

Cambridge Street United Church

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

Sunday, April 21, 2024

We're glad to have you with us today in person or via our Live Streaming service and would like to make you feel connected. Whether you'd like more information about our programs, a chat with the minister, or whatever else is important to you, we'd love to hear from you.

LIVE STREAMING of our Sunday service is accessed from our website www.theunitedchurch.com. This is a live broadcast beginning **15 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.

Our Affirming Covenant

Cambridge Street United Church's Affirming Covenant is a call to action to create a just and caring Community of Faith and safe space with a continuing commitment to publicly, intentionally and explicitly welcome and celebrate people of all diversities, including but not limited to, age, colour, racialized experience, culture, ethnicity, economic circumstances, gender identity, sexual orientation, Indigenous heritage, physical and mental health and ability, spiritual affiliation, and marital or family status. We aspire to include and support the full participation of people of all diversities in all aspects of the life and work of our ministry.



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CONTACT INFORMATION

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday: 8:30 am-12:00 noon & 1:00-4:30 pm

STAFF

Rev. Sharon Campbell Rayment..... Minister

Erwin Stroobach Director of Music

Rev. Brian Nicholson Pastoral Care Minister

Pam Burt Office Administrator

Walt Radda Custodian

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Thank you to those serving us today:

Greeters: Lynn DeSaulnier, Richard Elson, Mary McKay

Ushers: Alex Istchenko, Ron Neale, Brenda Burns,
Gloria Langille, Heather Brown,
Dennis Eaton, Janey Hill

Scripture Reader: Joanne Johnson

Fellowship Team: Faith Development Team

Counting Team: Wayne and Cathy Alldred, Elaine Kell,
Barb Alldred

Audio Visual: Walt Radda

HEARING DEVICES – *Don't miss a thing* – hearing devices are available for use during the worship service. Just ask an usher.

LIFE AND WORK OF CAMBRIDGE ST. UNITED CHURCH

MONDAY, April 22

9:00-11:00 a.m. – Tai Chi – Queen St. Hall
1:00-2:30 p.m. – Alzheimer Caregiver Support Group (for registered participants only) - Parlour
6:00-7:30 p.m. – TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) – QSH
6:00-8:00 p.m. – 1st Beavers - Gym

TUESDAY, April 23

10:00-11:00 a.m. – Tuesday Morning Donut Club - Parlour
10:30-11:30 a.m. – Balance in Motion – Gym
3:30-6:30 p.m. – WR Children's Group – Queen St Hall
7:00-9:00 p.m. – Kawartha Lakes Singers – Queen St Hall

WEDNESDAY, April 24

10:30 a.m. – Labyrinth Walk – Gym
9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. – Retired Teachers Exec. Mtg. - Parlour
10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. – Outreach Lunch Program – Kitchen
3:30-6:30 p.m. – WR Children's Group – Queen St Hall
6:30-8:00 p.m. – 1st Scouts and Cubs – Gym
7:00 p.m. – Healing Pathway Session – Queen St Hall

THURSDAY, April 25

9:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m. – Alzheimer's Day Program – Parlour
10:30-11:30 a.m. – Balance in Motion – Gym
2:30 p.m. – Staff Meeting – Upper Room
1:30-3:00 p.m. – Healing Pathway Sessions – Queen St Hall
4:10-5:45 p.m. – VOV Musical Rehearsal – Sanctuary
6:30-8:00 p.m. – 6th Sparks/Embers – Queen St Hall
6:30-8:00 p.m. – 1st Guides - Gym
7:00-8:30 p.m. – Cambridge St Singers – Choir Room/Sanctuary

FRIDAY, April 26

9:00-11:00 a.m. – Tai Chi – Gym
1:00 p.m. – Set-up for High Tea – Gym/Kitchen

SATURDAY, April 27

11:30 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. – High Tea – Gym/Kitchen

SUNDAY, April 28, 2024

10:00 a.m. – Cherub Choir – Parlour
10:30 a.m. – Worship service - Kids Corner
Minute for Mission – Cookie Sunday
12:45-2:30 p.m. – VOV Rehearsal – Sanctuary
3:30 p.m. – Covenanting Service - Rev. Sharon Campbell Rayment

ANNOUNCEMENTS

UPCOMING WALTER AULD LUNCHEON - Tuesday, May 7th at 12 noon sharp. This will be the last meeting for the season with another delicious lunch, catered by Wholesome Foods Catering. We will be entertained by local **Wildlife Photographers "Dave Ellis and Astrid Schuh"**. Learn how an interest can transform into a life of passion and knowledge. Cost for a hot, four course lunch is \$20. The Annual Membership fee is only \$10. Should you not get a reminder phone call and wish to attend, or you would like to bring a guest, please call **Joan Mashinter at 705-324-1626** or the church office at 705-324-3547 (since our lunch is being invoiced for each meal, it is important to have a commitment for those wishing to attend, thank you). Please arrive by 11:50. Thank you.

LABYRINTH WALK – On Wednesday, April 24 at 10:30 a.m. in the gym, come and walk the labyrinth with Rev. Sharon and learn more about this meaningful spiritual practice. A labyrinth walk is not a maze, but rather a rare time for relaxation and reflection in a world that wants us to hurry. All are welcome.

2024 OFFERING ENVELOPES are available for pick-up in the narthex. If you would like some for 2024, please contact Pam in the office 705-324-3547 or csuc61@gmail.com.

