

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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ROSENEATH UNITED CHURCH

Roseneath, Ontario

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

Organist & Choir Director:

Chairperson:

Thank you to Betty Wagner for her musical offering at Trinity (Hastings) United Church 156th Anniversary Service.

"CARING AND SHARING"

Our prayers are with those who are shut-in and sick, unable to join us in worship this morning. Prayers for Klaus Klein at Campbellford Hospital.

"THANK YOU!"

Thank you to everyone who help make the Roseneath Autumn Supper a success!

"SPECIAL REPAIR PROJECT"

Trinity Hastings has some extensive repairs needed to the back of the church in the eaves.

As much as we love pigeons, they can't keep sneaking in the eaves where the wood has rotted away.

The work will be done in the spring. It will cost approximately \$2,000 for a man-lift and material to repair.

The church council are launching a special appeal to help cover the cost.

You can bring some coins and add to our special cans, or make a donation marked as "Special" Repair Project in your offering envelope. With many thanks!

"COMING EVENTS"

Friday November 1, 2019

*Trinity Hastings UCW Country Fayre
Christmas Bazaar*

11:00-2:00

Everyone is welcome!



Sunday November 3, 2019 Change your clocks for Eastern Standard Time.

Sunday November 10, 2019 Remembrance Day Worship Services.

Monday November 11, 2019 Remembrance Day Services.

Sunday November 17, 2019 Holy Humour Services.

Sunday November 24, 2019 Reign of Christ Sunday & Holy Communion.

Friday November 29, 2019 Pre-Advent potluck supper & hymn sing at Roseneath 6:00 pm.

“MINUTE FOR MISSIONS”

October 6

United Church Women: Love and Strength

The vision statement of United Church Women (UCW) includes a call to continuous prayer and learning, leading to action—and United Church Women across the church have faithfully answered that call for over 55 years!

“As women of faith... we believe in affirming and strengthening ourselves, both individually and together through creative study, prayer, and action,” says the UCW’s vision statement. During the UCW’s 55th anniversary event in 2017, support for a project at the Morogoro Women’s Training Centre in Tanzania was celebrated. The women have supported the training of hundreds of traditional birth attendants, who have saved half a million women and children from dying in childbirth.

Our gifts for Mission & Service support the UCW as it learns about our changing world. Imagine the strength of women who have learned about and taken action on gender justice and inclusion, truth and reconciliation, intercultural ministries, students and theological education, climate justice, the work of global partners, inter-faith initiatives, refugee support, and so much more!

The United Church’s Song of Faith states, “We sing of a church seeking to continue the story of Jesus by embodying Christ’s presence in the world.”

We are thankful that the UCW has been an example of what it means to truly love our neighbours!

October 27

Pilgrims

Thirteen Youth Forum pilgrims were on a journey during the summer of 2018. After work and orientation in their home Conferences, they travelled east to Newfoundland. With their two young adult leaders and a global partner, these dedicated young people visited each Conference of the United Church. They stopped in Oshawa, Ontario, in July to participate as commissioners at the 43rd General Council and then continued their pilgrimage, ending in British Columbia in mid-August.

Building on the theme of Rendez-vous 2017, these young people deepened their understanding of what it means to Be the Church/Soyons l’eglise in this time of change and challenge.

The youth were selected by peers from their home Conference at a Youth Forum Winter Retreat held in February 2018. At the retreat, 60 youth gathered to learn what a remit was, gain insight into how business would be carried out at General Council, and immerse themselves in the issues and concerns facing the United Church. They also spent time in worship, small groups, and played games, and other activities.

The pilgrimage invited participants to deepen their experience as they visited Indigenous communities, met migrant workers, learned about justice issues related to mining and fair trade, witnessed the work of social justice ministries and camps, and worshipped and celebrated with many communities of faith across the church. They came home changed, challenged, and ready to lead in ministry. How will you walk with a Youth Forum pilgrim from your region?

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**“SUNDAY SMILE”**

**I was at an A.T.M. yesterday. A little old lady asked if I could check her balance, so I pushed her over.**