

Up Coming Events in Huron Perth Presbytery October 22/17

Christian Resource Centre: Store hours, including summer hours, are Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday 10 am – 4 pm ...Wednesdays 9 am – 5 pm.

Faith Seekers: Confirmation Program

A program for youth to explore their personal faith & membership in the United Church of Canada. This is offered Presbytery wide and open to any clergy and youth to attend. No one need feel obligated to come to all...see this as a menu of possibility to add to your Confirmation program.

Please consider this program if your congregation has youth ready and interested in Confirmation. Contact **Kathy Douglas** Huron-Perth Youth Minister, kathymdouglas@hotmail.com for more details and to register for the program. Programs first event is Nov 4, so contact Kathy as soon as possible.

October 23 –

FAMILIES IN TRANSITION WORKSHOP

Monday October 23 @7-8:30 at St Paul's United, Milverton. A facilitated circle gathering led by Kathy Douglas, United Church Youth Minister for families with kids who are moving away from home and/or have adult kids living at home. Contact: kathymdouglas@hotmail.com 519-441-0656

October 24 –

- Presbytery Meeting at Avondale United, Stratford
- 3:30-5:30 Set up at church **Bob Kellington will be happy to meet you and arrange set up at Avondale United.**
- 4:00 pm Divisions and Committees meet
- 5:30 pm Supper **Where viewing of displays happen**
- 6:30 pm Constitution of the Court
- Welcome by Avondale United
- 6:35pm Worship and Presentation by Missionfest Group
- **Focus on Welcoming the Refugee.**
- 7:15pm *Presentation on Boundaries for new Regions by Kenji Marui*
- 7:45-9 pm Regular business of Presbytery. **All are welcome to stay or leave to take down Missionfest displays.**

October 25 –

Egmondville United Church Annual Turkey Supper on Wed., October 25, 2017 at the Seaforth & District Community Centre from 5 - 7 p.m. Take Outs Available 4:30 - 6:30 p.m.
Adults \$16.00; Children (12 & under) \$6.00; 5 and under free

October 27 –

A 2003 film starring Joseph Fiennes as the renowned Church reformer, Martin Luther, the one-time Augustinian monk, after whom the branch of Protestantism known as the Lutheran Church was named. October 31 marks the 500th anniversary of the watershed moment when he nailed the 95 theses to the door of the Wittenburg Chapel. At once an entertaining and educational film. Friday, October 27, 2017, 6:30 p.m. Brucefield Community United Church. Bring your own theatre snacks.

October 26 –

October 26 – Smoked Pork Chop and Apple Pie Supper

Please mark your calendar for the Londesborough United Church *Smoked* Pork Chop and Apple Pie Supper to be held on Thursday, October 26 5pm-7pm. Tickets: adults \$17.00, youth (6-12yrs old) \$6:00; children (5yrs and under) free. Family Rate: \$40.00. Take out available. For tickets please call Lynda Horbanuik 519-482-7585, Bev Riley 519-606-4473, Ken Hunking 519-523-4228, nature's nest or Radford's Farm Equipment in Londesborough

October 27 –

ELVIS IS ALIVE & WELL, AND COMING TO FULLARTON!

On Friday, October 27th, Elvis (Rev. Matt Martin) will be at Thamesview United Church, Fullarton,

and you won't want to miss him!

Concert time is 7:30pm.

Matt is very talented and funny, and a great entertainer.

This event will be by donation, and everyone is welcome, so please bring all your friends!

Who knows? *Elvis may not pass this way again!*

October 28 –

Canadian Foodgrains Bank Benefit Concert for Fields of Faith Growing Project

Featuring the Celtic Band *The Flailing Shilaleighs*

Saturday, October 28, 7 P.M.

Brucefield Community United Church, 12 London Road Brucefield

Tickets \$20 available by calling 519-233-5755, 519-522-0366 or 519-482-9265

October 30 –

Death Cafe Events

What is Death Cafe?

Death Cafes are part of a global movement, "To increase awareness of death and a view to helping us make the most of our (finite) lives." We gather in a safe, relaxed setting to discuss death, celebrate life, drink tea and eat cake.

When: Monday, October 30 @ 7-8:30pm

Where: St. John's By The Lake Anglican Church, 58 Ontario St, Grand Bend

Presented by:Huron ShoresUnited Church

November 1 –

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When: Wednesday, Nov 1 @ 7-8:30pm

Where: St Marys United Church

November 4 –

Bazaar and Vendor Sale

Sat. November 4th,

9- 4:00

Blyth United church

Free Admission, Lunch available, craft table for kids

November 5 & 8

Need advice on your Church Website? Plans to build a new site or maintain an older one? We may have the answer!

