Our Week at a Glance - March 30, 2025

We thank Judi Brisco for the lovely spring decoration.

THIS WEEK AT TSA:

Mon. Mar. 31 Shop donations, 9-2

Youth Worship Band - Office, 6:30

Tues. Apr. 1 UCW – MRR, 1:00

Wed. Apr. 2 Shop Donations, 9-2

Counters – Lounge, 10:15

Bible Study – MRR, 11:00-12:00 Lenten Study – MRR, 12:30-1:30 Mat Group/Crafty Ladies – SH, 1:00

Thurs. Apr. 3 Shop Open, 11-5 (new hours)

Choir - Sanctuary, 7:00

Fri. Apr. 4 Shop Donations, 9-12

Sat. Apr. 5 Shop Open, 10-2

<u>Annual Report</u>: The 2024 Annual Report is now ready for pick-up in the Narthex. If you wish to receive a copy via email, please leave your name, phone number & email on the sheet beside the Annual Reports. The Annual General Meeting will be on Sunday, April 13 in Stewart Hall. Lunch is provided by the UCW.

Upcoming Lent/Easter Services:

Lenten Study, March 12 to April 16: We will be having a weekly time of Meditative Prayer during Lent on Wednesdays from 12:30 -1pm in the Marian Roffey Room. Runs from March 12 to April 16. There will be an introduction each week to different types of Christian meditation and a shared time of silent meditation. A free event open to all.

Good Friday Service: Friday, April 18 at 10am Easter Sunday Service: Sunday April 20 at 10am

New Thursday Thrift Shop Hours: Beginning Thursday April 3, the TSA Thrift shop will open for sales at 11:00 a.m. and close at 5:00 p.m. We are also recruiting volunteers to work in the shop on Thursdays - your choice of hours - 11 to 2 or 2 to 5. No experience necessary. Call or text Marilyn Lloyd at 613 649-2358 or Linda Boldt at 613 432-8528.

TSA By-laws: It is time to update our current 2020 By-laws, minor changes have been made to the Thrift Shop and Worship & Music Committee; these have been approved by Council and will be presented to the congregation at the Annual meeting on April 13, 2025 for approval. If you wish to see a copy, please contact the office for an electronic version or pick up a hard copy in the narthex. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the office or a Council member in advance of April 13 to discuss. This should shorten the discussion required at the meeting and still provide everyone information on questions raised and responses.

TSA Search & Selection Team: The Search and Selection Team has met three times and have been reviewing minister candidate profiles through the United Church of Canada on-line pastoral relations tool ChurchHub. The Team will soon be preparing for interviews as several potential candidates have declared an interest in the TSA minister vacancy. As the Team continues in this process, please keep us in your prayers, that we will be open to the gifts, skills, and passions of each candidate who responds to the TSA profile.

<u>Camp Lau-Ren Work Week</u>: The work week for Camp Lau-Ren will be April 26-30 at the camp. If you would like to volunteer, please contact the office, or contact Bert Brisco at 613-432-3225.

<u>Coffee Sign-up Sheet</u>: The sign-up sheet for March and April are in the Narthex. Anyone interested in volunteering for fellowship coffee is welcome to sign their names to the schedule.

<u>Upper Rooms</u>: The March/April Upper Rooms have arrived. Each copy is \$2.00 each and available in the office.