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2024

Upcoming Events

- Sept. 22. Worship Service 10:30 a.m. – Welcome Back BBQ Lunch following the service
- Sept. 29 Worship Service 10:30 a.m. – Observance of National Day for Truth and Reconciliation
- Oct. 5 Fall Rummage Sale 8:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
- Oct. 6 Worship Service 10:30 a.m. – Worldwide Communion with guest speaker Julie Derksen, Canadian Foodgrains – Outreach Team congregational lunch to follow the service
- Oct. 8 UCW Executive Meeting 1:30 p.m.
Church Council Meeting 7:00 p.m.
- Oct. 10 Men’s Coffee Group 10:00 a.m.
- Oct. 13 Worship Service 10:30 a.m. – Thanksgiving Sunday
- Oct. 14 Thanksgiving Day (office is closed)
- Oct. 15 UCW Miriam Unit Meeting 1:30 p.m.
- Oct. 18 Roast Beef Dinner 5:00-7:00 p.m.

- Oct. 20 Worship Service 10:30 a.m. – World Food Sunday – 192nd Anniversary Sunday
- Oct. 22 Walter Auld Fellowship Luncheon 12:00 noon
- Oct. 26 Phantom of the Organ 7:00 p.m.
- Oct. 27 Worship Service 10:30 a.m.
- Nov. 3 Worship Service 10:30 a.m. with pulpit guest
- Nov. 10 Worship Service 10:30 a.m. – Remembrance Sunday
- Nov. 12 UCW Executive Meeting 1:30 p.m.
Church Council Meeting 7:00 p.m.
- Nov. 14 Men’s Coffee Group 10:00 a.m.
- Nov. 16 The Joys of Christmas 10:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.
- Nov. 17 Worship Service 10:30 a.m.
- Nov. 23 Cambridge St. Café – music and trivia night 7:00 – 9:30 p.m.
- Nov. 24 Worship Service 10:30 a.m. - Minute for Mission - Cookie Sunday



Members of the Cambridge Street Singers participated in the major production of Pepper Choplin's *Our Father* at Carnegie Hall on May 28, 2024.

Photo Gallery

Cambridge Moments



Carm Hamilton and Floyd Walden were catching up at church on June 2, 2024.



Pam Putman explains the importance of separating the fine roots on herb seedlings to our keen learners. For many, this was their first experience planting a garden.



Rev. Sharon and Doug attended their daughter's wedding in August in Scotland. Shown behind Rev. Sharon is the Abbey where the wedding took place.



The wedding party is shown for Rev. Sharon and Doug's daughter's wedding in August 2024 in Scotland.

Hello my friends! As many of you know my time in Scotland was magical.

The wedding of course was the highlight, but my time on Iona staying at the Abbey was wonderful.

The Abbey enlivened our senses each time in our worship services at 9 a.m. and 9 p.m. The sound of the bell, which I was privileged to ring, awoke us from our stupor after our delicious meals, announcing it was time to gather.

The chill in the air as we entered the sanctuary made us present to the moment as we shivered slightly, yet soon felt the warmth of community.

Each time we entered the Abbey we saw something new that somehow, we had overlooked before. The architecture was amazing and the music expanded and drifted melodically surrounding and enfolding us.

I was honoured to do communion on our first Sunday. The Abbey was full and it felt as though we were in the presence of the monks who had worshipped in this Abbey, friends, and ancestors who had been a part of it for centuries.

The life in the Cloister was rich and engaging. Fifteen folks were from Holland, a few from Germany, Scotland, England, America and one other Canadian. We were all from Christian backgrounds but worshipped in different denominations. This was not a barrier as the Abbey, given to the Iona Cathedral Trust by the 8th Duke of Argyll George Campbell and his wife Elizabeth, had only one request: that worship be ecumenical. This was quite a progressive request for 1899.

Yet this is what Jesus asks of us. To be One. To Commune-as-One. To witness our similarities and our differences and learn how diverse God has created us to share unique gifts, beliefs, language and love with one another. (Read John 17:20-23)

At Cambridge Street we share this in so many ways! Inviting youth and young children to share in worship and empower and embrace programs, faith, inclusiveness and affirming for all.

