#### Announcements and Upcoming Events for week of Feb 18, 2024

Happy Birthday and/or Happy Anniversary to all celebrating this month *February*Happy Birthday to You
To Jesus be true
May the Lord bless and keep you
The Whole year through

Welcome to worship –Please join us for Coffee, and fellowship following the service today.

Sunday Feb 18<sup>th</sup> following service Youth Pizza Sunday with Pastor Dawn

For the Annual Report, Please have your 2023 reports available and in the office As soon as possible! Thank You!

\*\*As we are now well into preparing our budget for 2024. Should any committee have financial needs this coming year please advise the office so we can incorporate your request into the budget..

## **Upcoming Events: Mark Your Calendars:**

# Tuesday, Feb 20th 2024 12:15 noon The "Lunch Bunch" will meet at Squires Dunnville On for lunch.

This group have been meeting weekly on Tuesdays for over a time now at 12:15pm at different restaurants each week. At the end of each meal, folks decide as a group where to meet the following week. Everyone is welcome to join - there is no pressure to come every week - there is no agenda - it is simply a time to enjoy fellowship and break bread together. Each individual chooses and purchases their meal.

Tuesday Feb 20th @ 2:30 pm Joyful Strings practice

**Tuesday Feb 20<sup>th</sup> 7:30 pm** Our next Official Board meeting has been set for 7:30 pm on Tuesday February 20<sup>th</sup>, 2024. \*\*At this time, the proposed Agenda is the following:

- i. New Fee schedule for Funerals, Weddings and Hall rental (by Andrea Houser)
- ii. Review and approval of the annual report by each committee before going to the Congregational Meeting (which is planned for <u>March 17, 2024</u>)(Andy will lead the discussion)
- iii. Set Dates for the Official Board meetings for the rest of the year.
- If there are any additional agenda items please send them to Wendy asap otherwise this is the agenda.

Committee chairs, if you have any other update beside what you will review in the annual report, please send to Wendy W. **before February 16th.** 

**Wednesday Feb 21<sup>st</sup> Men's Club Dinner** Coffee at 6:30pm Dinner at 7:00 pm \$20.00 per ticket. Tickets available from Bob Bailey, Nick Head, Howard Cowie, George Mulder

Thursday Feb 22nd @ 1:30pm Joyful Noise choir practice

Wednesday Feb 28<sup>th</sup> 12:30-2:00 pm Fundraising Committee Meeting

# Saturday March 9th 8:30-10:30 am •Pancake Breakfast

\_Tickets at the door .. •Adults 13+ \$12.00, •Children 6-12yrs \$5.00, •FAMILY rate \$30.00 ( 2 adults + 2 children )

- •**Volunteers**•for our <u>Pancake Breakfast</u> ~ please see the SIGN Up sheet in the fellowship hall.
- •Pancake Breakfast Supplies .. at our former pancake suppers our congregation was asked individually to bring in specific items to help keep the costs down. So for our upcoming breakfast our fundraising team are asking for assistance once again , but in the way of a monetary donation to help us get some of our supplies needed. If you would like to help us , please see the container on the coffee / tea window during coffee hour. We so appreciate your help .
- <u>Sunday March 10th</u> <u>POLICE CHECKS</u> anyone wanting to have assistance with applying for an updated online <u>Volunteer Police Check</u> ~ <u>Sunday March 10th</u> meet Tori Richardson in the gathering room right after our morning service, and she'll help get you apply into the current system.
- Wed April 10th @7pm Sunday School Meeting ~
- Sat May 11th <u>SAVE the DATE•</u> Daytime *QUARTER AUCTION* (Doors open at <u>12noon</u> Lunch will be offered for purchase. Vendor shopping 12-1pm and 3:30-5pm! **Auction** will begin at 1pm~3:30pm
- <u>WONDER CAMP</u>• Save the date and invite your friends and family to join us **Mon July 29th~Aug 1st** from 9-12pm daily !!!

**In October, 2023, our Coffee Hour went pumpkin**. Twenty-one yummy recipes have been gathered in a colourful "Pumpkin Recipe" booklet. \$5 each. *Just 7 left hurry don't be disappointed* Please see Kate Head to get your copy.

#### Meet our new Sponsor child

Giresse a 9 year old boy from Democratic Republic of Congo. Giresse lives in Maisha, Democratic Republic of Congo, which is located close to the border with Zambia. Giresse lives with his mother, 1 brother and 2 sisters. He is in Grade 2.

