

ANNOUNCEMENTS May 19, 2019

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.

Melville's Spring Garage & Bake Sale: Our 3-day Garage & Bake Sale has just been completed! We all worked very hard on this, as usual, to make things run smoothly, on all fronts!!! Again, at the start of the sale, we think we don't have a lot of items for sale, and we are astonished, at the grand total. I cannot say enough about the Baking that came in! We received lots, from dedicated people, and we still could have sold more! When all was completed we made \$2322.32. We appreciate all the helpers. Thank you to all, who donated to our projects, and helped out, in order to make things run smoothly. Thanks for "Filling a Box".

Irish Music & Dance Outcome: Again this year, for our 2nd year, we worked with Marilyn Abraham on her "Spring Rain" Irish Music & Dance Concert on Fri May 3rd. We split the proceeds and received \$884.55 from Spring Rain Weekend.

Unit Joy meets on Tues. May 21 at 7:30 p.m in the parlour. Everyone is welcome!

Youth Group (Grade 3-8) will meet at Elora United Church, Sunday, May 26, 6:30 - 8pm. We will be going on a Scavenger Hunt!

May meeting for Unit Faith/Grace is on Tues. May 28 at 2:00 p.m. in the parlour. The discussion will be "Flowers" and the leader is Isobel Glennie. Everyone is welcome!

Youth Group (Grade 8-12+) will meet at Martha's for a pool party, Sunday, June 23, 3-5pm. Contact Martha if you have questions.

Children's socks are needed at the food bank. You may take them there or leave them at the church for delivery. Thank you for your support.

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.

Other Community and Church Events

At St James Anglican Church, 171 Queen St E, Fergus - our next Taizé service will be at 7 pm on Wednesday, May 22nd. Join us for a relaxing ecumenical service of song, prayer and meditation held in the beauty of candlelight. The theme this month is 'Free to Grow'. Everyone is welcome. Our building is fully accessible.

At Knox Presbyterian 51 Church Street, Elora - **Nelson Mandela Anniversary Concert & Southern African Flood Relief Fundraiser:** A musical extravaganza of traditional African sounds on Thursday May 23rd, 2019 at 7:30 p.m. Advance tickets are \$25 or \$30 at the door; For Tickets or more info contact Knox Elora at 519-846-0680 or knoxelora@wightman.ca Donation to Flood relief in South African will be accepted after the concert. Donations over \$10.00 will be receipted.

ARTHUR UNITED CHURCH WOMEN YARD/RUMMAGE & BAKE SALE - Friday, May 24th, 2019 from 9:00 am to 7:00 pm and Saturday, May 25th from 8:00 am to 12:00 noon. Good used clothing, household items, some furniture and lots of children's treasures. We also have a bake table with delicious home made baking, pies, tarts, cookies, loaves, biscuits and much more.

Upcoming Events at Melville

May 26 and June 9 - Special Musical Guests

The Autumn Tones/Red Suspenders and the Melody Makers and Hand Bells will be coming to our services

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Mon. May 20, 2019 - Sun. May 26, 2019

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| Tues. 21 | 9:00 | Quilting | Heritage Hall |
| | 10:30 | Senior Exercising | Fellowship Hall |
| | 7:00 | Church Council | Chapel |
| | 7:30 | Unit Joy | Parlour |
| Thurs. 23 | 10:30 | Senior Exercising | Fellowship Hall |
| | 7:00 | Choir | Parlour |
| Fri. 24 | 10:00 | Coffee Hour | Parlour |
| | 11:00 | Pastoral Care | Chapel |
| Sun. 26 | 11:00 | 6 th of Easter Sunday | Sanctuary |
| | 6:30 | Youth Group Grades 3 - 8 | Elora United |

Worship Schedule

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| May 26 | 6 th of Easter | Ruth Brown |
| June 2 | 7 th of Easter | Ruth Brown |
| June 9 | Pentecost | Marion Loree |
| June 16 | Father's Day Sunday - Baptism | Marion Loree |
| June 23 | 2 nd after Pentecost | Marion Loree |
| June 30 | 3 rd after Pentecost | Marion Loree |