

HASTINGS-ROSENEATH PASTORAL CHARGE

"LIFE AND WORK OF THE CHURCHES"

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TRINITY UNITED CHURCH

Hastings, Ontario

Worship: 9:15a.m.-10:15a.m.

Organist & Choir Director: Marcus Elia

Chairperson: Ruth Geddes

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CARING AND SHARING

Our prayers are with those who are shut-in and sick, unable to join us in worship this morning.



I would like to thank everyone who has called and sent cards, as well as those who attended the Celebration of Life for my sister Connie. Thanks also to Rev. Jamie York, Roseneath United Church members, as well as the Roseneath Women's Institute. All has helped me get through a very difficult time. Again, thanks so much.

Donna Davis

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ROSENEATH UNITED CHURCH

Roseneath, Ontario

Worship: 11:00a.m.-12:00 noon

Organist & Choir Director:

Chairperson:

UPCOMING DATES

Sunday December 16, 2018 Sacrament of Holy Communion at both churches.

Monday December 24, 2018 Christmas Eve Worship Services at Hastings 5:30 pm and Roseneath 7:00 pm.

The church council for Roseneath voted to extend to the congregation an opportunity to help Community Care Northumberland in fund raising at this "giving" time of year. On December 9th, "White Gift Sunday" or before if you can't be here that day, we will receive a special offering to support Community Care and its good work in Northumberland.

Programs are being used more and more and new innovations are taking place.

Meals on Wheels have seen an 8% increase in need.

Volunteer drives covered some 1.5 million kilometres last year.

Hospice services are expanding with the building in Hamilton Township of "Ed's House". A two level care centre for hospice care in the county.

If you feel moved to make a donation, you can add it to your offering envelope, and label as Community Care in the "other" space. The treasurer will make a single cheque donation once we have received your donations. And we will let you know how we did.

"MINUTE FOR MISSIONS"

Nursing in the Korean Context

Our gifts for Mission & Service support overseas personnel like Marion Pope, a registered nurse who served with the Presbyterian Church in the Republic of Korea (PROK) in South Korea for 36 years.

"Hold the gospel and culture in creative tension." These words of her teacher, Dr. Katharine Hockin,

guided Marion, who became a well-known and respected teacher and writer about mission.

"Our questions relate to the struggle to reconcile the truth we see in the gospel with the values of the culture in which we are living and working," says Marion. "Those going to partner churches overseas are all trying to learn how the gospel is understood and being lived by the people of that partner church.... We were not being sent out to change others or to achieve an end. We were being sent out to learn, work, and live with other people under the direction of the church to which we were sent."

As a nursing educator, Marion took this challenge seriously and taught the traditions of Korean nursing, which had been replaced by Western medicine. "[Marion] gave us insight into how to develop nursing in the Korean context: 'Don't just borrow from the West,' she told us. 'Use your own Korean perspective.' We learned from her that Korean nursing has much to offer. Her influence is still being felt," notes Professor Lee Won-Hee of Yonsei University College of Nursing.

Says Marion, "Everything I have done and taught and lived in Korea and Canada was my attempt to reflect the missiology I was taught by Dr. Katharine Hockin and the diaconal ministry taught at the Centre for Christian Studies."

"SUNDAY SMILE"

Did Eve ever have a date with Adam?

Nope — just an apple.