Our calendar is full every day at Cambridge Street yet let us continue to pause in our busyness to give thanks to God for this wonderful church, our diverse membership and continue to develop rich loving relationships.

I look forward to seeing you in worship, wandering through the vast expanse of Cambridge Street as you go about serving others, and be sure to stop by my office - I will not run out of stories of Scotland any time soon!

I end with a saying I learned on the Isle of Skye, Slán go fóill - Bye for now and Beannacht Dé ort! God's blessing to you!



Faith, Fun, and Fellowship following the Iona Rule



*Enhancing Your
Life with the
Iona Rule*

10:00am Wednesdays Oct 9 – Nov 13
Cambridge St. United Church in the Upper Room

While on the Isle of Iona and staying at the Abbey, I experienced a number of practices that have increased my hope, quieted my mind, and awakened my soul. Join me as I share the Iona Rule - simple, life-enhancing practices that change the way you see and experience the world and those around you.

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I don't know about you, but the start of a new season often energizes me. With much of the planning finished over the summer, like listening to Christmas cantatas in July, now the real work begins. I always have high hopes of what can be, but only you, all of you make it possible. Here are of some the special events we have planned:



- Saturday, October 26, 7:00 p.m. – Phantom of the Organ
- Sunday, December 15, morning service – Christmas Cantata *Invitation to a Miracle*
- Sunday, March 30, 2:30 p.m. – Celebration Concert

The Celebration Concert will involve our choirs, bellchoirs, instrumentalists (possibly full orchestra) and guests. The plan is to have 100 musicians celebrating the 100th anniversary of the United Church of Canada and the 192nd year of Cambridge Street. It will truly be a celebration of the past, present and future. More information will become available for this event and others as we get closer to these events.

For those who wish to get involved there are opportunities for all age groups:

- Cherub Choir (SK to Grade3), please note rehearsals have been moved to Thursdays (4:00 – 4:30 p.m.) Voices of Victory
- Junior Choir (Grades 4 – 7), Thursdays from 4:20 – 5:30 p.m.
- Youth Choir (Grades 8 – 12), Thursdays from 4:30 – 5:45 p.m.
- Cambridge Street Singers, Thursdays, 7:00 – 8:45 p.m.
- Christmas Choir (guests to join our Cambridge Street Singers for the Christmas cantata), beginning Thursday, Oct 24
- Cambridge Street Bellchoir, Wednesdays from 7:00- 8:30 p.m. (new members welcome, music reading ability necessary)
- Worship Band, playing the first Sunday of every month

This is the beginning of the 24th season for me at Cambridge Street. I believe it can be the best yet. It is amazing that after 23 years, after 100 years and after 192 years, we can still think that and have so much to look forward to accomplishing. I really hope you will join us. We have much to be thankful for and celebrate.



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The Voices of Victory and Friends presented the musical *Are We There Yet? The Story of Moses and the Exodus* on May 12, 2024.

Life Passages

Pam Burt

- **Milestone Birthday Wishes to: Linda Cook** who turned 75 on September 21, **Bob Noble** who turns 90 on November 1 and **Earl Manley** who turns 95 on November 20.
- Condolences to **Tilly and Poppy Wyman** on the death of their father Mike Wyman on June 15 in Lindsay.
- Condolences to **Mary Jones** and family on the death of her brother **Bill MacAlpine** on August 18 in Lindsay.
- Condolences to **Carole and Bruce Glass** on the death of Carole's brother Don Geddes on August 23 in Kingston.

Photo Gallery

Baptisms



Alfie Jock Walters and Pixie Allera Eileen Walters, children of Peter Walters and Summer Currie, were baptized on May 12, 2024.

