

FLOCK TALK

Asbury and West United Church

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"The Friendly Church"

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God our Father

I come to say, **thank
you**

for your Love today.

**Thank
you** *for my family*

and all the friends

you **give** to me. **Guard
me**

in the dark of night,

and in the morning
send your light.



THE PASTOR'S PEN

"Amazing"

It's been a privilege and honour to serve with you and among you as your Part Time Supply Minister. I will always cherish this time with you and will hold a place in my heart for you. Here is an excerpt from the sermon shared on Sunday, May 29, 2016.

"The word "amazing" appears several times in the gospel of Luke. In Luke 7:9, Jesus was "amazed" by the faith of the centurion, who trusted in Jesus' power to heal his servant. Synonyms for "amazing" include incredible, unbelievable, shocking, surprising.

When and how have you been amazed by someone's faith? I have been amazed during my time here at Asbury and West. In the six months that I've been here:

- † I have been amazed at the resilience of this congregation. You have come through a long period of the redevelopment of your building and property. You have been away from your building for three long years. You have weathered many storms and setbacks. You remain faithful to your call to be a vibrant church here at Bathurst and Lawrence.
- † I am amazed with the potential of this beautiful facility to host concerts, community gatherings, and other worshipping groups. Using the facilities for outreach is important to you.
- † I am amazed at your church leaders who are so committed to the tasks they voluntarily undertake and to mentor others to assume responsibilities.
- † I've been amazed at the beautiful and powerful music of the choir.
- † I was amazed at the number of youth who showed up to youth group, at their enthusiasm and energy to

participate. I am amazed by the three young adults who have stepped up to take leadership.

- † I am amazed at the strong Sunday school program and dedicated leaders, resulting in a flourishing Sunday school.
- † I was amazed at the number of newcomers (18!) who expressed a need for this church community in their lives and, at the same time, have gifts and talents to offer.
- † I am amazed at the consistent and caring pastoral care you provide to members and adherents, and in particular, to home members.
- † I am amazed at the energy and excitement that is present at each of the worship services, especially during cultural celebrations such as the Black History and Asian Heritage!
- † I am amazed by the diversity and multicultural reality that is present in this congregation, something not always found in other United Church congregations. Becoming an intercultural church is what is encouraged by United Church of Canada!
- † Most of all, I am amazed at the faith of the congregants. Your deep faith, your faith in a God, who is our rock and our refuge, who does not abandon us and who comes to us in our times of need. I am enriched by your strong and lively faith.

Asbury and West, you are a vehicle through which God is working. God is continuing to do amazing things through each one of you and through this community.

May the Holy Spirit continue to guide and strengthen you, and give you wisdom and partners to do the ministry to which you are called."

Until we meet again. In faith,

Rev. Irene Ty



Presenting Rev. Irene with gifts from Asbury and West, and the Praise Choir.



The Praise Choir joined the Choir for the final hymn.



SENIOR CHOIR

We've had a busy year with the Music Program at Asbury and West. Last summer and fall we did our musical best to fill the gap while we hunted for a new Minister, planning several music services over the year. While Rev. Irene was here as our Part Time Supply Minister from December till end of May, we were diverted from our traditional music choices and styles and sang a variety of new pieces sung in new ways. We invited others to join us in our music while sharing and appreciating others.

Over the summer we will have some themed Sunday services and so if you have special requests, now is the time to send

them to me via email (or leave a note in the mail slot by the office door) and I will add them to the list of pieces we'll sing.

Most importantly, the choir wants and needs **MORE VOICES** - not the hymn book - actual voices. We've heard you singing in your seat and so we have a seat in the choir loft with your name on it. Over the summer, please come early on Sunday mornings and join us or if you are taking the summer off - new members are welcome to join the choir in the Fall - our first rehearsal is the second Thursday in September when we will prepare, musically, to welcome our new Minister.

Have a warm, safe, and musical summer.



