

"RELIGION AND SCIENCE; PATHWAYS TO TRUTH"

Study Group starts on Wednesday May 7th at 7 pm.

Topics:

May 7th Can You Be a Christian and Believe in Science or the Reverse?

May 14th Is There a Heaven or a Black Hole?

May 21st Genetics, Ethics and Should We be Playing God?

May 28th The God Delusion, or Who Does Richard Dawkins Think He's Fooling?



Reading materials are available on the counter at the back of the sanctuary.

Sharon and Luci are looking for someone who would be available Mon - Fri during the day, for technical support on the church computers. Please contact Luci 256-8792 or officewpuc@mymts.net

Birthdays & Anniversaries!

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| Connor Ashdown | Eric Brunet | Ken Hayward |
| Allen Ludlam | Matthew MacRae | Connor Marschall |
| Glenna Miller | Kaitlyn Oliver-Gair | Brynn Paul |
| Ella Rumak | Lynette Seadon | Connor Shidel |
| Cameron Sieffert | Gordon Stewart | Kent Stewart |
| Lois Vincent | | |

- Wayne & Margo Baldwin
 George & Heather Fidler
 Frank & Margaret Hemming
 Shirley & Lloyd Lehman

The Winnipeg Presbytery Prayer Circle invites our prayers today for the Trinity United Church and those in ministry there:
Elizabeth Brown and Milly Malavsky

Recognition of Bible Adventure Teachers and LST Members

- One: There are different gifts,
All: but it the same Spirit who gives them.
- One: There are different ways of serving,
All: but it is the same God who is served.
- One: God works through different people in different ways,
All: but it is the same God who achieves holy purposes through them all.
- One: The Spirit gives each one gifts,
All: to use for the common good.

Each of us is called by God to ministry, and called to offer gifts as we are able. Today we recognize those in our midst who have heard God's call to serve as teachers and mentors. Teaching and mentoring are ministries of Christ among us. Those who have been called to this ministry deserve our recognition and gratitude.

(Introduction of Teachers and LST members)

Presider: Teachers and members of the LST, you have heard God's call and you stepped forward to answer that call. You have shared your faith with others in this community. You have loved, supported and cared for those with whom you have journeyed this past year. We honour your commitment of time and talent and the sharing of your faith that has happened this past year.

Teachers and LST members: **We have recognized a need within this congregation and we have felt called by God to respond. We have trusted in the spirit to be with us and to support and guide us as we have supported others in their faith journey. We are grateful for the time we have been able to spend nurturing and supporting the faith of others.**

Congregation: **We remember the promises we make at baptism to provide Christian nurture and example for all. We celebrate the response of you, who have answered God's call and have taught and nurtured within our community over this past year. We are grateful for the education ministry you have provided for our congregation.**

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| Rev. Dr. Sharon Wilson, Minister | Patrick Woodbeck, Associate Minister |
| Luci Toews, Church Administrator | Laura Steidl, Music Director |
| Myrna Hagues, Organist | Gina Grant, Custodian |
| Bob James, Liturgist | Sheryl & Chanel Cale, Joyful Noise |
| Douglas Gauthier & Gloria Waldron, Nursery Care Givers | |

- Ushers: Anne & Gordon Whyte
 Greeters: Kal Kneeshaw and Sylvia Warrington
 Communion Servers: Jan Shiario, Joyce Muir, Gordon & Shirley Goossen

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 4, 2014 – May 11, 2014

Today	11:30 am	Trustees Mtg.
	5 pm	Spring Dinner!
Monday	6:15 pm	Sparks & Brownies
Tuesday	1 pm	Art Group
	7 pm	Garden Club
Thursday	1:30 pm	Little Moccasins
	7:45 pm	Choir Practice
Friday	7:30 pm	UCW (YAH) Mtg.
Saturday	12 pm	Private Function
Next Sunday	9:45 am	Joyful Noise Practice

TODAY is the

ANNUAL SPRING DINNER!

at 5 pm.

Join us for a family-style roast beef dinner and games!

Adults \$15 Youth \$7 and 5 yrs. and under free.

Bring your friends and family.

There will be **NO COFFEE AFTER WORSHIP TODAY** due to the preparation for the Spring Dinner tonight.

The Lacoste Gift Cards can be purchased by contacting the office at 256-8792.

Order your gift cards today for pick-up on May 11th.

Thank you!!

Please hand in your Lenten Calendar coins TODAY so the monies can be counted and sent to the preschool in Africa.

Are you interested in becoming a church member? We are planning to hold confirmation classes in May and June. Please contact Luci to sign-up.

“Calling all Women” – Manitoba & Northwestern Ontario Conference UCW Retreat is this June 6, 7, 8 at the ‘Wilderness Edge’ in Pinawa. MB registration \$175.00. Please check the bulletin board just outside the sanctuary for registration forms which must be in by May 15th, 2014.

A Congregational Meeting will be held on Sunday May 18th to covenant with the new Official Board.

Spring is indeed here and when you are doing your spring cleaning please remember the church as there will be a “Rummage Sale” on May 23rd and 24th. We accept things like small appliances in good working order, gently-used household and kitchen items, books, jewellery, DVDs, toys, tools etc. Please NO large appliances or clothing. There will be a sign-up sheet for helping before, during and after the sale. Watch for it! Please do not bring items for the Rummage Sale before Tuesday May 20th, we have no where to store them.



Splash Child Care Centre in the North End is in need of donations of children's bus tickets to enable them to participate in activities over the summer. Donations can be left at the office.

Coffee and Conversation will be held this July and August on Wednesdays from 2 – 4 pm. July 2, 9, and 16 has volunteers in place. There is a need for volunteers to take, possibly 2 weeks each for the remaining Wednesdays to set-up and get coffee on and ice tea made. Helen Howlett is the contact person. Her phone number is 254-5450 hianhow@mymts.net There will be a sign-up sheet in the Narthex beginning May 4th. During August there could be some fresh garden vegetables brought in by some who generously share their bounty.

