

## ANNOUNCEMENTS January 28, 2018

**If you are worshipping with us for the first time, welcome!** Please sign our Guest Book at the back of the church or in the entranceway and join us for coffee in the parlour after the service.

**Faith-Grace Unit is meeting Tues. Jan. 30th @ 2 p.m.** Mary Lloyd speaking on Centre Wellington News. - All are welcome.

**Accommodation needed.** Our new organist, Rob White, wants to move to the Fergus/Elora area. He is looking for an apartment. Please talk to him if you know of places for rent or places/buildings he could contact. His number is 519-820-1710.

**Concert - February 17th** - Rob White (our new organist) will be performing in "The Spice of Life - A Valentines Concert" at Duff's Presbyterian Church - Hwy 6 at the 401. Tickets are \$25 each and \$10 for kids and the show starts at 7:30 p.m. This is a good opportunity to see Rob in action and get a taste of how talented he is.

**If you can help Peggie and Ralph** to prepare and clean-up for Sunday Coffee, it would be greatly appreciated.

**Looking for a cork bulletin board** to augment the existing one in the parking lot door area. Needs to be 3 ft. x 4 ft. thereabouts. If you can help please bring it into the photocopy room and let Don Grant know.

**Welcome, welcome, welcome.** We are in need of more welcomers and counters for Sunday morning worship. If you are interested in helping, please see Ralph Rainford. On the job training provided with excellent benefits!

**Please pick up your givings envelopes** at the back of the church.

**Our annual Shrove Tuesday pancake supper on Feb. 13 is fast approaching.** As in past years we need lots of volunteers to make this event successful. Please see Ralph Rainford to volunteer.

**UCW has meat pies** for sale. \$4 each.

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### Other Community and Church Events

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**Concert with The Western Swing Authority** on Saturday February 3rd at 7:00pm at Knox Presbyterian Church Elora, 51 Church St, Elora. The cost of the tickets are \$20.00 per person which can be purchased at the door on the night of the concert or you can email the church office, [knoxelora@bellnet.ca](mailto:knoxelora@bellnet.ca) and reserve tickets for that evening.

**Trinity United Church, Guelph** is looking for a custodian for up to 35 hours per week. These flexible hours include night checks. If interested, please email [info@trinityunitedguelph.ca](mailto:info@trinityunitedguelph.ca). After a 3-month probationary period, benefits and pension are available. Police check required.

**Saturday, February 10, 2018, 6:00 pm: Valentine Dinner at Barrie Hill.** Tickets are \$25.00 per person and include hors d'oeuvres, a 3-course roast beef dinner and delicious special dessert. Entertainment will be provided by Hal Osborne and Andrea LeBlanc (from Trinity United Church, Guelph). For tickets contact: Sandra at 226-343-0367 or Shirley at 519-822-4997

**Valentines Dinner** at St. John's United Church in Belwood on Wed. **Feb. 14<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 p.m.** \$15.00 per person. Call 226-343-0261 or 519-855-4243 for tickets.

**Join us for the Ecumenical Week of Guided Prayer** and Spiritual Exploration, Feb. 25 to March 3. This is an opportunity to develop, deepen and explore your relationship with God, and learn ways to meet God meaningfully. Registration forms are in the hall, and [www.guidedprayer.webs.com](http://www.guidedprayer.webs.com) and will be accepted until Feb. 19.

**WEEKLY CALENDAR**

Mon. Jan. 29, 2018 - Sun. Feb 4, 2018

Tues. 30	10:30	Senior Exercising	Fellowship Hall
	2:00	Unit Faith/Grace	Parlour
	7:00	Social Justice	Chapel
Thurs. 1	10:30	Senior Exercising	Fellowship Hall
Fri. 2	10:00	Coffee Hour	Parlour
Sun. 4	9:30	Grounding in the Spirit	Chapel
	11:00	Sunday Service	Sanctuary

**Worship Schedule**

Feb. 4	5 <sup>th</sup> after Epiphany	Ruth Cooke	
Feb. 11	Communion	Marion Loree	
Feb. 18	Lent One	Jen Auger	
Feb. 25	Lent Two	Marion Loree	