

### **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 10, 2015 – May 17, 2015**

Today

**MOTHER'S DAY  
USED BOOK SALE**

Thursday      1:30 pm      Little Moccasins  
                     7:45 pm      Worship Choir Practice

**A reminder! Your submission for the SouthWinds is due on Tuesday May 19<sup>th</sup>. Please send your report to either Mel Braun [mlbraun@shaw.ca](mailto:mlbraun@shaw.ca) or Luci [officewpuc@mymts.net](mailto:officewpuc@mymts.net)**

**CDC invites you to join the WPUC Canadian Museum for Human Rights bus tour on Sunday May 24th.**

**Tour length is 90 minutes. \$20/person and free for those accompanying folks in wheelchair and for indigenous people. Sign up with payment is downstairs. Bus leaves the church @ 1pm and returns @ 4 pm.**



**Sharon is looking for 1 or 2 people to help her do some community advertising. if you are interested in helping Sharon, please let her know or call Luci 256-8792.**

**M&PCC are looking for items to put in the 'Thinking of You' baskets that will be done up and delivered in the fall. Some suggestions are: small jars of jam, travel size shampoos, conditioners, hand lotions, small soaps and lip balm, shower caps and small tissue packs.**

The **Annual General Meeting of the Conference of Manitoba and Northwestern Ontario** is taking place at the University of Manitoba from May 28 – May 31. The following volunteer opportunities exist:

- To bake muffins and cookies for the meetings on Friday May 29<sup>th</sup> and Saturday May 30<sup>th</sup>.
- To prepare and serve refreshments.
- To assist with the UCRD book table.
- To agree to billet conference delegates.

For more information check the bulletin board in the lobby. If you are able to help out contact the Conference office at 204-233-8911.

A **RUMMAGE SALE** will take place here at the church on June 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup>. Please keep us in mind when you are doing your spring cleaning. We'll gladly accept toys, puzzles, games, DVDs, CDs, small tools in good working order, books, jewellery, small appliances in good working order, purses, shoes and gently used household and kitchen items. No large items, no clothing/bedding please. Please do not bring in items for the sale until the week of May 31<sup>st</sup>. We just don't have the storage space. Watch for the sign-up sheet for help before, during and after sale.

Mark your calendars... Our **Annual Picnic** will be on Sunday June 7<sup>th</sup> beginning at 11:30 am! Details to follow.

We will be celebrating the **90<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the United Church of Canada**, on Sunday June 14<sup>th</sup>. Please bring a bell or a gong that day, to ring at 10:15 am.

On July 13<sup>th</sup> the UCW ladies will be feeding 75 people working on the **Habitat for Humanity** project. They will be serving lasagna, cole slaw, rye bread and dainties.

**Sadly, the Gardening Club is folding and there are a few small gardening items still available. Anyone interested please contact Ken Craig 256-2437. Thank you.**

**Did you know???** We had a movie release a few Sundays ago regarding our library at the back of the church? We want to thank Jan Shiaro for taking such good care of the library over recent years and welcome everyone to view the new additions since Jan and members of CDC spruced things up recently. Everyone is welcome to use the lending library to check out fiction, spiritual, family and health issues as well as children's books. Sign out your books by using the card honour system. Feel free to leave feedback or write a quick review to leave for other members and CDC! Enjoy!!!



Worship services will be held here at **Windsor Park United Church** during the month of July beginning at 10 am. During the month of August worship services will be at **Prince of Peace** beginning at 10 am. Tentatively work will begin in August to install the new boiler and (this summer, new volunteers are needed to help Gina strip and wax the floors.)

#### **United Church Response to Nepal Earthquake – Donate Now!**

Your donation will be applied directly to support relief, rehabilitation and restoration efforts.

- **Online** via our secure donation page:
- **Phone** 416-231-5931 ext. 3050 or toll-free 1-800-268-3781 ext. 3050 and use your Visa or Mastercard.
- **Send a cheque**, money order, or Visa / Mastercard information with donation amount to:

*The United Church of Canada  
Philanthropy Unit – Emergency Response  
3250 Bloor Street West, Suite 300  
Toronto, ON M8X 2Y4*

Be sure to note "Emergency Response – Nepal Earthquake Relief" on the face of your cheque. For more information go to:

<http://www.unitedchurch.ca/communications/news/response/150427>

## **Birthdays and Anniversaries**

Connor Ashdown	Mel Braun	Nancy Sulkers
Paulette Cote	Erica Hastings	Allan Stephen
Jay Hawton	Matthew MacRae	Cameron Sieffert
Nick Rusnak	Alison San Filippo	Janie Schroeder

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Howard & Debbie Ashdown

Louis & Chris Ludlam