ANNOUNCEMENTS April 1, 2018

If you are worshiping 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.

The Easter Lily in the narthex is placed in loving memory of the Rev. William Lorne Brown from Eleanor, Philip, Elizabeth, Ruth and their families.

Rev. Marion will be away on Study Leave from April 2 - April 9 inclusive. For any pastoral care concerns or emergencies please contact Alison Rainford at 519-843-3841.

Please pick up your Annual Report from the back of the church and please remember to bring it to the Annual Meeting on April 15th after the service.

UCW has meat pies for sale. \$4 each. Contact Marg Frayne - 519-843-3274.

WANTED: If you are able to drive a senior member of our congregation to appointments, please let Alison Rainford know. I will keep a list and let folks know when the need arises. That person will then contact you to make arrangements as needed.

Melville Events: Mark your calendar for a Melville concert. Friday May 4, 8 pm. A Celebration of Irish Music and Dance. Tickets for sale at church - \$12.50 in advance, \$15 at door. Please help advertise and promote this event. Posters and cards will be in the copy room. Contact Marg 519-843-3274 or Lorna 519-787-0570.

Finding Hope in Uncertain Times: A series of meaning-filled conversations continue. Why does the world feel so uncertain? How can we respond meaningfully? How might we be transformed in our own responses? Join us for a rich series of videos, personal reflection and conversation on these big questions. Tuesday, Apr. 3, 6:30-7:30 in

April 1, 2018 the Chapel.

Rise Again: Lift Your Heart! Dance and Tangle on Sat. Apr. 7th 10:00 - 3:30 p.m. Sacred Circle Dancing and Tangling. Coffee & Tea provided. Bring a Lunch. For more info contact Ruth Sproule 519-821-1978 ruth.sproule@sympatico.ca or Mary-Anne 519-993-2757 maship121@gmail.com \$30 - half day: \$50 - full day..

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To those children who are interested in being part of the Children's Musical during the worship time on Christian Family Sunday/Mother's Day, the first practice will begin on the first Sunday after Easter, April 8. 2018.

The date is set! A special luncheon is being planned for Sunday, May 6th to say "Thank You" to Jen Auger for her nine years of service as our Minister of Faith Formation and Outreach. We invite you to be part of this exciting celebration. Please mark your calendar and plan to attend. We are collecting donations toward a gift. Please see Phil Brown or Ralph Rainford to donate.

Other Community and Church Events

You can join us for Vocal Meditations for the Easter Season at Harcourt United - Guelph each week or come on a drop-in basis. The sessions will be held from 10 to 11:15 a.m. in the Chapel on Wednesdays - April 4, 11, 18 & 25th. Free will offering. For info please call Elizabeth Bone, at 519 821 0682 or send an email to dambonee1@sympatico.ca.

Centre Wellington Singers Present: "This Green and Pleasant Land" Saturday April 21st, 3:00 pm at Elora United Church. Plan to attend and enjoy: Danny Boy, We'll Gather Lilacs, We'll Meet Again, The Lost Chord, Land of Hope and Glory, and A Red, Red Rose. Tickets: Adults: 15.00 Children under 12 - \$5.00. For tickets contact: Joanne Mitchell, Millie Cumming or Lillian Gohn.

Spring Garage Sale at Trinity United Church, 400 Stevenson St N, Guelph, Friday, April 13, 3-8 pm and Saturday, April 14, 7-12 noon.

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Something for everyone. 519-824-4800

Trinity United Church, 400 Stevenson St N, Guelph present Joseph & the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat in Concert, Sunday, April 15 at 7 pm. \$15 at the door, Directed by Andrea LeBlanc and Shawn Firlotte. 519-824-4800

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Mon. April 2, 2018 - Sun. April. 8, 2018

| Tues.3 | 10:30 6:30 | Senior Exercising Ted Talks | Fellowship Hall Chapel |
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| Thurs. 5 | 10:30 7:00 | Senior Exercising Choir | Fellowship Hall Parlour |
| Fri. 6 | 10:00 | Coffee Hour | Parlour |
| Sat. 7 | 10:00 | Rise Again: Lift Your Heart | Upper Auditorium |
| Sun. 8 | 9:30 11:00 | Grounding in the Spirit 2 nd of Easter Sunday Service | Chapel Sanctuary |

Worship Schedule

| April 8 | 2 nd of Easter | Ruth Cooke | |
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| April 15 | 3 rd of Easter - Annual Meeting | Marion Loree | |
| April 22 | 4 th of Easter - Earth Sunday | Marion Loree | |
| April 29 | 5 th of Easter | Marion Loree | |