

On Christmas Eve this year WPUC will show its concern for our community and the world by making a special gift! We will be giving 100% of the cash donations we receive to those in need, honouring God's gift of Jesus to the world. "Free the Children" will receive 50% towards their work, bringing clean water and education to children living in poverty in the developing world. The other 50% will go to "Devoted to You" a charity that works with street people here in Winnipeg. In this season of giving may our gifts change the world for the better!

The Three Magi from the East sent me a knee-mail when I made inquiries to their whereabouts and the gifts that are needed to bring balance back into our financial outlooks.

The reply - Our gold is cold, [myrrh](#) said "Brrr" and the [frankincense](#) says "The make no sense"; therefore our gifts will NOT be arriving in time. But there is Hope, for among you are people who have been touched by Angels. 1 in 3 people have been touched by an Angel and may not even know it. Ask the congregation to look at the person to their left and their right to see if their neighbor is one. If not, then it must be them.

Remind these Angels that it will bring peace, joy and love to their life by providing an extra gift to WPUC at this special time of year. The congregation will thank them since the year will end with balance in their lives and in the financial books.

Yours Truly,
The Magi

Safeway and Sobeys Gift Cards

Purchase your Christmas groceries today!

There are many *Safeway and Sobeys Gift Cards* left to sell! Get yours today! If you would like to purchase some contact Luci in the office.

Birthdays & Anniversaries!

Dorothy Allen
Lauren Cechvala
Megan Falconer
Alexis Lashek
Joan Rusnak

Carol Belsham
Dee Degeus
Noella Hoffman
David Markham
Grace Wilson

Erin Bevan
Edna Erickson
Virginia Kozicki
Betty Ann Noakes

Bob & Sylvia Mann

Brian & Jan Nazarko

Laura & Greg Steidl

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

December 22, 2013 – December 29, 2013

Today	11:45 am	Praise Singers Practice and 5 pm Christmas Eve Practice (all children and brave adults welcome!)
	7 pm	BLUE CHRISTMAS SERVICE
Dec. 23 th to Dec. 27 th		OFFICE CLOSED (Sharon will be available)



2014 OFFERING ENVELOPES - Are on the table in the lobby. Please be sure to pick yours up before going home today!

Just a REMINDER! Your donations for 2013 need to be received by December 31, 2013 in order to qualify for 2013a receipt in 2013. Donations received after December 31, 2013 will be receipted in 2014. Thank you for supporting your church!

We are reminding anyone wishing to donate their stocks or bonds to Windsor Park United Church to do so now to take advantage of any possible gains for 2013.

YOUTH GROUP: All youth are invited to join us at the church on January 4th from 7 to 9 pm for a MOVIE NIGHT! We will pick a movie, have some popcorn, drinks. All youth are welcome and as usual, friends are also welcome!