

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**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.

**The United Church of Canada has elected the Rev. Richard Bott** from Vancouver as its 43rd Moderator from a field of 10 nominees who will be the church's spiritual leader for the next three years.

**Summer Music Concerts** - Arkell United Church, 600 Arkell Rd. Arkell at 7pm., Tickets \$10 in advance or pay at the door.

- Thursday, August 16 - Olivia Borkosky (Folk/Ukelele/CBC featured songwriter)
- Thursday, August 23 - Ben Wallace (Classical Piano Recital)

**Arthur United Church PeachFest** - Aug. 16, 2018 - 5-7 p.m., tickets at door, adults \$15, children 7-12 \$6, 6 and under free. Location: Arthur Community Centre, 158 Domville St., Arthur ON

**Join Kaillie and Linda Mae in the Garden every Thursday** (6-8pm) starting May 17 for fellowship and weeding! Tools and directions will be provided. Wish List: -mulch; -chicken wire and stakes; -large bin for tools -gift cards to Walmart, Home Hardware, Can. Tire & Little Tree

**Corn Roast for SHARE Agriculture Foundation, Sept. 9, 3:30 - 7.** Music by the Moore Family of Drayton. (Derek is the talented music director of Mount Forest United.) Raefield Farm, 5231 County Rd. #27 (Between Brucedale and Rockwood). For more information call Marg and Les Frayne 519-843-3274.

**Are you down-sizing,** moving or know someone who is? Please remember that Melville U C can use your unwanted items for our Fall Festival or Garage Sale. Contact the Church Office or Lorna Bevcar.

**Oh no! I missed a sermon!** - copies of Rev. Marion's sermons are printed and available in the photocopy room each week or she will e-mail them to you. Ruth Cooke's are available on her blog at: [backwardschristianity.com](http://backwardschristianity.com).

**Looking for Spring/Summer projects for you and your kids?** The Melville Crafters will have a table at the Fall Festival again this fall. We welcome all contributions - yarn, wood, metal, clay, beaded, paper, gift baskets. Need an idea see the Melville Crafters idea binder in the photocopy room. Have an idea to share place it in the binder.

**On the second and fourth Monday of each month,** the spirituality circle meets in the parlour at 10:30.

**The Centre Wellington Food Bank** is currently in need of toilet paper, pasta sauce, juice, canned fruit, shampoo, soap, and flour.

**The summer replacement** for the office is Sherri Woodland. Sherri will be covering the office until August 23<sup>rd</sup> inclusive. The office hours will be Tues. from 8:30 - 11:30 a.m.; Thurs. and Fri. from 8:30 a.m. until 2:00 p.m.

**Rev. Marion** will be away on vacation until Sept. 3<sup>rd</sup> inclusive. For emergency pastoral care or concern please contact Ruth Cooke 519-763-0218; cell: 226-500-5004 or Alison Rainford 519-843-3841.

**Other Community and Church Events**

**WEEKLY CALENDAR**

Mon. August 6, 2018 - Sun. August 12, 2018

Tues. 7	10:30	Senior Exercising	Fellowship Hall
Thurs. 9	10:30	Senior Exercising	Fellowship Hall
Fri. 10	10:00	Coffee Hour	Parlour
Sun. 12	11:00	12 <sup>th</sup> after Pentecost	Sanctuary

**Worship Schedule**

Aug. 19	13 <sup>th</sup> after Pentecost	Ruth Brown
Aug. 26	14 <sup>th</sup> after Pentecost	Ruth Cooke
Sept. 2	15 <sup>th</sup> after Pentecost	Ruth Cooke
Sept. 9	16 <sup>th</sup> after Pentecost	Marion Loree
Sept. 16	17 <sup>th</sup> after Pentecost	Marion Loree