Paolo Busato, Choir Director

Happy
Father's
Day

The greatest gift
I ever had
came from God
I call him **Dad**

MEDEBA YOUTH RETREAT

The Medeba Youth Retreat has left a memorable experience for me. With the inspirational sessions by Mike Gordon, incredible food, beautiful songs performed by the band and the amazing outdoor activities, the whole two hours trip to get there and back was worth it. Every morning and evening, we would have worship with everyone gathering in one huge tent. In the tent, we would sing songs with the band and then afterwards listen to Mike Gordon's hilarious stories with some uplifting meanings behind them. My favourite songs were "Good Good Father" and "Great are you Lord". Then after Mike Gordon's stories, we were put into small groups to reflect on what he said and how it relates to ourselves, to other people and to God. We also a day full of activities that we individually got to choose what three things we wanted to do. From the many different options to choose from, I chose to do Archery, Zip lining and Geo caching. This enabled me to gain experience in each and every activity I chose while getting to know more people at the camp, whether they were one of the leaders or other youth members. The experience at the camp was amazing and I hope in the future that more members of our Youth Group get to be involved in the next upcoming Youth Retreat.

Shermane Fabian
Youth Group Member



Editor's Note: The retreat, for youth grades 7-13, was held April 29-May 1 at the Medeba Adventure Learning Centre near Minden, ON.



The Young at Heart seniors met on April 14th for lunch and bingo. Our next meeting was Friday the 13th of May at Roy Thomson Hall for a presentation of gospel music by the Toronto Mass Choir, led by Karen Burke, accompanied by Christopher Dawes on the Organ with Corey Butler and Joy Brown on piano.

Our May 26th meeting was a pot luck lunch at which we said goodbye to the Reverend Irene Ty and her husband Lee Holland. We wrapped up this session on June 8th with a coach tour to the Big Creek Boat Farm in Caledonia, culminating in a lunch aboard the Grand Princess cruising the Grand River.

We would like to remind the members of the congregation they are welcome to join us at seniors on the second and forth Thursday of each month.

Melvyn and Shirley Beckles,
Group Contacts



FINANCE MINISTRY

I want to thank all of you who have contributed toward our various fund raising initiatives during the first half of the year. Your dedication and generosity help a lot.

You will recall that at the Annual General Meeting Finance Ministry asked the Congregation to approve \$33,400.00 deficit budget. Asbury and West expect to spend \$33,400.00 more than we expect to receive in revenue. This is an extremely bad situation. I wish that I could report better news but our Congregation is still experiencing financial challenges. During the first four months of the year, our church family spent \$10,041.26 more than we received from all sources.

Please give prayerful thought to supporting your church family by donating regularly through the Pre Authorized Remittance "PAR" program. We need to develop new programs that will attract new people to our church home.

Alan McKenzie
Chair of Finance

Financial Report (to April 30th, 2016)

Operating Account	to Date	%
REVENUE		
Offerings	\$ 21,272.52	30%
Rentals	\$ 41,097.28	59%
Fundraisers	\$ 3,083.45	4%
Investment interest	\$ 4,381.94	6%
TOTAL REVENUE	\$ 69,835.19	100%
EXPENSES		
Program	\$ 18,910.33	24%
Fundraising Exp	\$ -	0%
Payroll	\$ 20,721.55	26%
General & Admin.	\$ 40,244.57	50%
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$ 79,876.45	100%
Net Gain (Loss) Operating	<u>-\$ 10,041.26</u>	



ARE YOU ON P.A.R.?

Have you thought about making your church donation by P.A.R. (Pre-Authorized Remittance)? Through PAR, automatic monthly withdrawals are made from your bank account. PAR is easy to set up and can be adjusted at any time should your circumstances change, simply speak to Cheryl Holliday, in confidence, about the process. If you are already on PAR, don't forget that you can increase your donation at anytime.

Thank you for your support!

We are also collecting Canadian Tire money to assist with future purchases. Please consider this form of donation to your church.



LOONIE BIN = COPPER KETTLE

Every Sunday the Copper Kettle is available at the back of the church to receive your loose change. Be sure to lighten your load each week by contributing to the finances of your church. Folding money is also accepted.



Thank you for your support!

YOUTH & YOUNG ADULTS CONFERENCE

(TORONTO CONFERENCE 92nd ANNUAL MEETING)



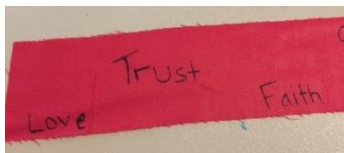
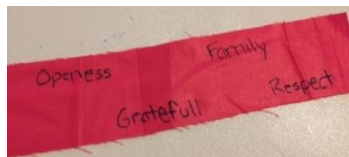
In early February I was approached to see if I would like to represent Asbury and West at a Youth and Young Adults Conference for Toronto Conference on May 26th in Midland. This was the first time that the Youth was included in this type of meeting. I was happy to say yes and Council approved for me to attend.

