

Greeter Sheets.... if you could help out with greeting please sign the sheet at the back of the church.

Sharing Table is now downstairs...please deposit or take what you wish.

ENEWS: If you would like to be sent emails, please fill out the form at the back of the church.

Food Bank: This week we are collecting paper items or anything else would be greatly appreciated.

Hamilton Conference Prayer Cycle:

As a church we are called to pray for each other and our mission in the world.

This week keep in prayer our brothers and sisters at

Caistorville, Merritts, Sinclairville United Churches in Erie Presbytery.



Welcome To Pine River United Church



Oct. 15th, 2017

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*A warm welcome to Pine River United Church.
May this time of worship offer you
strength for the week ahead.*

* INDICATES AN INVITATION TO RISE IN BODY OR IN SPIRIT.
CONGREGATION MAY RESPOND WITH THE PARTS PRINTED IN
BOLD.

*We acknowledge that we gather here on traditional
Saugeen Ojibway territory. We give thanks for the
stewardship of the land by the indigenous peoples of
Canada through the ages.*

GATHERING

WELCOME AND GREETING

THE GRACE OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST,
THE LOVE OF GOD AND THE COMPANIONSHIP OF
THE HOLY SPIRIT BE WITH YOU ALL.

And also with you.

* OPENING HYMN: "LET ALL THINGS NOW LIVING"
VU # 242

CALL TO WORSHIP:

THE BANQUET IS PREPARED:
LOVE IS SEATED WITH JUSTICE;
PEACE AWAITS WITH HOPE.

**Fill us with good things, Holy One,
that we may live for your Way.**

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OPENING PRAYER: (IN UNISON)

**Loving God, we gather as guests at your
banquet eager to worship you and give
thanks for our lives of abundance. Hear
our prayers, accept our gratitude and show
us how to share our blessings of love,**

Announcements

**Oct. 17th, Tuesday: 4:00 p.m. Worship Meeting
6:30 p.m. Official Board Meeting**

Note: Official Board meetings are open to anyone who is
interested in attending.

Oct. 18th: Wednesday at 9:30 a.m. "Rose Program"
Mission to Nicaragua with Guest speakers Joy and Peter
King. Please see poster on bulletin board. All welcome.

Oct. 19th: Thursday morning, Morning Break, 9:30 a.m.

Oct. 20th: Men's Coffee Group, at 9:30 a.m.

Oct. 26th, Thursday: at 6:30 p.m.

"Circle of Grace Drumming" at Pine River Church.

Oct. 28th Saturday: Bruce Presbytery Stewardship Day
9:30 am to 4:30 pm Sauble Beach United Church.

A practical workshop to learn how to Inspire, Invite and
thank your congregation! 8:45 to 9:30 am Coffee, tea, juice
and Muffins. \$ 20.00 Per Person (this fee includes Lunch)
One Free Copy of "Holy Currencies" will be given to each
congregation. Please go to the link below to respond:
<https://goo.gl/forms/f848CAtK6yv9mgw23> Remember
to answer all the questions

Oct. 28th: St. Andrews United Church Harvest Bazaar in Ripley
from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m Lunch available \$8.00 Adults,
\$3.00 child. Baking, preserves and crafts.

Nov. 12th, Sunday at 2:00 p.m. Rev. Vicki will be leading
worship at Trillium Court. Please come out and represent
our congregation by supporting this service.

Kountry Kitchen has some baby quilts or a queen size quilt
for sale, if interested please contact the office. 519-395-5371
Also downstairs is some preserves, Christmas cakes and
puddings for sale. Thanks again everyone.

Observer subscriptions are now due, \$25.00 for the year.
Please leave cheque in collection plate with "Observer"
written on it.

LORD'S PRAYER:

**Our father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come,
thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.**

**Give us this day our daily bread; and
forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive them that
trespass against us. And lead us
not into temptation, but deliver us from evil;
for thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory,
forever and ever. Amen**

*** HYMN: MORE VOICES "WHEREVER YOU MAY GO"
MV # 216**

*** BLESSING AND SENDING FORTH:**

MAY YOU BE BLESSED AS YOU GO INTO THE WORLD.

INVITE ALL YOU MEET TO THE BANQUET.

WELCOME FRIENDS AND STRANGERS ALIKE TO

SHARE IN GOD'S KIN-DOM

WHERE LOVE IS SEATED WITH JUSTICE

AND PEACE LIVES WITH HOPE. AMEN.

**FINAL CHORUS: MV # 216 "WHEREVER YOU MAY GO"
REFRAIN ONLY**

***Thank you to everyone who
assisted in the service today.***

***Please join us downstairs
fellowship and refreshments***



**Tonight..... Oct. 15th at 7:30 p.m. Iona Service of
Prayers for Healing at Kincardine United Church..**
Join us for this special, intimate and contemplative
service in the Iona tradition. Too often in our living

we struggle with woundedness – whether of the body, of the
mind or of the spirit. Come and discover a place of healing for
your soul rooted in Gord Dunbar's sabbatical experience on the
Scottish island of Iona where Celtic Christianity flourishes..

**justice, peace and hope so that all people,
in all places and in all circumstances may
gather at your banquet with us. Amen.**

ANTHEM

WORD

**SCRIPTURE READING: LUKE 14: 12-24 GENE GILLESPIE
"ROOM AT THE TABLE"**

**GROWING WITH GOD: (AT THE SOUND OF THE "RAIN STICK",
ANY YOUTH ARE INVITED TO COME FORWARD)**

*** HYMN: "PRAISE OUR MAKER" VU # 316**

REFLECTION: "INVITED TO THE BANQUET"

*** HYMN: MORE VOICES "DEEP IN OUR HEARTS"
MV # 154**

OUR RESPONSE TO THE WORD

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

*** OFFERING HYMN: "GRANT US, GOD, THE GRACE"
VU # 540**

*** PRAYER OF DEDICATION (IN UNISON)**

**With all that we have,
with all that we are,
we come to you,
God Most Holy –
knowing that all of it
is blessed by your love!**

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