



PEACE UNITED CHURCH

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Peace News
September 15, 2022

Dear Friends

Thank you to everyone who contributed to making Sunday a day of fellowship and church community as we formalized our new(ish) relationship and entered September with excitement and hope. Gardens and fields are showing signs of the arriving Fall and our Peace Board met on Tuesday night after a two-month hiatus.

The world has changed a lot over the last twelve years; the world has changed a lot in the last two years. Who are we as a congregation? What do we like doing? What are we good at? What is our role in Plattsville and in the surrounding communities in 2022, in 2025, and 2030? Where do we see ourselves headed as a congregation? These are some of the questions that we've started batting about and need to explore as a congregation this year.

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Rev. Jennifer will be in the Church office this week on Thursday, September 22 and Friday, September 23 between 10 am and 1 pm; or by appointment.



TUESDAYS AT 2 IS BACK!

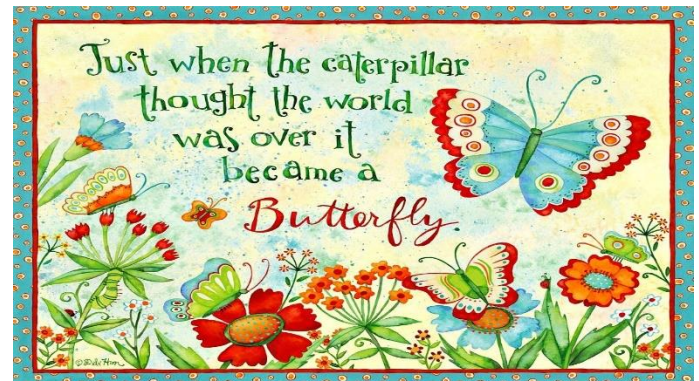
Join us on Tuesday at 2 for refreshments and fellowship. Everyone is welcome!

WELCOME BACK PEACE KIDS!

We look forward to seeing our young people at church again. Each Sunday at 10:00 am, join us as we launch our NEW program. We are very excited to share it with you! There will be games, stories, movies, crafts and even some adventures as we all grow in spiritual education! Hope to see you there!



We are still looking for more teachers for Peace Kids...if you can volunteer once in a while, please let Lisa or Debbie know. Thank you!



Do you have dreams for our community and the future? Do you want to influence how we go about exploring these questions and others? Then please speak to me about joining our Future Visioning Steering Committee (name to be determined 😊). We need

people who are willing to think outside the box to help lead and facilitate conversations that will ground us in who we are so that we can embrace our call to be the church in this time and this place. Please consider joining me and the team!

Have a great week! Jennifer



BEV POLL

Bev Poll passed away on Thursday, September 1. We remembered Bev at the service last Sunday.



THINKING OF DONNA AND ELMER

Donna Harrison is recovering from hip surgery after a recent fall. She is at Woodstock Hospital, 310 Juliana Drive, Room # M320, Woodstock, ON N4V 0A4.

Elmer Baer is at Lanark Place, Room 50, 44 Lanark Crescent, Kitchener, ON N2N 2Z8. His phone # is 519.884.3458.

There are labels printed in the narthex for Donna and Elmer should you wish to send cards. 😊

VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE

Here's the schedule till the end of September. To welcome members and visitors, both greeters should be at the main entrance. One greeter will operate the lift and the other will provide information and direction. Darlene is working on the schedule if you would like to get involved. Contact her at fifthtraditionpeace@gmail.com.

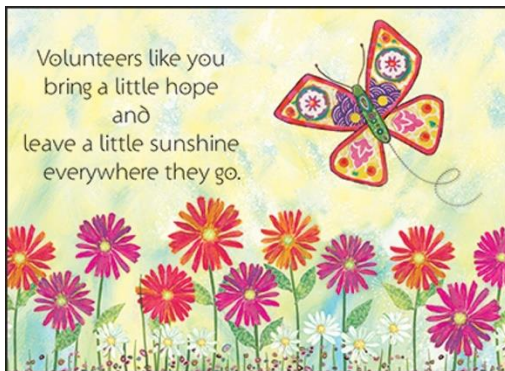
Date	Greeting	Greeting	Counting	Counting
18-Sep	Maggie	Ian	Ferne	Maryann
25-Sep	Ron	Marion	Marg H	Shirley

PULLED PORK TAKE-OUT DINNER

Our Pulled Pork Take-out Dinner is scheduled for

Saturday, September 17. Drive-Thru (enter off Mill

Street and exit to Samuel Street) between 4:30 and 6:00 pm. Special thanks to Dan Glendinning for providing the pork and everyone who helped make this fundraiser possible.



