

### **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**

**April 30, 2017 – May 7, 2017**

Monday	6:15	Sparks & Brownies
	6:30	Worship Council Mtg.
Tuesday		Nearly New Boutique Set-up – items may be brought in Tues., Wed., Thurs., Fri. between 9-3 pm
	1 pm	Art Group
Wednesday	1 pm	UCW Unit 2 Mtg. – at Travel Lodge
Thursday	9:30 am	Study Group
	7:45 pm	Worship Choir Practice
Saturday	9 am	<b>Nearly New Boutique (9-1 pm)</b>

Thank you to the **UCW YAHs** for serving coffee during the month of April!

**TO ALL NEWCOMERS OR VISITORS... PLEASE JOIN US DOWNSTAIRS FOR COFFEE FOLLOWING WORSHIP.**

**Journey to Becoming an Affirming Congregation – If you are interested in joining this discussion, please come to the north room (small room downstairs) during coffee on Sunday May 7<sup>th</sup> to hear more.**

**If anyone is interested in attending ADULT BAPTISM and CONFIRMATION please call Luci 256-8792 to have your name added to our list. It has been decided to do this in September.**

**Don't forget our WPUC Gift Catalogue is an on-going way you can give to the church, with a gift in your loved one's name.**

**Finance is in need of more OFFERING COUNTERS!  
Please contact Peter Czehryn @ 255-3272  
if you would like to become a volunteer.  
Your help is needed!**

A huge **THANK YOU** to all the volunteers who helped by donating food, setting-up, preparing, serving and cleaning-up at the Annual Spring Dinner! An amazing \$1,275.00 profit was made. Proceeds to the General Fund!

Have you heard of the **CITIZENS FOR PUBLIC JUSTICE? Citizens for Public Justice (CPJ)** is a national interfaith organization of members inspired by faith to act for justice in Canadian public policy. Their annual meeting is going to be held in Winnipeg this year. Laurie Ringaert will be going if anyone would like to carpool please let her know. [laurie@changeweavers.com](mailto:laurie@changeweavers.com) or 204-797-2608. All are welcome. The date is **Thursday May 25<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm at Micah House, 1039 Main St.**

Mark your calendars for the upcoming AOTS BBQ on May 29<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 p.m. Please watch for more details!

## **Birthdays & Anniversaries**

Scarlett Biglow  
Makenna Decker-Razos  
Jim Kerr  
Karyn Maertens  
Kaitlyn Olivier-Gair  
Sylvia Rempel  
Gordon Stewart  
Sylvia Warrington

Eric Brunet  
Carly Friesen  
Michael Loewen  
Courtney McKnight  
Brynn Paul  
Eric Schultz  
Kent Stewart  
Branson Wildeman  
Rob Cottreau  
Karen Gundrum  
Allen Ludlum  
Glenna Miller  
Ruth Penner  
Connor Shidel  
Lois Vincent  
Aaron Will

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Rory & Hillary Anderson  
Jack & Pat Fergusson

Wayne & Margo Baldwin  
Frank & Marg Hemming

Brent & Tiarra Sunley

## **COMMUNITY NEWS**

**Help support High Steppers Seniors by purchasing their Discount Card and Coupon Book. On sale now until May 30<sup>th</sup>. For only \$20 your savings are endless! Save up to 50% at your favourite merchants. Over \$10,000 in money saving offers plus over \$200 in FREE STUFF! To view the card and book online: [www.showandsave.ca](http://www.showandsave.ca) or call 204-619-8477.**

**WPUC Weekend Walk:** Please join Laurie Ringaert for a walk along the Seine River Bois-des-Esprit Trail on May 7<sup>th</sup> at 2 pm. Laurie is doing this to raise awareness of our own environmental stewardship mission we may want to develop. Laurie is on the Board of Save Our Seine River Environment. Please meet at the Extra Foods parking lot, 740 St. Anne's Road. Dress comfortably. The sign-up sheet is on the board in the lobby.

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