Patrick is looking for individuals who are interested in and understand the importance of **Youth and Young Adult Ministry** at Windsor Park United Church and would be willing to help out on an <u>Advisory Committee for each</u>. These committees would offer support, guidance, feedback and logistical help to Patrick as he continues to work to revitalize these ministries. A commitment to these ministries and a willingness to meet and enter into dialogue would be appreciated. Anyone interested please talk to Patrick.

## Community News

### **CGIT (Canadian Girls In Training)**

Empowerment Camp (July 6<sup>th</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup>, 2013)

Our renewed camp program is designed for girls to learn about themselves, by embracing and appreciating their unique talents and inspirations. The camp's programming includes: Personal and Group Reflection times, as well as activities including Swimming and Canoeing, Hiking and other Outdoor Fun, Creative Arts and Cooking, Vespers, Campfire, Memories and much more! Camp is for girls ages 12-17 years and is located in Whiteshell Provincial Park, approximately 1 hour East of Winnipeg. Registration is \$175 (before May 15<sup>th</sup>) and \$225 (by June 15<sup>th</sup>). The registration includes all accommodations and food. Please see Gloria Saindon or Luci in the office for more information.

# **West Broadway Community Ministry**

provides lunch for 200 people throughout the year. Items for sandwich preparation such as **canned meat or peanut butter** are always needed as well as **coffee**, **sugar and skim milk powder**. If you are able to donate any of these items, please place them in the box marked West Broadway in the church entrance. A volunteer will deliver them to West Broadway on a regular basis. Thank you for any help that you can provide.

### Next Week's Scripture Readings John 17: 20-26

The Winnipeg Presbytery Prayer Circle invites our prayers today for the U. C. in Meadowood and those in ministry there:

Richard & Shelley Manley-Tannis

#### **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 May 5, 2013 – May 12, 2013

Monday	6:15 pm	Sparks & Brownies
Tuesday	9:30 am	Fr. Healthy Babies
	1 pm	Art Group
	7 pm	Garden Club
	7:15 pm	CICC Mtg.
Thursday	1:30 pm	Little Moccasins
	7 pm	Worship Choir Practice
	7 pm	Finance Council Mtg.
Friday	7:30pm	UCW (YAH) Mtg.
Saturday	10 am	Dog Walk
<b>Next Sunday</b>	9:30 am	Joyful Noise Practice



Spring is FINALLY here! Let's go for a walk and enjoy it! We'll meet at the Mint parking lot (Lagimodiere Blvd.)

on Saturday May 11<sup>th</sup> at 10 am

Bring your 4-legged friends too!

# **KEEP THOSE PENNIES 'ROLLING IN!'**We're almost there!

Youth Group will be in charge of providing after church coffee during the month of June. I invite all WPUC youth

to join us for a Baking Night on May 11<sup>th</sup> 6:30 pm to 9:30 pm to bake goodies to share with the entire congregation during June. Come and be a part of the fun as we put our talents in the kitchen to good use, giving back to the community!



Spring cleaning? Bring your unwanted items to the church for the RUMMAGE SALE on May 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup>. You can drop off your donations starting Tuesday May 21<sup>st</sup> in the church basement. As in the past... no clothing, bedding or large furniture items please.

#### The UCW

# "Annual Rummage Sale"

will be held on Friday May 24<sup>th</sup> from 4-8 pm and Saturday May 25<sup>th</sup> from 9 am to Noon



Thank you! Sunday Sundae was another huge success for children supporting children. We raised \$131.00 for the preschool in Africa! Thank you for your continued support of this wonderful project!

YAH's Cookbook blowout! We have a surplus of cookbooks still available. Cost 1/\$5 or 2/\$8.

Please see Maria Will or Gloria Saindon.
There will be some available in the church office through Luci as well.

Yes! you can use your <u>SOBEYS GIFT CARDS</u> at IGA, Foodland and Price Choppers! We still have lots of gift cards left! Contact Luci if you would like to purchase some.



Our Board and Councils are looking for a few of you to share your gifts and talents. We need a Vice Chair to

serve on the Executive Team and members to serve on several of the Councils. Speak to Craig Gibb for more information. Thank you for helping WPUC run so well! Holy Cross School at 300 Dubuc Street would like to thank everyone for being a part of the **TABS FOR WHEELCHAIRS** program!

We will be presenting Kathy with a specialized wheelchair in May 2014. Kathy, who is 16, is in grade 10 at Garden Valley Collegiate. She has cerebral palsy and has been in a wheelchair for most of her life.

(More information on the bulletin board beside the office) We hope you will join us at our special 15<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration on Thursday May 23<sup>rd</sup> at 1 pm.



We'll celebrate CONFIRMATION and welcome MEMBERS BY TRANSFER on May 26<sup>th.</sup>

# **Birthdays & Anniversaries!**

Connor Ashdown Glenna Miller Ella Rumak Connor Shidel Lois Vincent Ken Hayward Kaitlyn Olivier-Gair Alison San Filippo Cameron Sieffert Allen Ludlam Brynn Paul Lynette Seadon Kent Stewart

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Wayne & Margo Baldwin George & Heather Fidler Shirley & Lloyd Lehman