## **Ongoing Events**

**Interested Sunday School Teachers** ~ our teaching staff is always looking for anyone who might like to work with our amazing children and join in our FUN team of great gals! Please speak to Pastor Dawn if interested.

Please remember all our "Family" in nursing homes, hospitals, or shut in with your prayers, cards and calls.

\*\*\*Coffee Hour list is on the bulletin board in the fellowship hall if you are able to volunteer to make the coffee and tea for Sunday Mornings. Thank you!!

\*\*\*Greeter volunteers needed for Sunday morning to hand out Bulletins .If you are able to help with this, please sign the sheet on the bulletin board in the Fellowship Hall. Thank You!!

**Attention All Puzzlers:** We have created a puzzle swap area on the south end of Fellowship Hall, on the cupboard there.. Anyone who has some puzzles at home please bring them in to share with others. Please feel free to take a puzzle home to complete and then return for someone else to enjoy!

**Technology**\_ to the best of our ability, Sunday worship will be recorded and uploaded to YouTube: as well as live-streamed to Face book when possible for at home or on-the-go viewing. We are still in search of knowledgeable tech-minded folks to help with this ministry.

Thank you to those who have volunteered to run the AV sound system on Sundays. If you wish to volunteer, training will be provided. Anyone interested please see Judy O'Neill or Andrea Houser. Thank You!!!

The Large Print Our Daily Bread, January February March is available on the table in the entry for those who wish one.

Small Print Our Daily Bread March, April, May are also available

#### **Community Outreach**

**Salvation Army Food Bank hamper** is in the church lobby if you wish to make a contribution. Your donated items are delivered each Monday to the Salvation Army, Dunnville location.

**Grace United Church Dunnville** Feb 24<sup>th</sup> @ 7:30pm an East Coast Kitchen Party! Tickets \$15.00pp musical guests, refreshments, See the <u>Community bulletin board</u> for more details.

Haldimand Pregnancy Care and Family Centre 18<sup>th</sup> Annual Spring Banquet – Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> March at Attercliffe Canadian Reformed Elementary School, 85785 Canborough Rd, Dunnville. Reception at 5.45pm Dinner at 6pm. Come and hear about the ministry at HPCF Centre with some guest speakers and amazing food! Tickets are \$30 per person and an offering will be taken to support the ministry at HPCFC. Call Brenda or Carol at 905 774 1228 or email carol@haldimandpcfc.org for tickets and more information.

**Youth Impact Centre** Dunnville Mar  $22^{nd}$  7:30 pm Euchre Tournament . See the community board for more information

We are called to Pray for each other and for our Mission in the World. Horseshoe Falls Prayer Circle, Melrose United, Hamilton On



# Again & Again: ~MARCH BREAK ~ Intergenerational Movie & Bible Study

Doors open @ 1pm. Program

starts at 1:15pm.

FREE! Refreshments provided. All

ages welcome!

Monday, March 11 "God Meets Us"

Mark 1:9-15 and featuring the movie, "WONDER"

Tuesday, March 12 "Called to Listen"

Mark 8:31-9:8 and featuring the movie, "BRAVE"

Wednesday, March 13 "We are Shown the Way"

John 2:13-22 and featuring the movie, "THE INCREDIBLES"

Thursday, March 14 "God Loves First"

John 3:14-21 and featuring the movie, "The Princess Bride"

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Saturday, March 16 5pm ~Potluck & a MOVIE~ "The Shack"

You are always welcome to join us for worship on Sunday mornings at 10am, in-person at 6182 Rainham Road or live on Facebook on the South Cayuga Community Church page. Our worship services are also recorded and uploaded to YouTube. Following each service is a time for refreshments and community in the Fellowship Hall.

This Lenten season, our special services include:

World Day of Prayer ~ Sunday, March 10<sup>th</sup> at 10am Annual General Meeting & Worship ~ Sunday, March 17<sup>th</sup> at 10am ~ potluck to follow Good Friday ~ Friday, March 29<sup>th</sup> at 10am Easter Sunday ~ Sunday, March 31<sup>st</sup> at 10am

# The Rainbow of Promise

"Whenever the rainbow appears in the clouds, I will see it and remember the everlasting covenant between God and all living creatures of every kind on the earth." Genesis 9:16 The puzzle is based on Genesis 9:8-17



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APPEARS	CREATURES	EARTH	FLOOD	ANIMALS
SIGN	CLOUDS	LIFE	RAINBOW	LIVESTOCK