

CENTRAL UNITED CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunday, May 24th, 2026

Please send your announcements to the church office by Wednesday.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- Tuesday, May 26th: Board Meeting at 7:00pm in Fellowship Room
 - Wednesday, May 27th: Choir practice at 6:30pm
 - Thursday, May 28th: Handbell Choir at 10:00am
 - Saturday, June 6th: Men's supper at 6pm in the hall
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Last fall we joined the United Church's 100 Tables Project committing to create spaces of welcome and belonging outside our church walls. Join us today after worship when we will launch our table, affirming that there's a place for everyone here. We will gather for cookies, lemonade and a congregational photo!

Benevolent Fund: On the last Sunday of the month, we invite folks to bring in donations for our Benevolent Fund and place them in the red offering plate at the back of the sanctuary. This fund is used to support urgent and emerging needs in our community, such as assisting people with paying bills, buying groceries, and more. Donations of \$5 or more receive a tax receipt at the end of the year. Thank you to all who are able to support this important ministry!

Sunday Bulletins: If you or someone you know are unable to attend service but would like to have a copy of the bulletin, extra copies (when available) can be found in a container at the back of the sanctuary. Feel free to take one.

Memorial Hymn Sing: Join us for a hymn sing on Sunday, June 7th at 7pm. See the yellow insert in the bulletin for more information. The Memorial/Celebration sheets, along with donations, need to be returned to the church office no later than Sunday, May 24th.

A reminder that Rev. Daniel is away next weekend for Regional Meetings. Thank you to the Worship & Music Committee who are leading next week's service.

Office closure: Please note the office will be closed this Wednesday, May 27th.

Youth & Young Adult Weekend Retreat: Feeling overwhelmed, pressured, or like you always need to be doing something? Need some quiet time? Come as you are to a weekend to slow down, connect in community, and enjoy time for reflection in the beautiful outdoor setting of Camp Mush-a-Mush. For youth in grade 7 through to age 25. When: June 12-14, 2026. Sign-up by May 29th. Registration forms are available in the church office or contact Lucille Wentzell at (902)527-7143. Hosted by South Shore Lutheran Shared Ministry.

In The Community:

Join the Beyond Band-aids initiative for two special events: Community Conversations about how rapidly things are changing both in the world and right here in our communities on Thursday May 28th at Bridgewater United Church, & a Community Action Workshop about exploring practical steps and actions that can be taken to create positive change in our communities on Thursday June 11 at the Blockhouse Firehall. More information can be found on the bulletin board in the entryway.

Spring Concert: The Lunenburg County Community Orchestra will be performing a concert on Friday, May 29th, right here at Central United Church. Doors open at 6:15pm, with the concert beginning at 7pm. Tickets are available at <https://www.bloomtickets.ca/event/864>

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