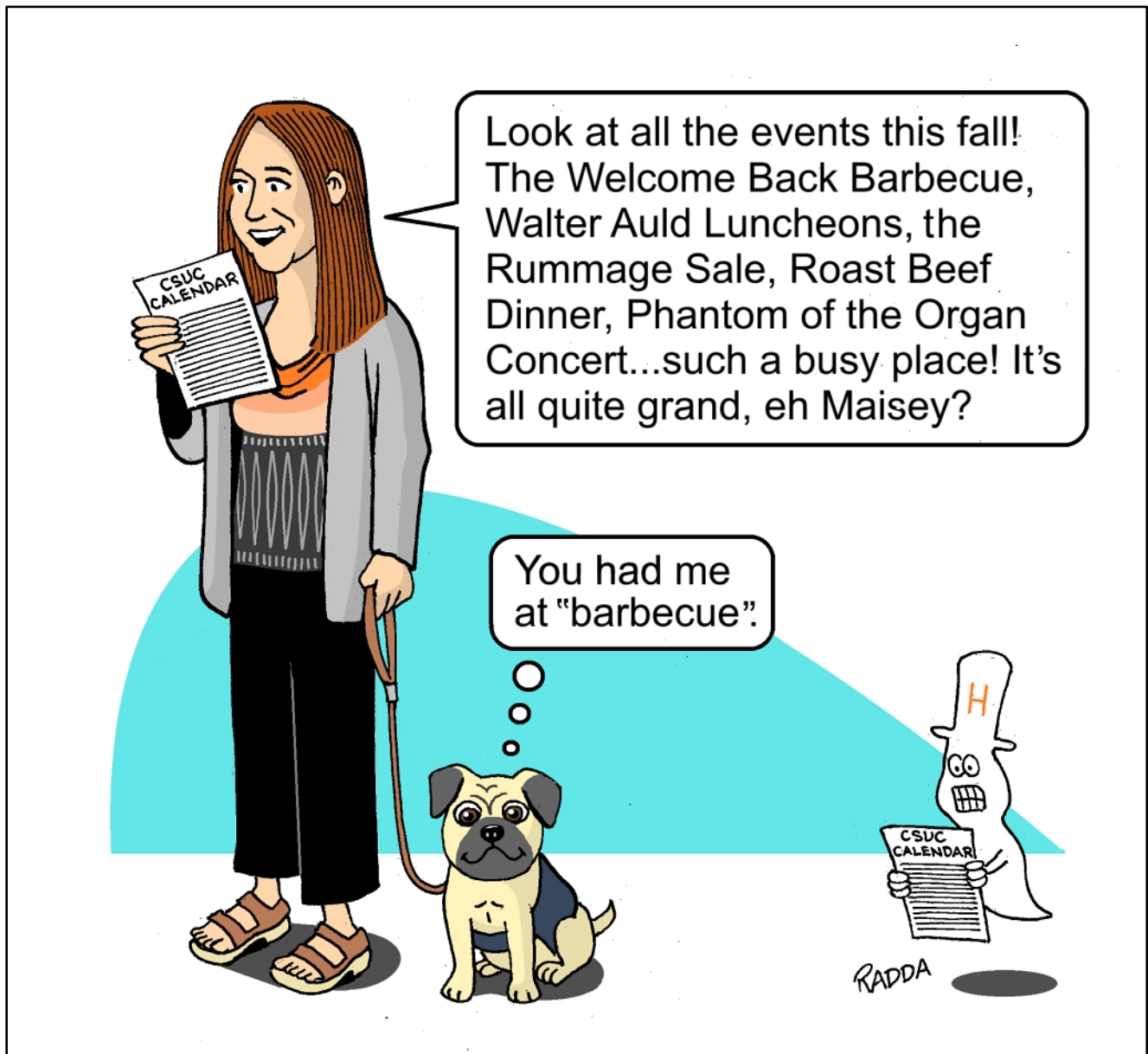


Rhayna-James Grace Cleland, child of Troy and Rebecca-Ann Cleland, was baptized on May 12, 2024.



Anna Marlene McMahon and Douglas William McMahon, children of Jacquelyn Nicholls and John McMahon, were baptized on June 16, 2024.

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Thank You

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Announcement



**FALL
RUMMAGE SALE**

Saturday, October 5, 2024
Cambridge Street United Church
61 Cambridge St. N., in Lindsay, ON

Sale: 8:00 AM to 12:30 PM
****NEW** Bring-a-Bag to Fill 1:00-3:00 PM**
(for \$2 and up depending on size of your bag)

Clothing for women, men & children
Shoes - Bedding - Books - Toys
Puzzles - Housewares
and lots more!



