

The Messenger

October 25, 2023

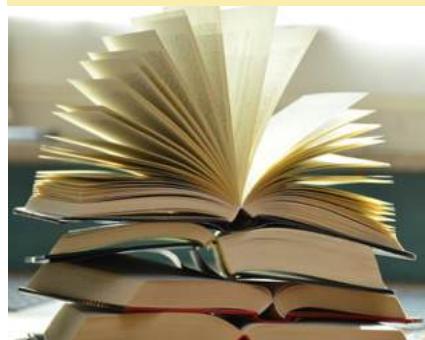
IPE Extras !

**Frozen/Unbaked Apple Pie \$10
Gallon of Frozen Chili \$20
2.84 L of Diced Tomatoes \$8**

If interested in any of the items, please contact Suzanne Skinner (250-546-2842) or Wilma Koersen (780-933-9732)



BOOK NOOK at Zion



. Book Nook will be open on **Wednesday mornings** from 10 a.m. to 12 noon Come in and check out our selection of books and puzzles.

**Zion United Church
Sunday worship — 11:00 am**

**St Andrews United Church
Sunday worship — 9:30am**

If you have announcements to be included here please email them to: ckoooyman@shaw.ca

It would be helpful if announcements for The Messenger are sent to the above address before Wednesday.

**Next Messenger will be
November 1, 2023**



Askew's

Thanks for continuing to purchase Askew's Cards.

They will be available at church from Eleanor Kiefer, Sharon or Isobel.

Or if you miss that opportunity give Eleanor a call at 250-546-8195.

Remember they can be used at any of the 5 Askew's stores.

Eleanor

COFFEE HOUSE
21 October 2023
Song!
Smiles!
Super!



A big THANK YOU to former ZUC member, Leighton Mellemstrand for his generous donation of \$500. Leighton is so very grateful for the 'many lasting memories and friendship' while at Zion United Church (1973-1987).



Zion Finances January to September 2023

Church Operations:

Total Operating Income \$78,157 (**\$6,462 more than 2022!!!**)

Total Operating Expenses \$80,547

Year to date Deficit (\$2,390) vs. YTD projected Deficit (\$14,287)

IPE Profit (preliminary) \$6,500 (included in the operating numbers)

Church Building Fund Activity and Projects:

BUILDING FUND BALANCE, JANUARY 1 2023 \$14,910.03

TOTAL YTD INCOME \$11,098.93

EXPENSES

Paint Church Sanctuary	\$335.20
Lounge & Office Renovations	\$4,297.12
Church Electrical Service & Panel Upgrade	\$5,665.65
Fence, South of Church	\$1,078.64
Replace Church Hall Roof	\$18,804.65
Re-installation of Weathervane	\$3,283.30

TOTAL YTD PROJECT EXPENSES \$33,464.56

BUILDING FUND BALANCE AS OF SEPTEMBER 30 2023 **-\$7,455.60**

Encouraging results!

There are still challenging times ahead with an annual insurance premium of \$7,362 due November 1, and the need to replenish the Building Fund. As a start we are due to receive a Heritage Grant to repay 50% of the weathervane re-installation.

Thanks for your generous financial donations, and your donations of time and energy.