The theme of this year's conference was "Weaving Our Stories Into God's Love". Everyone at conference participated in telling stories to each other. We were given pieces of fabric and were told to write seven words that describe our story. These pieces of fabric were all tied together and weaved into a heart.

The youth played games to help us get to know each other better. We participated in a "mock debate"; this was to prepare us better for the real debate the following day. One of the real debates was about a minister who was questioning her beliefs and atheism. I attended a video workshop over the two days. Our group created a PSA (Public Service Announcement) to show women and men that we really are beautiful the way we are, despite how we see ourselves. We acknowledged the land that the Aboriginals were forced to give up by participating in an activity called the "Blanket Exercise". I learned from the experience how the Aboriginals were mistreated and how cruel we were to them. On the evening of the final day we attended a church service. This service honored the ministers who were retiring and celebrated the newly ordained ones. The service was beautiful and they played a lot of my favourite hymns, so I felt like I was at my own church.

I felt very privileged to attend this event and I thank those individuals who nominated me. Not only did it allow me to meet people from other places and hear about their experiences, it gave me a better understanding of the processes and ceremonies within the United Church. It was a wonderful experience where I was given the chance to meet people that I would have never crossed paths with before. I hope that I can be considered to attend next year.

Melissa Nielsen



"Weaving Our Stories Into God's Love".



The "Blanket Exercise"



Honoring the retiring ministers and celebrating the newly ordained.



The Young Adults

GUESS WHO TURNED 100 YEARS YOUNG?

What a celebration it was! On Mother's Day May 8, Mildred Franklin celebrated her 100th Birthday. The church was filled with family and a multitude of friends celebrating Mildred's extraordinary milestone. There were speeches given, flowers and certificates presented, a beautiful solo, and even greetings from Barbados and The Queen. The Rev. Gordon Ross spoke and a lovely lunch was served in her honour after the service.

Congratulations Mildred! We hope your celebration was a joyful reminder of a century of living life in God's light and a happy addition to fond memories.



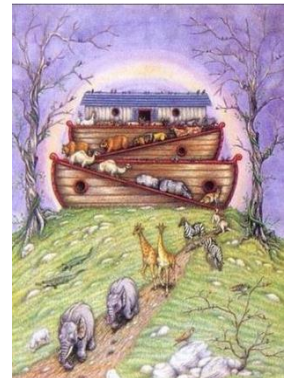
From The Editors' Desk



NOAH'S ARK

Everything we need to know, we can learned from Noah's Ark.

1. Don't miss the boat.
2. Remember that we are all in the same boat!
3. Plan ahead. It wasn't raining when Noah built the Ark.
4. Stay fit. When you're 60 years old, someone may ask you to do something really big.
5. Don't listen to critics; just get on with the job that needs to be done.
6. Build your future on high ground.
7. For safety's sake, travel in pairs.
8. Speed isn't always an advantage. The snails were on board with the cheetahs.
9. When you're stressed, float awhile.
10. Remember, the Ark was built by amateurs; the Titanic by professionals.
11. No matter the storm, when you are with God, there's always a rainbow waiting.



TWELVE AWESOME BENEFITS OF SERVING OTHERS

1. Serving others gives you purpose.
2. Serving others gives you more joy.
3. Serving others reduces stress.
4. Serving others leads to a longer life.
(*see next column)
5. Serving others connects you to others.
6. Serving others shows you what following Jesus is about.
7. Serving others allows you to join in what God is doing.
8. Serving others gives you an avenue to use your gifts.
9. Serving gets your focus off yourself.
10. Serving others teaches you humility.
11. Serving others allows you to make a true difference in another person's life.
12. Serving others advances the Kingdom of God.



*A new review of the health effects of volunteering found that helping others on a regular basis can reduce early mortality rates by 22%, compared to those in people who don't participate in such activities. The review, which included 40 studies and was published in BMC Public Health, also revealed that volunteers benefit from reduced rates of depression and an increased sense of life satisfaction and well being — doing good, it seems, made them feel good. "Our systematic review shows that volunteering is associated with improvements in health," lead author Dr. Suzanne Richards of the University of Exeter Medical School in England said in a statement.