27th Annual
Roast Beef Dinner

Friday, October 18, 2024
continuous seating from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.
Plus an option of Take-Out

Cambridge Street United Church
61 Cambridge Street North, Lindsay, Ontario

Advanced Tickets \$30.00 adults
Tickets Purchased at the door: \$35.00 adults
\$15.00 children (5 to 12 years)

Tickets available from the Church Office 705-324-3547
Monday-Friday 8:30am-12noon & 1:00-4:30pm

Please join us for a wonderful meal!

United Church Women Report

Elaine Kell

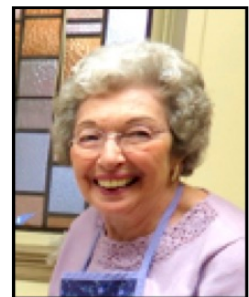
Hope everyone enjoyed some restful vacation days. Many thanks to the Worship Committee for again providing interesting speakers and enjoyable music while the staff took vacation. We were all glad to worship in air conditioned comfort.

The Miriam U.C.W. Unit welcomed fall with a potluck lunch on September 17. We encourage all Cambridge Street ladies to join our monthly unit meetings on the third Tuesday of the month at 1:30 p.m. to enjoy fellowship, programs and refreshments.

The Fall Rummage Sale is Saturday, October 5. Sign-up sheets for helping are on the Bond St. bulletin board. This is a great opportunity to clean out cupboards and recycle goods. The ECOR (Eastern Central Ontario Region) - U.C.W. is holding a Fall Workshop on October 9 at Frankford United Church to explore ways to celebrate the next 100 years of the United Church of Canada (1925- 2025).

Mark your calendars to celebrate the Joys of Christmas event on November 16 featuring the Cookie Sale, Browsers Corner and lunch in beautifully decorated surroundings.

Looking forward to greeting friends old and new this fall at Cambridge Street.



An Alphabet for our Troubled World

Carole Tully

A -with one another let us each acknowledge
B -that we should ever try our best,
C -with courage and with challenges
D -discover and depend upon all life's tests.
E -We should always make an effort
F -to be faithful to family and friends.
G -Remember to be gentle,giving-
H -To share hope and honesty without end.
I -May our deeds, those we meet, inspire,
J -And attempt to fill each heart with joy.
K -For demonstrating with care and kindness
L -That love, to everyone, we shall employ!
M-Every day, may we be motivated
N-To nurture all those in need,
O-To take every opportunity
P- And work for this world to find peace.
Q-Take precious moments of quietness
R-Being ready to to reassure and respect,
S-To smile, sympathize and wherever serve,
T-Trust and thanksgiving be our quest.
U-Attempt each other to uplift,
V-For in each of us is life's value
W-To use our worthiness and willingness as our gifts.
X- We must explore into ways unknown,
Y- Yes, no matter where we may be-
Z-Our zeal surrounds us, we're never alone!

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Artemis and Pierre Chartier share a song on love and inclusivity for the children's story on June 2, 2024.



Shaylyn and Les Agnew sang *Moulded Like a Monster* during the Affirming service on June 2, 2024.

Kids Corner Workshop - August 16, 2024

Doreen Sinclair



Nate Copeland organized the all-day workshop for the 15 youth. They had a fabulous time.

Announcement

PHANTOM OF THE ORGAN



Artwork by Sean Winter

Saturday, October 26th at 7:00 pm
 Cambridge St. United Church
 61 Cambridge St. N., Lindsay, ON

enjoy spooky music & spine-tingling stories!
 Fun for the whole family featuring organ, percussion, vocal & handbell music.
 Feel free to dress up!

Freewill offering




JOIN US FOR

THE JOYS OF CHRISTMAS

Saturday, Nov. 16, 2024
 10:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.
 Lunch for \$10 served from
 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

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Cookie Sale
Browser's Corner
5" Frozen Meat Pies

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King Albert Lunch Crews, September 2024



Team Nachos



Team Wrappers (Missing Doreen Sinclair)

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In September 2024, Nell Holtom celebrated 82 years as a member of Cambridge Street United Church.



In May 2024, Brenda DeKoker received a lifetime membership for her outstanding service to the U.C.W.

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