

Cambridge Street United Church

No matter who you are, or where you are on your faith journey, you are welcome here.

Sunday, September 23, 2018

Welcome - We're glad to have you with us today and would like to make you feel connected. If you are a visitor, please take a few minutes to fill out one of the envelopes found at the end of the pews and place it on the offering plate.

Whether you'd like more information about our programs, want to request offering envelopes or a visit from the minister, have a question about becoming a member, or whatever else is important to you, we'd love to hear from you. Please also feel free to speak to an usher or call the office.

A LIVE STREAMING of Cambridge Street United worship service is available for those unable to join us in person. The service is accessed from our website www.theunitedchurch.com. This is a live broadcast beginning 5 minutes before worship begins and ends following the postlude.

Our Mission Statement

“We, as members of Cambridge Street United Church, seek to follow Jesus Christ through word, music, and social action; thereby nurturing our personal faith and supporting the faith journey of others. We promise to be stewards of our living earth, to share with those in need, and to be welcoming to all.”

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Thank you to those serving us today:

Greeters: John & Maria Bennett
Ushers: Del & Dianne Gallagher, Maxine Anderson,
Norm & Evelyn Reedman, Doug & Chris Scott
Scripture Reader: John Bennett
Fellowship Time: Faith Development Team
Counting Team: Irwin Brown, Elaine & Stewart Kell, Barb Alldred
Audio Visual: Mike Puffer, Mike Warren, Walt Radda,
Bob May, Jonah Grignon, Chris Morasse

LIFE AND WORK OF CAMBRIDGE ST. UNITED CHURCH

MONDAY, September 24

9:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m. - Community Living Training - Lower Hall
5:45-7:15 p.m. - 1st Sparks/3rd Brownies - Lower Hall
5:00-8:00 p.m. - 1st Beavers - Gym

TUESDAY, September 25

10:30-11:30 a.m. - 3F Exercise Group (Fellowship, Fitness & Fun) - L.H.
6:15-8:15 p.m. - 1st Cubs - Gym
7:00-8:30 p.m. - 1st Pathfinder/Rangers - Lower Hall
7:30 p.m. - Scout Group Committee Mtg. - Parlour

WEDNESDAY, September 26

9:00 a.m. - Set-up for Fashion Show - Gym
9:30 a.m. - Wednesday Morning Bible Study Group - Upper Room
4:00-6:00 p.m. - Stroobach Music Lessons - Parlour/Choir Room
6:15-8:45 p.m. - 1st Scouts - Lower Hall
7:00-8:00 p.m. - Meditation Group - Upper Room
7:15-8:45 p.m. - Bellchoir - Choir Room

THURSDAY, September 27

9:00 a.m. - Set-up for Fashion Show - Gym
1:30 p.m. - Alzheimer Support Group - Upper Room
4:30-5:30 p.m. - Voices of Victory - Choir Room
6:30-8:00 p.m. - 6th Brownies - Lower Hall
6:30-8:00 p.m. - 1st Guides - Parlour
7:00-8:45 p.m. - Cambridge St Singers - Choir Room/Sanctuary

FRIDAY, September 28

7:00 p.m. - Fall Fashion Show - Gym

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SUNDAY, September 30

9:00 a.m. - Volunteer Visitors Coffee Appreciation - Upper Room
9:45 a.m. - Cherubs - Parlour
10:30 a.m. - Worship service - Sunday School classes
Gratitude Reception for Nancy Payne
6:00 p.m. - Family Game Night - gym

ANNOUNCEMENTS/NOTICES

Let the bells ring
and pipe organ roar!
Erwin is back
to guide us once more
In beautiful singing,
Notes high and low
Angelique by his side,
Cherubs in tow!



THE SEPT 2018 EDITION OF THE CAMBRIDGE CHRONICLE are available for pick-up today in the Bond St. hallway. Newsletters that have not been picked up will be mailed on Monday, Sept. 24.



Attention Church Pastoral Care Visitors: Visitation Packages are also available for pick-up.

In Memoriam
Aileen Neals - September 17, 2018

2018 OFFERING ENVELOPES - If you don't currently have offering envelopes and would like some for 2018, please contact Pam in the office.

FALL FASHION SHOW

Friday, Sept. 28th at 7:00pm (doors open at 6:30pm)

Tickets are \$20.00 available after church in the gym and from the church office during the week

There will be appetizers, desserts, coffee & tea at intermission, door prizes, gifts basket raffles, and a cash bar for wine and beer.

Clothing & Accessories provided by: Cathy Allen, Hamilton Creek, Hamilton Creek Travel Trends, Nisbett's Clothiers, and NYO Optical

SEEKER'S CORNER - For those who are following the "Seeker's Journey" through Bishop John Spong's book "UNBELIEVABLE", next week's topic continues: Thesis: 1 GOD - Understanding God as "a being", supernatural in power, dwelling somewhere external to the world and capable of intervening in the world with miraculous power, is no longer believable. Most God talk in liturgy and conversation has thus become meaningless. What we must do is find the meaning to which the word "God" points. The Seekers meet in the Upper Room, Sunday mornings at 9.00 am.