WHAT MAKES A DAD

God took the strength of a mountain, the majesty of a tree,
 the warmth of a summer sun, the calm of a quiet sea,
 the generous soul of nature, the comforting arm of night,
 the wisdom of the ages, the power of the eagle's flight,
 the joy of a morning in spring, the faith of a mustard seed,
 the patience of eternity, the depth of a family need,
 then god combined these qualities, when there was nothing more
 to add, he knew his masterpiece was complete,
 and so he called it ... Dad

~AUTHOR UNKNOWN~



CHURCH COUNCIL



Sunday June 12 was Thank You Sunday at which time every single person in attendance was thanked for their contribution to our church and everyone received a gift at the end of the service. It is quite remarkable to hear all that is done for our congregation and community. We are truly blessed from the results of such dedication and I hope this provides inspiration for your ongoing participation.

I would also hope that we don't wait till next year to say thank you again. It is important to show gratitude and let people know that their efforts are noticed and appreciated. I challenge you to say 'Thank You' as soon as possible each and every time that you are thankful for what is done for you and for our church.

The summer always seems to fly by and the fall will be here before we know it. The fall will bring an exciting new beginning for Asbury and West as we welcome our new minister Rev. Carol McKinley. What questions would you like to ask her? What suggestions for our church do you have for her? Simply fill out the double-sided sheet included with this issue of Flock Talk and return it by Sunday August 28. I have every confidence that Rev. Carol's answers will bring inspiration, motivation, faith and renewed strength to us all.



Blessings,
Jocelyn Shewalter-Patterson
Council Chair

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WOMEN'S MINISTRY



On May 17, we were invited to join Lansing, Forest Grove and Willowdale United Churches at the Cummer Ave UC building for a special gathering of

UCW groups. After a delicious lunch, prepared by the Cummer Avenue ladies, we assembled in the sanctuary for a short devotion and to hear the guest speaker, Angela Schwartz, President of the Toronto Conference UCW. She gave a brief outline of UCW happenings and gave an informative presentation on "Bread Not Stones". This project is supported by the United Church M&S and gaining awareness among UCW's across Canada. By sending messages to the Canadian government at every level it is hoped that soon child poverty will end in Canada. Many politicians including Justin Trudeau, Kathleen Wynne and John Tory have received a letter and a ragdoll with this Scripture and note attached - *"Who, if your child asks for bread, will give a stone?" (Matthew 7:9). Thousands of (Canadian/Ontario/Toronto) children are hungry for bread and a secure home. We want to know that:*

- every child has access to nutritious food every day (for example, through school breakfast and lunch programs)
- every parent has access to affordable child care
- families can find affordable housing
- the minimum wage is raised to a living wage.

We had a very lovely afternoon reconnecting with old friends and learning about what national and local UCWs are doing.



Gathering for lunch

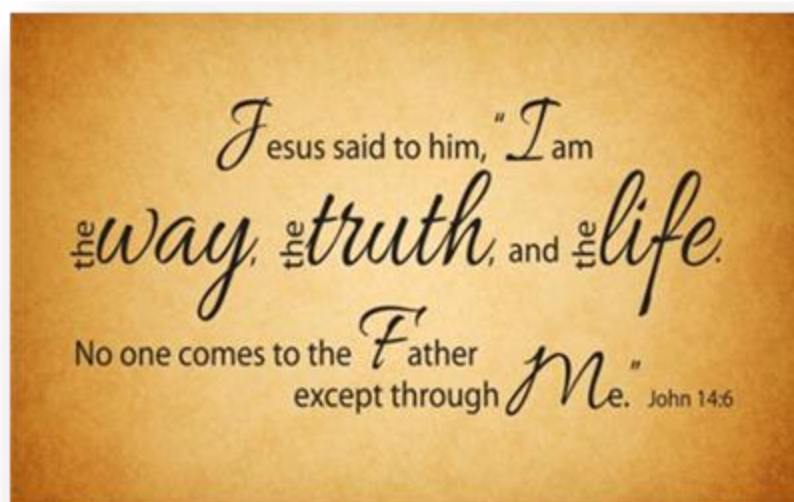


Angela Schwartz,
President of Toronto
Conference UCW



Samples of ragdolls

Cheryl Holliday
Chair, Women's Ministries





CHRISTIAN EDUCATION MINISTRY

Sunday School

We all enjoyed our Celebration Sunday activities last week. Thanks to everyone who contributed to the good time.

