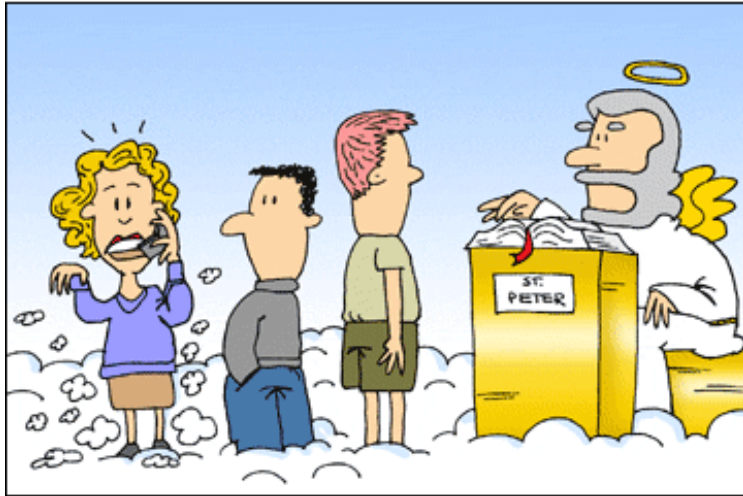


COMMUNITY NEWS + EVENTS

Earthsong: Singing for Connection | July 29-August 2 | UCIM, 1111 Dakota St. | join a week-long adult singing camp in a safe place where you can express yourself | \$275 | ucim.org/earth-song or 204-256-7002

June 10th, 2025 will mark the 100th anniversary of the United Church - an opportunity to honour our past & look to the future! The theme for the Centennial is [Deep, Bold, Daring](#). One of the first "united" churches in the world, from its formation the United Church has been rooted in **Deep Spirituality** - the words of Jesus' prayer that the disciples be one (John 17:21), **Bold Discipleship** - the belief that what unites us is stronger than our differences & **Daring Justice** - the desire to live out the gospel call to love and justice in Canada and around the world. Please visit united-church.ca/100years for more information.

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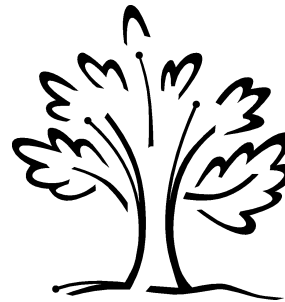
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Please contact the church office if you know of anyone who is in need of pastoral contact or a card.

On the Ecumenical Prayer Cycle this week, our thoughts and prayers are with: Kenya & Tanzania and Fort Garry, Forrest, Holland & McClure United Churches

NEWS + EVENTS

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 any week (s), 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 **graduation season** is in full swing. Charleswood United Church would like to acknowledge the commitment and accomplishment made by graduates of high schools, universities and vocational colleges. Please contact the office should you know of a recent graduate and a card will be sent to them from the church. Congratulations and best wishes as you begin a new chapter in your lives!



With praise and thanksgiving, we acknowledge the generous gift of \$1,000 from the Care and Community Committee. We thank you for the gift of hospitality and care you extend to all who enter here. The work of this committee is so much more than meal preparation. Many thanks are extended to each of you.

Worship Leadership Opportunity - We will need an individual or team to prepare the elements for Holy Communion and set the communion table for the monthly and special communion services. Thelma McEvoy is willing to give instruction and insight to the next person before her retirement. For more information, please speak to Carolyn Hsu, Chair of Worship & Education or Michael Wilson.

Did you know ... we collect all kinds of things around here? We gather pop can tabs for wheelchair production, eye glasses which are refurbished and sent overseas, stamps, with or without the envelope, to be auctioned to support the work of the M & SA committee and socks, even singles, for the clientele of 1JustCity and The Main Street Project. All tabs, glasses and envelopes can be left in the marked baskets on the sanctuary bookshelf and the socks can be left in the tub at the north sanctuary entrance.

June Climate Tidbit: Green House Gases (GHGs) are gases that trap heat in the atmosphere creating the greenhouse effect or global warming. These gases are primarily carbon dioxide (CO₂), nitrous oxide (N₂O), and methane (N₄H). **ACTION TIP:** RETROFIT energy-inefficient appliances and buildings to mitigate our own climate impact (pillar: put your own house in order). CUC changed the lighting and is replacing the roof! United Church in Meadowood is switching to geothermal heat. To find out more, please go to "greening" at www.ucim.org.



Special thanks are extended to everyone who helped to make the Urban Retreats Garden Tour a success. We are grateful for your contribution to support the work of 1JustCity.

Where can you serve the people of Charleswood United Church? Please take a peek at the sign-up sheets at the north window. There are plenty of opportunities to serve on Sunday morning. Thank you for your attention to the work and ministry of this congregation.

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	June 24	
Tuesday	June 25	
Wednesday	June 26 8:00 p.m.	Al-Anon (LL)
Thursday	June 27	
Friday	June 28	
Saturday	June 29	
Sunday	June 30 10:00 a.m.	Worship (S)
6th Sunday after Pentecost	11:00 a.m.	HeBrews Café (K, VRH)



Please be aware that the church office will be closed on Monday, July 1st in honour of Canada Day. The summer office hours of 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. will begin July 2nd and continue throughout the months of July & August. Regular office hours of 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. will resume Tuesday, September 3rd.

Put your passion into action! Where is God calling you to share your gifts with the wider church for the sake of Christ's ministry in Prairie to Pine? Whether you have served on Regional structures before, or are brand new, we want to find something that works for your skills, interests, and faith. For more information, please contact the Nominating committee at p2p.nominations@gmail.com Did you know your Nominations Committee estimates that our Regional Council governance has 110 positions? And that doesn't even count task groups, the Young Adults & Youth Committee, networks, clusters & board members who serve our community partners. **Thank you** to all the people who serve to keep our Region active, committed, knowledgeable and faithful.

The United Church of Canada extends its thanks to Charleswood United Church for your support of Mission and Service. The generosity of this congregation supports families in need, those without homes, pastoral care in hospitals and schools, as well as education and job training opportunities while facing challenges due to world events. Please see the Certificate of Thanksgiving on the bulletin board opposite the office. Copies of the 2023 Accountability Report provide more information and are available on the welcome table.