TICKETS NOW AVAILABLE FOR DINNER THEATRE!



The Play: "Casting Swine Before Pearls"

TICKETS ARE NOW AVAILABLE \$35 EACH

Reserve your seat with Shelley at saj@execulink.com or 519.572.3168. Be sure to include # of tickets required, show date and any dietary restrictions.

3 "In Person Dinner Theatre" Shows

- Friday, November 4**
6 p.m. supper, 7 p.m. show
- Saturday, November 5**
6 p.m. supper, 7 p.m. show
- Sunday, November 6**
Noon meal, 1 p.m. show



"Watch at Home" Option

Saturday Nov 19/22 - You will receive a link to watch the show in the comfort of your own home. A "HEAT & EAT" meal can be picked up at the church between 1 and 4 p.m. that day!

Here's a synopsis of the play:



The leaders of a small rural church are ecstatic when told the church may receive \$6 million. Long time church member Chance McDermott has passed away and left

his fortune to the congregation. But there is one interesting caveat: they must care for his three prized hogs...immediately! Join us for the fun 24 hr journey of "Casting Swine Before Pearls"!

SUNDAES ON WEDNESDAYS

Thanks to everyone who dropped in on Wednesdays for ice cream this summer! Special thanks to our many "scoopers" too!



PEACE NEWS

News and Announcements for next week's NEWS are due by Thursday, September 22 by 6 pm. Please call Denise at 519.535.1417 or email peaceplattsecretary@outlook.com with your news.



SAY CHEESE!



OUR NEW PHOTO DIRECTORY

Families who did purchase from IPC will have their orders mailed directly to their homes or emailed accordingly. I'm working on the directory!

A JOURNEY BACK TO THE 1920s, 1930s, 1940s

Only two weeks left! Saturdays 10 am – 4 pm or by Appointment (small and large groups welcome for private viewing) at the Plattville & District Heritage Society at Chesterfield (816661 Oxford Rd 22, Bright). Free admission, donations accepted for the continued work of the Society. For more information, call/text Denise at 519.535.1417.

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WHEN

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or by Appointment, we welcome groups (small or large) for private viewing

WHERE

The Plattville & District Heritage Society at Chesterfield

816661 Oxford Rd 22, two roads north of Bright

FEATURING • The Roaring Twenties • The Dirty Thirties • The Great Depression • The War Years • Fashion • Foods • Inventions • Games & Toys • Snacks & Refreshments •

[FACEBOOK.COM/
THEPLATTVILLEDISTRICTHERITAGESOCIETY](https://www.facebook.com/theplattvilledistrictheritagesociety)

WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU!

ALL AGES EVENT

FREE ADMISSION

Donations welcome to continue the work of the Society (Charitable Tax Receipts available)



FOR MORE INFORMATION

Call/text Denise at 519.535.1417 or message us on FACEBOOK



At-A-Glance

OXFORD CONNECTIONS

Click here for the [September 6, 2022](#) news and views from Oxford County churches.

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA E-SENTIALS



E-ssentials

Here's the link to the Newsletter for **September 13, 2022**

[View the Newsletter here](#)

ANTLER RIVER WATERSHED NEWS



ARWRC

ANTLER RIVER WATERSHED REGIONAL COUNCIL
Holding and Encouraging Communities of Faith
www.arwrcucc.ca

Here's the link to the latest Antler River Newsletter:
[Almost-September Newsletter \(ARW\) \(mailchi.mp\)](#)

WILMOT ANNUAL POOR BOYS LUNCHEON

28th Annual fundraiser for the Wilmot Family Resource Centre. Thursday, September 22 at the New Hamburg Community Centre, 251 Jacob St.

Tickets \$10/single | \$35/family of 4

Lunch: 11:30 to 1:30 pm and Dinner: 4:30 to 6:30 pm

For more information call 519.662.2731;

email info@wilmotfamilyresourcecentre.ca or

or visit www.wilmotfamilyresourcecentre.ca

OURS COMMITTEE INVITATION

Sunday, September 25 at St. David's United Church, 10:30 am service followed by a baked potato luncheon in Kirk Hall – a chance to meet Bisrat Yemane, their sponsored refugee originally from Eritrea, now living in London. Please register your attendance with Carol Ewing at 519.537.7462. Proceeds go to our Refugee Sponsorship Fund.