KidsForChrist:Summer Edition for children ages 4-12 will continue throughout the summer. Volunteers are needed to lead a class. There is a volunteer sign-up list on the bulletin board in the back hallway. Lessons, supplies and instructions are provided.

Sunday School will resume regular classes on September 11.

The **Youth Group** is continues to meet once a month under the leadership of Jonathan Francis, Rhea Gamano and Vivian Fabian. We are hoping to see this group grow and flourish as time goes on.



First Youth Group meeting



"Roasting" marshmallows
on Camping Sunday



Cheese and crackers for
Pentecost Sunday

*Cheryl Holliday
Chair*



RESULTS

WOW! Saturday June 4 was such a beautiful day but unfortunately, a disappointing crowd. The Yard Sale is over but we appreciate those who came whether to shop, browse or just for conversation. When we think of all those donated items what would have gone to land fill but somehow made it to our church for recycling – what a blessing.

We were able to raise \$1,400 and all of the proceeds go to support programs and projects of the church. All this was achieved by the hard work of an amazing team for their superb job in manning the tables, as well as those who helped in sorting, pricing and setting up. My thanks to all involved, especially to those who stayed behind in helping with the 'cleaning up'. The yard sale was a good fund raising initiative for the church, and, the remainder of the unsold items were donated to the Diabetic Association. Again, THANK YOU ALL.

Yvonne Wright, Coordinator



GAMES PLUS MORE



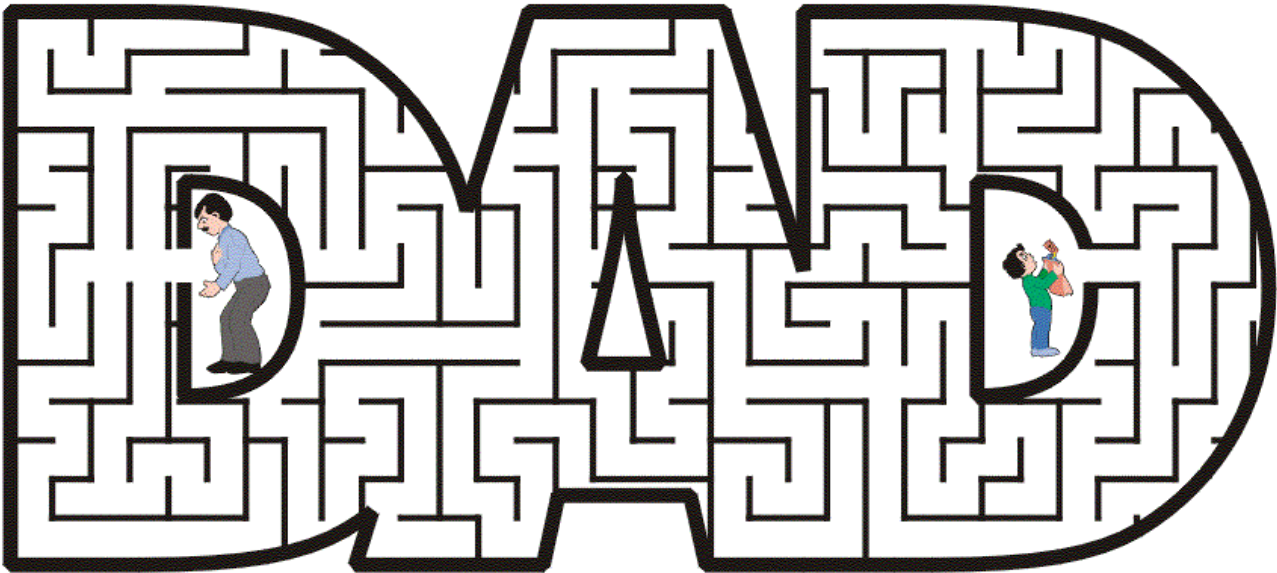
Father's Day Word Search

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| Athletic | Funny |
| Brave | Golf |
| Dad | kind |
| Daddy | Sports |
| Father | Tennis |
| Fishing | Tie |
| Football | Tools |

Some
SUPER
Heroes
don't have
capas...
they are
called **DAD.**

Help the Dad get to his child



WOMEN'S MINISTRY



At our April 27 meeting, we formally thanked Irene Fair for her 30 years of service in Joybreak, and sadly said goodbye. You may recall that she was

unable to attend our 30th Anniversary last October as her mother suddenly passed away two days before.

