The Worship Choir invites you to join them for the season of Advent and 7 p.m.

Christmas Eve service.

There are 3 ways to join:

The Christmas Eve Experience

- Practices are Thursday evenings from **7:30-8:30 p.m.** starting **November 12**.

- You will be singing at the **7 p.m.**Candlelight Christmas Eve service.

- Great for those who want to be in choir for

Christmas but cannot be at church on Sunday mornings!

# Sundays Only Experience

- Practices are Thursday evenings from **8:30-9:30 p.m.** starting November 12.
- You will be singing on the Sundays between Reign of Christ Sunday (Nov. 23) and Advent 4 (Dec. 20) the **5 Sundays** leading up to Christmas.
- Great for those who may be committed to family events on Christmas Eve or prefer to attend a different service but still want to experience the anticipation of the season!

### The Full Christmas Experience!

- Practices are Thursday evenings from **7:30-9:30 p.m.** (snack included!)
- You will be singing on the Sundays of Advent **and** Christmas Eve!

Christmas Choir is open to all singers age 13 and older from all denominations, so bring your family and friends.

WE LOOK FORWARD TO ENJOYING THE SEASON WITH YOU!

#### **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 15, 2015 - November 22, 2015

Monday	1 pm	UCW Unit 5 Mtg.
	6:15 pm	Sparks & Brownies
Tuesday	1 pm	Art Group
	7 pm	Executive Team Mtg.
Wednesday	9:30 am	Tot Time
	7:30 pm	Bible Study (last session)
Thursday	9:30 am	Study Group
	1:30 pm	Little Moccasins
	7:45 pm	Worship Choir Practice
Friday	5 pm	Chili Supper, Bonfire &
		<b>Carol Sing</b> w/ special guest Al Simmons
Saturday	10 am	COOKIE WALK
Next Sunday	10 am	Joyful Noise Practice

We would like to thank the <a href="CHRISTIAN DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL (CDC)">CHRISTIAN DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL (CDC)</a> for serving coffee during the month of November!

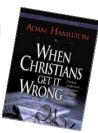
## PAT TODD IS OUR NEW COFFEE SUPPLY PERSON.

Please remember to pick-up your SAFEWAY and RED RIVER CO-OP gift cards <u>TODAY!</u>
Following Worship today,
come for coffee/dainties downstairs
while picking up your cards.

Our service is being taped TODAY for use on the <a href="http://www.preacherportal.ca">http://www.preacherportal.ca</a> used by congregations that are remote or without ministers. We are honoured that they have asked WPUC to be part of this important project.

#### WHEN CHRISTIANS GET IT WRONG!

Discover the things that Christians say and do that keep people away from church. Join Sharon for the last session\_of this series on **Wed. November 18<sup>th</sup> at\_7:30 pm.** Attending? Call Luci 256-8792.



JOIN THE STUDY GROUP ON THURSDAY MORNINGS BEGINNING AT 9:30 – II AM. THIS YEAR THE GROUP IS STUDYING 'WHAT'S SO AMAZING ABOUT GRACE?' BY PHILIP YANCEY. DISCOVER TOGETHER WHY GRACE IS MORE AMAZING THAN YOU'VE EVER DREAMED! IF INTERESTED CALL LUCI AT 204- 256-8792.



The Membership and Pastoral
Care Council is collecting
items for the Thinking of
You' baskets. Some
suggestions are: new playing

cards, personal size shampoos/conditioners/hand lotions, small jams, lip balm, small notebooks/pens, crossword/sudoku/word search puzzle books and any other great ideas you might have.

All donations may be brought to the office. Thank you!

M&PCC WILL BE HOSTING THE ALZHEIMER SOCIETY WORKSHOP ON SAT. NOV. 28<sup>TH</sup> FROM 9AM - 12 NOON HERE AT THE CHURCH. JOIN JENNIFER VINCENTE-LICARDO FROM THE ALZHEIMER SOCIETY FOR PART 2 OF THEIR WORKSHOP.

THE USED BOOK SALE RAISED \$70.15 LAST SUNDAY! WE ARE LOOKING FOR MORE DONATIONS OF USED PAPERBACK BOOKS. PLEASE BRING THEM TO THE OFFICE.

PATRICK IS LOOKING FOR SOME VOLUNTEERS FOR THE 5 PM CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE! HE NEEDS 3 ADULTS AND HOW EVER MANY CHILDREN THAT WOULD LIKE TO BE INVOLVED... A PLACE WILL BE FOUND FOR ALL! PLEASE CONTACT PATRICK IN THE OFFICE TUES. & THURS. 256-8792 OR WPUCREV2@MYMTS.NET





MMMMMM! HOME-BAKED COOKIES! CHECK OUT ALL THE DIFFERENT KINDS OF COOKIES WE HAVE TO OFFER! BRING YOUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS ON SATURDAY NOVEMBER 21, 2015 FROM 10AM TO NOON.

THIS IS NOT A NUT-FREE ENVIRONMENT.

FILL A COOKIE CONTAINER FOR \$8 - LID MUST CLOSE SIGN-UP SHEETS ARE ON THE EASEL IN THE LOBBY.

We are looking for some volunteers to participate in the 7pm Christmas Eve service. (No speaking or memorizing required!) – volunteers are needed to play the parts of: **Mary, Joseph, shepherds and an angel**. Please contact Sharon if you are interested. It will be great fun... as always!

# Birthdays and Anniversaries

Chris Cale Arla Francisco Christina Smith Matthew Williams Arlene Carswell Cathy Friesen Pauline Tanner David Yunyk Jason Floyde Nolan Horbas Noah Thibert

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Kris & Nicole Kamenz

Kevin & Lori Pattle

**Next Week's Scripture Readings** 

Revelation 1: 4b-8

John 18: 33-37

The Winnipeg Presbytery Prayer Circle invites our Prayers today for the Hungarian United Church and for those in ministry there: Alice Szemok