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LIBERATING DOUBT FOR YOUTH 12-18 - Bring your spicy



questions, your appetite for pizza and meet our friendly ghost. This is a time for youth to meet Rev. Sharon and ask her any questions about God that they might have.

SUNDAY, MAY 5TH 12:30 IN THE PARLOR. Please RSVP by email no later than April 30 at: csucyouth@gmail.com

High Tea Fundraiser

Saturday, April 27, 2024

Come and enjoy savouries, scones, sweets and tea.

Choice of two seatings: 11:30 am or 1:00 pm

Tickets \$25.00 per person

For parties of 4 or more, please call the church in advance to reserve a table.

Tickets must be purchased in advance after church in the gym or from the office 705-324-3547.

VOLUNTEERS WANTED FOR THE HIGH TEA ON APRIL 27: If you are available to volunteer at the High Tea, please sign the sheet posted on the Bond Street Bulletin Board. Volunteers are wanted for the prepping of sandwiches and/or plating desserts from 9 to 11 am; working in the kitchen or serving from 11 – 2 pm and cleanup from 2 – 3:30 pm. Thank you, Fundraising Committee

ELECTRICITY GENERATED FROM OUR SOLAR PANELS		
Dec21/2023-Jan22/2024	390 kWh	\$ 307.20
Jan23-Feb21	720 kWh	\$ 572.30
Feb22-Mar21	980 kWh	\$ 781.06
Total revenue		\$1,660.56

Spring Rummage Sale -- Saturday, May 4

Sale: 8:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

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

Bring gently used clean clothing, household items and toys, etc., to the church for sorting on (NOT BEFORE) **Wed., May 1, Thur., May 2, and until 12 noon on Fri., May 3.** We need **MANY hands to help -- sign-up sheets are on the Bond St. entrance bulletin board or call the office.**

ATTENTION GARDENERS - When splitting perennials in your garden, keep in mind our Rummage Sale. **Perennials, as well as household plants**, are a popular item to sell and we welcome your donations.

CAMBRIDGE GARDENS - Our church has four box beds on the north side of our property - 2 beds are available. These are ideal for growing vegetables or flowers and are available for gardeners to show off their green thumbs. You may donate or keep the produce as you wish. If you wish to use one of the two beds still available, please give the church office a call or advise Carl Kimmett at 705-324-0479.

CHURCH NURSERY AND PRIMARY SUNDAY SCHOOL HELP

- Beginning on Sunday, April 28th, a supervised nursery will be reopening to provide care for infants and toddlers whose parents are attending church. More volunteers are needed in the nursery. A sign-up sheet is posted on the Bond St entrance bulletin board or call Mary Benson if you can volunteer 705-324-0698.
- The CE Team is seeking volunteers to teach a primary Sunday class. A sign-up sheet will be posted at the Bond St entrance bulletin board, or you can call Mary Benson 705-324-0698.

KITCHEN HELP WANTED - The Team serving refreshments after worship in April needs some extra hands. Can you join our small crew on one or more April Sundays? Please sign the “Kitchen Help” sheet by the Bond St. door or contact Jim Phelps. We offer benefits:

CAMBRIDGE CHRONICLE – Submissions to the May edition of the Cambridge Chronicle are due by **Thursday, April 25th**. Email your articles to denniseaton@xplornet.com Dennis Eaton. It would be appreciated if articles are no longer than 450 words. The Chronicles will be ready for pick-up on May 12.

SHOPPING CARD FUNDRAISING - Our Shopping Card program has cards for Tim Hortons, Esso, Canadian Tire, Burns Bulk Foods, LaMantia’s Country Market, Loblaws, Food Basics, and so many more. Cards are available to purchase in the gym after Sunday services and from the office during the week.

PRAYER SHAWL CIRCLE - We gather together on a Sunday afternoon from 1:30-3:00 pm in the Parlour. All are welcome for knitting/crocheting and fellowship. Patterns and yarn for shawls, blankets and Prayer Patches are available at the meeting or from the office. Come to our next meetings on **April 21 and June 9** to find out more or contact Pam in the office.

ALZHEIMER SOCIETY OPEN HOUSE AND SILENT AUCTION – Tuesday, April 30, 3-6pm at Cambridge St United Church. To benefit people living with Dementia in Kawartha Lakes. Coffee, tea and refreshments services. All are invited. For further information: 705-748-5131 or www.alzheimer.ca/pklnh

SUBSCRIBE TO THE eNEWS - 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.

PRAYER PATCHES are made by church volunteers in a variety of colours and styles. Their purpose is to give people something to hold on to and know they are not alone. If you, or someone you know, can benefit from a *Prayer Patch*, please feel free to select one from the basket located on the table in the Narthex.

EAST CENTRAL ONT. REGIONAL COUNCIL PRAYER CYCLE - As part the Christian Church, we are invited to pray for each other and for our mission in the world. This week we pray for the East Camden Pastoral Charge (Moscow United Church and Riverside United Church) in Yarker, Ont.

LOOKING AHEAD

April 24	Labyrinth Walk 10:30 am
April 27	High Tea - seatings at 11:30 and 1:00
April 28	Worship Service 10:30 am VOV Rehearsal 1:00-2:45 pm Covenanting Service for Rev. Sharon 3:30 pm
May 4	Spring Rummage Sale 8:00 am- 3:00 pm
May 7	Walter Auld Fellowship Luncheon 12 noon
May 12	Worship Service 10:30 am – VOV Musical during the service – Baptism Sunday
May 20	Victoria Day (office closed)