Here is the speech that we read that evening and was to be read last October.

Although this is a happy day – celebrating our 30th Anniversary - it is also a sad one. For today we say goodbye to Irene Fair who is leaving Joybreak.

Irene is one of Joybreak's founding members and a life member. From the beginning to today, she has not only been our Treasurer but a very active participant in the group. If you look through our minutes you will see her name hundreds of times. She was our Christmas Dinner organizer. She bought all the turkeys and arranged for their delivery. She took command of the kitchen and got us all in working order – even posting duty charts on the wall. After she and Lynn retired and took to vacationing in Florida for the winter, we had to figure out how to do the dinner on our own. But we had a great teacher and lots of notes and instructions to rely on. On top of that, she was also our International Pot Luck dinner and Annual Meeting lunch organizer. And who can forget her cookies, which by the way she has made for us today, and chili, macaroni and cheese, and salads. And remember those gingerbread houses we made as door prizes for the Christmas Dinner? Yep – that was Irene's doing too.

One of Irene's biggest contributions to our program leadership was that she opened her home for the June BBQs and our Christmas parties, both of which were greatly enjoyable, thanks to her expertise in hosting, and Lynn's BBQing.

But beyond dinners and lunches, turkeys and cookies, Irene has made contributions to both Joybreak and the church in other ways. She has created countless flyers, invitations, certificates and posters for many church events. She designed the bulletin boards you see in our back hallway. She was the church's flower convenor for several years and took it upon herself many times to clean and tidy the flower room, as well as purchase flowers and arrangements. She became interested in the

Linus Project through the Craft Group and crocheted numerous blankets for children at Sick Children's Hospital. She taught Sunday School. Part of her Sunday School contribution was that she designed and coordinated the making of the Peace Banner now hanging on the Upper Room wall. She was instrumental in designing our Joybreak logo and flyer. She always encouraged our fundraising and was continually looking for ways to reduce costs.

Looking through the minutes to prepare for this program I found many papers outlining Joybreak responsibilities, rosters, and policies– all prepared and typed by Irene. As one of her last contributions – Irene helped to prepare this 30th Anniversary Service and Luncheon.

It is hard to think of the group without you, Irene, and we don't want to say goodbye. You have been an inspiration to us all. But Irene has told me that even though she is leaving, she will continue to create certificates and sale flyers when we need them.

Irene, we are sad to see you go. But we wanted to take this opportunity to thank you for all your dedication, participation and friendship. And we want to honour you and this day in a special way, so we would like to present you with this gift as a token of our appreciation and love. We will miss you. Very much.

Our gift to Irene was a musical water globe (Ode to Joy) that encases the words Faith, Hope, Love and engraved with "*Side by side or miles apart friends are forever close to your heart.*"
JOYBREAK 10.18.15"

Cheryl Holliday
Chair, Women's Ministry



Calendar of Events



June

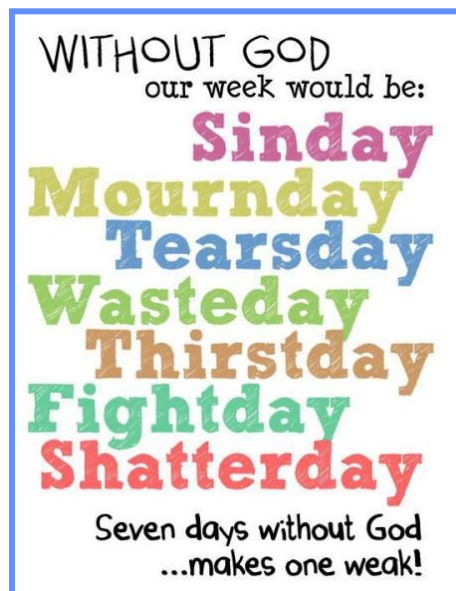
June 26 - Rev. Linda Levin is our guest minister