3F EXERCISE GROUP (Fellowship, Fitness & Fun) - Classes have resumed on Tuesday mornings in the lower hall from 10:3-11:30 am. Everyone is welcome to come and enjoy low impact gentle exercises. For further information, please contact Lillian Cooper at 705-324-1593.

GRATITUDE RECEPTION - At the end of this month, Nancy Payne is stepping down from her position as Congregational Designated Ministry Lay Person after close to 6 years of dedicated service. Everyone is invited so express their appreciation to Nancy for her many years of faithful service at an informal reception in the gym following the service on Sunday, September 30.

SECRET PAL PROJECT IS BACK

We have successfully used this program in our church before and have had lots of fun, so we are bring it back!

- **How does the program work?** The children/youth in the church are paired up with an adult "secret pal". There is a minimum of four pieces of correspondences written during the course of the year (Sept. 30, 2018 – May 26, 2019). On May 26, 2019, the Secret Pals will meet each other, at pot luck luncheon at the church.
- **Who is involved?** Children in Grades 1-8 and any Adult that are interested. We all have something to share.
- **When will it start?** The collections of names will take place until September 23, 2018. There is a form to be filled out and placed in the special mailbox in the mail room (beside the kitchen). Matches will be made and the first letter will be written by the children/youth and needs to be out by the end of October.
- **Where do you sign up?** Forms located beside the Secret Pal Mail Box. The matches will be made and letter addressed to you. In the letter there will be your match's name, you will find this letter on the table by the gym in Bond St. Hall.

Everyone welcomed to participate.

VISITING WITH US THIS MORNING? Been here before but don't know many people? Please join us in our gym after the service for coffee, and select one of our spotted mugs, so we can easily spot you and assure you of a warm welcome.



A CELEBRATION EVENT marking the 100th anniversary of Women's Inter Church Council (WICC) is sponsored by St. Mary's Catholic Woman's League. Sat., Sept. 29 9am-3pm at St. Mary's school. \$10.00 and a lunch will be served. Call 705-320-9801 if planning on attending. Please see notice on the bulletin board for more info.

Fall Rummage Sale

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 13

Sale: 7:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Fill-a-Bag Sale for \$2 or more: 1:00 to 3:00 p.m.

Please bring gently used and clean clothing, household items and toys, etc., to the church for sorting on Thursday, Oct. 12 and Friday, Oct. 13. We cannot accept cribs, highchairs or infant car seats. **We need many hands to help** -- sign-up sheets are posted on the Bond St. entrance bulletin board or call the office.

ATTENTION GARDENERS - When splitting perennials in your garden this fall, keep in mind our Rummage Sale. Perennials are a popular item to sell and we welcome your donations.

NAME TAGS - If you're attending church regularly and would like a name tag, you'll find a sign-up sheet on the Bond St. entrance bulletin board. Enter your name and indicate whether you will store you tag on the boards in the Lower Hall or the Bond Street hallway. Tags are numbered and colour coded so you will know where to store it. Check back in a week or so for the list of new name tags and where you will find yours.

SUBSCRIBE TO THE eNEWS and you'll never again find yourself saying, "I didn't know that was happening!" The eNews is a short monthly newsletter. It keeps you up to date on special church services, concerts, volunteer opportunities, church events and more. Stay in touch--just contact Pam in the office to subscribe!

TOUGHT FOR THE DAY - *Practice kindness all day to everybody and you will realize you're already in heaven now.* - Jack Kerouac

COMPLIMENTARY PHOTO CHURCH DIRECTORIES - All those who had their picture taken (in 2017) for the church directory, your complimentary directory is available today in the gym and from the church office during the week. If you did not have your picture taken for the directory and would like a copy, you can purchase one for \$13.00 (which covers the cost to print the extra copies).

KAWARTHA LAKES FOOD SOURCE NEEDS FOR SEPTEMBER - Canned soup, canned meat, muffin mix, canned vegetables, fruit cups (small single serving), Cornflakes, Rice Krispies, Shreddies, Cherrios, 100% pure juice boxes, Kraft Dinner. Items can be placed in the shopping cart at the main doors of the church and outside the office door.

WATCH FOR NEWCOMERS - If you see someone you don't recognize, or if someone looks a bit lost in our big building, take the time to say hello and offer help. We are all the face of Cambridge St United - let's make it a friendly, welcoming one!

THE BAWAAJIGEWIN ABORIGINAL COMMUNITY CIRCLE (BACC) is an Aboriginal-led incorporated non-profit agency in the Durham Region. Bawaajigewin is an Ojibway word that means the action of taking something that is a dream and making it into something you can see in real life. BACC strives to respond to and advocate for the dreams and visions of the Durham Region Aboriginal community. They are holding a fundraiser, *The Secret Path Continuing the Walk Towards Reconciliation* in support of the Gord Downie & Chanie Wenjack Fund on October 21, 2018, at the Regent Theatre in Oshawa. Tickets are available through the box office <https://tickets.regenttheatre.ca>.