waters meets on the last Wednesday of the month at 1:30 p.m., beginning Wednesday, September 27th. For more information, please speak to Michael Wilson.

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	Sept. 18	7:00 p.m. Badminton (VRH)
Tuesday	Sept. 19	9:30 a.m. Seekers (BR) 7:00 p.m. Council Mtg. (BR)
Wednesday	Sept. 20	8:00 p.m. Al-Anon (LL)
Thursday	Sept. 21	7:30 p.m. Choir (S)
Friday	Sept. 22	
Saturday	Sept. 23	
Frist Day of Autumn		
Sunday	Sept. 24	10:00 a.m. Worship 11:00 a.m. Cool School (VRH) HeBrews Café (VRH)
17th Sunday of Pentecost		

Congratulations and best wishes are extended to Jacqueline Pollard & Jarett Nick who were married here yesterday, Savannah Baird & Gavin Wiebe who were married yesterday at Pineridge Hollow and to Blair Gardiner & Adam Dow who were married on September 9th at the home of the late Joan Rettie. We lift these couples up as they each begin a new chapter in their lives together and pray that God's blessings are with them today and always.



The next service where we will celebrate the **Sacrament of Holy Baptism** will take place on Sunday, October 8th. If you or someone you know would like to have their child baptised or take part in adult baptism, please contact the office by September 25th. The parents' meeting will take place on Wednesday, September 27th, 7:00 p.m.

Save the date! Hold Saturday, October 21st open for our second annual spaghetti dinner and dance. More details to follow.