July

July 1 - Canada Day
 July 3 - Music Sunday
 July 10 - Jonathan Francis is our guest speaker
 July 17 - Ekua Asabea Blair, CEO of the Massey Centre
 July 31 - Catherine Smith and Henry MacLeod are our guests from Presbytery
 July 31 - Council Meeting, 12noon

August

August 1 - Civic Holiday
 August 7 - Music Sunday
 August 14 - Cleansing Sunday
 August 21 - Karen Seunarine from the United Church Stewardship
 August 28 - Council Meeting, 12noon



September

September 4 - Rev. Kerri Hagerman is our guest minister
 September 11 - Please welcome Rev. Carol McKinley on her first Sunday at Asbury and West

PASTORAL EMERGENCY COVERAGE

Date	Minister Contact	Contact Number
June 1 - June 26	Rev. Bryan Ransom	905-922-8394
June 27 - July 2	Rev. Stephen Fetter	416-737-8258
July 3 - 9	Rev. Sarah Chapman	416-225-2309
July 10 - 17	Rev. Stephen Fetter	416-737-8258
July 18 - 23	Rev. Stephen Fetter	416-737-8258
July 24 - Aug 1	Rev. Sue Howard	Contact Asbury and West office 416-783-6503
Aug 2 - Sept 4	Rev. Cheryl MacPherson	416-222-5417 / cell 416-902-9119

SIX STORIES

{1}

Once all villagers decided to pray for rain. On the day of prayer all the people gathered, but only one boy came with an umbrella.

That's **FAITH**.

{2}

When you throw babies in the air, they laugh because they know you will catch them.

That's **TRUST**.

{3}

Every night we go to bed without any assurance of being alive the next morning, but still we set the alarms to wake up.

That's **HOPE**.

{4}

We plan big things for tomorrow in spite of zero knowledge of the future.

That's **CONFIDENCE**.

{5}

We see the world suffering, but still we get married and have children.

That's **LOVE**.

{6}

Written on an old person's shirt ... 'I am not 80 years old, I am

19 with over 60 years of experience.'

Now that's **ATTITUDE**.

" Have a happy day and live your life like all six stories!"



PAULINE MCKENZIE TALKS TRASH

"Miracle Paper"

A miracle for cooks is a product called "Parchment Paper". Professionals have used it for years to line baking pans of all kinds: cake pans, cookie sheets, bread pans, even casseroles! This miracle paper can be used in ovens up to 425 degrees Fahrenheit. It replaces waxed paper and aluminum foil, and it is non-stick!

There is also an environmental advantage to parchment that sets it apart from waxed paper and foil – it is completely recyclable. If the paper has bits of food on it, it can be put in the compost. If it is clean, it can go in the recycling. (Science fact: parchment paper is made from eucalyptus wood.)

Latest at the church

One of our biggest waste items is paper towels from the washrooms. These are now compostable! The City has delivered a new large green bin for that purpose. Our last garbage bill was \$0. Let's keep working to keep it at zero! There is a double blessing when we work to protect God's world and also get rewarded for our efforts.

*Pauline McKenzie
Chair, Property*



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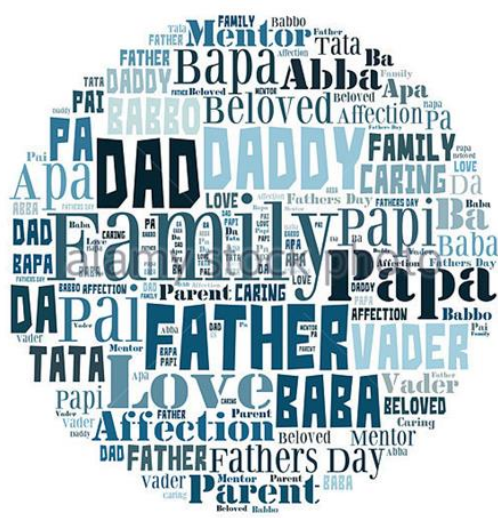
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Have you taken a few minutes in the past week to pray for members of our congregation who are in poor health, or who are unable to get out? Take a minute to phone one or two, or call to make some personal visits, or send out a couple of cards just to let them know we care about them. Please let the church office know if we have forgotten any one.

HOME MEMBERS

Cecil Anderson

Myra Badley

Joyce Bullock

Fredrica Cameron

Bea Cares

Betty Enta

Mildred Franklin

Evelyn Lyon

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