

OUR MISSION

Windsor Park United Church seeks to be a welcoming community. Based on the life and teachings of Jesus Christ, we nurture our faith and spiritual life by: worshipping and learning together, caring for each other, embracing our diversity, reaching out to those who live around us and working together in service to Creation.

THE LIFE & WORK OF WPUC

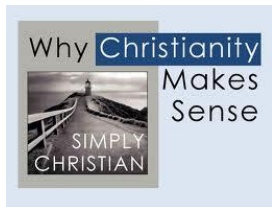
November 18, 2012 – November 25, 2012

Today	12 pm	Bible Adventures Book Sale
Monday	1 pm	UCW Unit 5 Mtg.
	6:15 pm	Sparks & Brownies
Tuesday	9:30 am	Fr. Healthy Babies
	1 pm	Art Group
Wednesday	9:30 am	Moms 'n' Tots
	7 pm	<u>"Simply Christian" Bible Study</u>
Thursday	9:15 am	Study Group
	1:30 pm	Little Moccasins
	7:30 pm	Worship Choir practice
	6:30 pm	Worship Council Mtg.
Friday	6 pm	Mom's 'n' Tots Cooking Group
Next Sunday	9:30 am	Joyful Noise practice
	Noon	Praise Singers practice

PLEASE REMEMBER TO PICK-UP YOUR
SAFeway GIFT CARD ORDERS TODAY!

It makes sense to save cents! Bring in your PENNIES!
Bible Adventures has duplicates of several books and will be holding a **"book sale" TODAY after church.** All proceeds will go towards the purchase of new books for the library. Parents don't forget you can sign out books for your little ones!

Did you miss a church service? Every week Bob Harrison makes several copies of the service on cassette, we also have paper copies. You will find them on the bottom shelf right beneath the mail boxes in the lobby. We also have hearing aid batteries (size 10) in the office, if you can use them.



Want to learn more about our Christian faith? This 10-part DVD series features best-selling author, N.T. Wright. Thought-provoking discussion and insight for those who want to learn what it means to believe in our 21st century world.

November 21 Wednesday @ 7-8:30 pm.

The sign-up sheet is on the board beside Luci's office.

On Saturday, Nov. 24th from 7-9 pm the Youth Group will be having a **COOKIE MAKING EVENING** for the 'Cookie Walk'. If you would like to donate ingredients to the youth group for this event, have some good Christmas cookie recipes (easy shortbread, ginger cookies, etc. and cutters) or is willing to help that evening, please talk to Patrick.

On Friday November 30th from 5:30 - 9 pm please join us for our **15th ANNUAL CHILI SUPPER, BONFIRE & CAROL SINGING!**



Bring the whole family for a fun night full of song, story and magic to kick off the Advent Season!

The UCW ladies are having a COOKIE WALK fundraiser on Saturday, Dec. 1 from 10 - 11:30 am. Christmas puddings are \$8 and fill a container for \$8 with your choice of cookies! Volunteers and donations of home-baked cookies are needed, sign-up sheet is in the lobby.

Need to bake cookies for the cookie walk?

YAH's have their "Yum Yum Cookbook" for sale. The cost is \$7 and is available from Gloria Saindon, Maria Will or the office.



Christmas can be a hard time... when you miss someone you love, when you're facing illness or uncertainty, or when you have to be far away from family and friends. Sometimes it helps to

have quiet time to remember. Our **BLUE CHRISTMAS SERVICE** is on Sunday December 9th at 7 pm. Come for a service of song, prayers, candles and hope. Refreshments and fellowship to follow.



Please join us for "A CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION 2012" featuring the choirs of Windsor Park United Church on Sunday December 16th at 2:30 pm



Calling all 20 - 45 year olds!

Patrick would be delighted to set-up something for this age group.

If you are interested, have any ideas or suggestions, he would appreciate hearing from you, call the office or email him at

wpucrev2@mymts.net

Moms 'n' Tots have openings available. If you know of anyone with young ones, please have them call Ruth Klein at 204-256-6390 and come to join in the fun! Moms meet other Moms and get a break, toddlers meet other toddlers and make friends, and babies make the volunteers very happy!

Are you looking for the perfect Christmas gift?

We'll look no further! We are selling Lacoste poinsettias. Orders need to be placed by Nov. 30th with delivery on Dec. 9th.

So get yours in time for Christmas! The cost... \$20 each. Colour choices are red, ivory and burgundy. You'll find the sign-up sheet in the office or at the table where the Safeway gift cards are sold. **ORDER YOURS TODAY!**

Birthdays & Anniversaries

Chris Cale
Arla Francisco
David Yunyk

Piper Closen
Tyler Gibbons

Jason Floyd
Matthew Williams

Kris & Nicole Kamenz

Bill & Colleen Manning

**Next Week's Scripture Readings:
Revelation 1: 4b-8, John 18: 33-37**

The Winnipeg Presbytery Prayer Circle invites our prayers today for Immanuel U.C. and those in ministry there: Nancy Sanders