Huron Perth Presbytery is hosting workshops by web developer Kayleigh Kowatsch. These are in two separate sessions – one for high maintenance sites and one for low maintenance sites. The workshops will be held in October at Parkview United in Stratford then repeated at Lakeshore United in Goderich in November.

The workshops are free but we would appreciate knowing in advance if you are planning to attend so that we can prepare the rooms and information.

Hours:

Lakeshore United, Goderich, Nov 5, 2-4pm (high maintenance), Nov 8th 7-8:30pm (low maintenance).

Contact Terry Fletcher, Chair of Communications, at terryfletcher@gmail.com

November 7 –

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When: Tuesday, November 7 @ 7-8:30pm

Where: Clinton United Church, Clinton

November 10 –

Fun Night **Friday, November 10**

6-8:30 Pizza Making & BIG Games for Grades 5+

Followed by Overnight Hang Out for High School Youth (finish at 10:30am Saturday, November 11) **At Clinton United Church**

Contact: Kathy Douglas (Huron Perth Youth Minister)

519 441 0656 kathymdouglas@hotmail.com

November 12 –

TURKEY AND HAM SUPPER

Brucefield Community United Church Turkey and Ham Supper, Sunday, November 12th 4:30-6:30 pm. Advance tickets only, Adults \$17, Children 5-12 \$6, under 5 Free. Take out available. Call 519-263-2683 or 519-263-2823 for tickets.

November 18 –

Centralia's Annual Turkey Supper at Centralia United Church on Saturday, November 18th from 4:45 pm to 6:30 pm. Limited Number of tickets being sold, so tickets in advance please.

Adults \$18:00, children between ages 6 and 12 - \$7:00 and children under the age of 6, no charge. For Tickets, please contact Brent Caslick at bcaslick@cabletv.on.ca or call 519-262-3511 ext 232. All are welcome."

November 18 –

Global Giving Mall: Sunday, November 18, 2017 from 10 am to 2 pm at Lakeshore United Church, Goderich Ontario. An array of non-profit organizations offering unique and meaningful gifts for your loved ones, office mates and others. Proceeds go to worthy humanitarian projects at home and around the world. Also, take in the **UCW Luncheon/Bake and Book Sale** at the same time and location. See you there!

November 23 –

Thursday, November 23 Trinity United Church, Listowel Pork Dinner, 4:30 - 7:00 pm.

November 25 –

NORTHSIDE UNITED CHURCH Presents RANT MAGGIE RANT's

9th Annual FROST & FIRE A Celtic Christmas Celebration

Saturday Nov. 25th, 2017 Doors: 7:00 pm - Show: 7:30 pm

54 Goderich St W Seaforth

Tickets: \$20 advanced, \$25 door

Tickets available by email: connietrotter41@gmail.com

Also Napa UAP, and Rooms N Bloom in Seaforth Call: 519-955-6263

Or purchase online at: WWW.RANTMAGGIERANT.COM

November 28 –

- Presbytery Meeting at Thamesview United, Fullerton
- - the meeting begins at 4:00 with - Divisions and Committees meeting
- - workshop will give information on Remit #6 "One Order of Ministry" that is due February 28, 2018

DECEMBER 1, 2, & 3 -

101+ NATIVITIES DISPLAY - Parkview United Church, 470 Ontario Street, Stratford

Should this event be renamed "501+ Nativities" this year?

Everyone is invited to join us as we celebrate the beginning of Advent! Our congregation and friends displayed over 480 unique Nativity scenes from all over the world last year. Bring your family and friends and enjoy feeling the Spirit of the Season as you reflect on the Nativity story displayed in so many creative ways. Refreshments available afterward.

Friday, December 1st - 3 pm to 8 pm

Saturday, December 2nd - 10 am to 3 pm

Sunday, December 3rd - 11 am to 3 pm

Admission: FREE

For more information, phone Teresa 519-272-1816 or email tmcoulthard@gmail.com or check our website at parkviewunitedstratford.ca

DECEMBER 2 -

Brucefield Community United Church Yuletide Bazaar, Saturday December 2nd 12:30-3:30 pm. Bake table, Tea room, Local Artisan Market and much more.

DECEMBER 3 -

Huron Shores United Church presents *London Pro Musica Choir* Conducted By: Dr. Charlene Pauls Performing: **Handel's 'Messiah' in The Country**, Sunday, December 03, 2017 at 3:00 pm (Snow Date: Sunday December 10, 3:00 pm) Huron Country Playhouse Main Theatre 70689 B Line, Grand Bend, ON \$40.00/person (General Seating) For Tickets, Please Call: Deb/Doug Procter, (519-238-2973) Carey Eddy, (519-238-8566) Paul Seagrave, (519-238-8811) akSence, (226-377-1851) Janice Sinker, (519-238-5436) Bring along a Messiah score if you have one. There will be an opportunity to sing-a-long with some choruses.

Fundraiser for the HSUC Building Project