

***A veggie lasagna and a meat lasagna was found in our freezer downstairs. Please contact Luci in the office 256-8792 if either of these belong to you. Please remember to always mark your items in the freezer and the fridge!***



### **Medicare Pledge**

For 60 years The United Church of Canada has advocated in support of universal health care. Now the church is calling on its members to sign the Medicare Pledge launched by the Canadian Health Coalition, a public advocacy organization dedicated to the preservation and improvement of Medicare. In part, the pledge says that “quality health care must be based on need, not ability to pay” and that we “must improve our public health care for everyone, instead of expanding private for-profit services that benefit only a few.”

The coalition argues that without a new health accord it will be impossible to ensure national health care standards across the country. To sign the Medicare Pledge go to <http://medicare.ca/medicare-pledge>

**For more information:** Mary-Frances Denis, The United Church of Canada 1-416-231-7680 ext. 2016 or 1-800-268-3781 ext. 2016 [mdenis@united-church.ca](mailto:mdenis@united-church.ca)

### **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**

**March 30, 2014 – April 6, 2014**

<b>Monday</b>	<b>6:15 pm</b>	<b>Sparks &amp; Brownies</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>1 pm</b>	<b>Art Group</b>
	<b>7 pm</b>	<b>Garden Club</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>9:30 am</b>	<b>Moms 'n' Tots (cancelled - resume Apr.6)</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>9:30 am</b>	<b>Study Group</b>
	<b>1:30 pm</b>	<b>Little Moccasins</b>
	<b>7:30 pm</b>	<b>Choir Practice</b>
<b>Next Sunday</b>	<b>9:45 am</b>	<b>Joyful Noise Practice</b>

**The Wi Fi password at the church has changed. It is 'OneThatServes'.**

## **Lent and Easter 2014**

**at Windsor Park United Church**



**Communion Lent 5 – April 6 at 10:30 am**

**Palm Sunday – April 13 at 10:30 am**

**Good Friday – April 18 at 10:30 am**

**Easter – April 20 at 10:30 am**

The **Lacoste Gift Card** program makes a unique gift idea for Easter, Mother's Day, Father's Day, a Birthday, or even as a 'Thank You' for someone who has done you a kindness! If you wish to place an order call 256-8792 or [officewpuc@mymts.net](mailto:officewpuc@mymts.net) WPUC will receive 15% of your purchase. \$20 or \$50 gift cards are sold. Submit your order by March 30<sup>th</sup> for delivery on April 6<sup>th</sup>.



*Rev. Dr. Sharon Wilson*

**Rev. Dr. Sharon Wilson** has been named the 'Distinguished Alumni' this year by the United Theological Seminary of the Twin Cities. She will be honoured at the Spring Convocation on April 30<sup>th</sup> in Minneapolis. She was nominated by Dr. Barbara Anne Keely and Dr. Lance Barker based on her contributions to church, community and academics.

**We are so proud of you Sharon!!**

We are hosting the **Winnipeg Presbytery Meeting** on Tuesday April 8, 2014 from 7 – 9:30 pm. Volunteers will be needed for hosts, set-up and clean-up. The sign-up sheet is posted on the easel in the lobby.

# QUIZ NIGHT



**Categories: Music, History, Sports, Nature, People, TV, Movies and Places.**

**Join us on Saturday April 26<sup>th</sup> at 7pm! The cost is \$15 per person. 8 people per table (team)**

**We plan to have 10 – 15 tables. Form a team of eight and compete for bragging rights!**

**Quizmasters – Robin & Maria Allan**

We continue to collect pop can tabs for the **TABS FOR WHEELCHAIRS** program. Holy Cross School would like to thank everyone for saving their tabs in support of this extremely valuable program. The next recipient of a wheel chair in 2015, is Bryce. More information about him is on the bulletin board by the office.



TO ALL COUNCIL CHAIRS!

Please send in your blurb for the SouthWinds. We would like to have the SW ready for Easter! Your submission should include what your council has done so far in 2014 and what you are planning to do in the future.

Would you please send your submission to either Mel Braun [mlbraun@shaw.ca](mailto:mlbraun@shaw.ca) or Luci [officewpuc@mymts.net](mailto:officewpuc@mymts.net) before Wednesday, April 9<sup>th</sup>. THANK YOU!

# Birthdays & Anniversaries!

Georgina Backman  
Sharon Farysey  
Jennifer Karavas  
Thomas Seadon  
Mackenzie Wills

Brenda Barnes  
Margaret Gibb  
Daniel Militere  
Janice Shiario  
Mikayla Zacharias

Sarah Craig  
Catherine Hinds  
Alynn Morin  
Karen Sitka

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Skyler & Jenna Yutzky

**Next Week's Scripture Reading:  
Romans 8: 6-11**

The Winnipeg Presbytery Prayer Circle invites our prayers today for St. Mary's Road United Church and for those in Ministry there: Tim Crouch, Philip Read and Alice Szemok