

**Cambridge Street United Church**

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**SUNDAY, JANUARY 20, 2008**  
**WELCOME TO CAMBRIDGE STREET UNITED CHURCH**  
*"A caring and loving family"*

*Welcome to the care and fellowship of Cambridge St. United Church, especially if you are a newcomer or visitor. Please introduce yourself to one of the ushers so that we may help you feel at home.*

Office hours: Monday to Friday, 8:30 a.m - 12 noon & 1-4:30 p.m.

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**TRANSPORTATION** - If you require a drive to the Sunday morning worship service, call the Church on Sundays before 10:00 a.m. (please, do not leave messages on the answering machine).

## THE LIFE AND WORK OF CAMBRIDGE ST. UNITED CHURCH

### MONDAY, January 21

9:30 a.m. - Moms & Tots - Lower Hall  
5:00 p.m. - 1<sup>st</sup> Sparks - Lower Hall  
6:45 p.m. - 1<sup>st</sup> Scouts - Gym  
7:00 p.m. - Amnesty International - CGIT Room

### TUESDAY, January 22

12:00 noon - Walter Auld Fellowship Luncheon - Gym  
4:00 p.m. - Visitation Exec. Meeting - Parlour  
6:30 p.m. - 1<sup>st</sup> Beavers - Gym  
6:30 p.m. - 6<sup>th</sup> Brownies - Lower Hall  
7:30 p.m. - Kawartha Male Chorus - Choir Room  
7:30 p.m. - UCW Rebekah Unit - Parlour

### WEDNESDAY, January 23

1:30 p.m. - Bridge Group - Lower Hall  
6:00 p.m. - 3<sup>rd</sup> Sparks - Lower Hall  
6:30 p.m. - 1<sup>st</sup> Cubs - CGIT Room  
7:00 p.m. - UCW General Meeting & Desserts - Gym  
7:15 p.m. - Bellchoir - Choir Room

### THURSDAY, January 24

1:00 p.m. - Quilting & Crochet Group - Lower Hall  
4:30 p.m. - Voices of Victory - Sanctuary  
6:00 p.m. - Special Olympics Floor Hockey - Gym  
7:00 p.m. - Cambridge St. Singers - Sanctuary

### NEXT SUNDAY, January 27

8:45 a.m. - Seekers  
9:45 a.m. - Cherub Choir rehearsal  
10:30 a.m. - Worship Service - Installation of UCW Officers  
11:30 a.m. - Fellowship time in Cambridge  
1:30 p.m. - Prayer Shawl Knitting Circle

## **ANNUAL MEETING AND LUNCHEON** **SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 2008**

The Congregation Committee asks you to mark your calender for the church's Annual Meeting on Sunday, Feb 3<sup>rd</sup>.

Also they invite you to participate in the Annual Meeting Pot-Luck Luncheon, right after the morning service on Feb. 3. You are asked to bring sandwiches or a dessert to share, enough to feed your family. Please bring these to the kitchen before the service on Feb. 3. See you on then, wearing a smile and your name tag.

## **U.C.W. ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

Wednesday, January 23, 2008

Please join us at 7:00 pm in Cambridge Hall gymnasium  
for desserts and coffee.

The program for the evening will include Carol Bradford playing sing-along tunes from the  
1960's and 70's.

Annual General Meeting to follow. All ladies of the congregation are welcome.

**THE HEART OF CHRISTIANITY:** The Seekers (our Adult Education Study Group) are studying a book by Marcus Borg entitled, "*The Heart of Christianity*". They meet every Sunday at 8:45 a.m. to explore a new perspective on Christianity in today's world. Copies of the book are available. If interested, contact Dave Warren at 454-8220 or Jane O'Brien at 328-3592.

**UCW REBEKAH UNIT** will be held on Tues., Jan. 22 at 7:30 pm in the church parlour. Guest speaker will be Lisa Morasse and her subject will be Alzheimer's Disease. Everyone is welcome.

**2008 CHURCH OFFERING ENVELOPES** are available in the Bond St. hallway. If you are new to the church and would like Offering Envelopes for 2008, please contact the Church Office. This is an excellent time to consider using the monthly PAR (Pre-Authorized Remittance) system for your Church offerings starting in January 2008 - it means regular contributions throughout the year. Contact the Church office for details, or pick up a brochure on the table outside the church office.

### **MUSIC AT CAMBRIDGE ST.**

- Rehearsals for the musical "*Oh, Jonah*" begin Thursday, Jan. 31 from 4:00 - 4:45 pm. Anyone in Grades 4-8 is encouraged to join this "whale of a tale" to be presented on Mother's Day.
- Our Bellchoir is looking for one or two ringers to join them on Wednesday nights. No experience necessary, but do need to be able to read music.
- Noon Hour Concerts during Lent being Wednesday, Feb. 6 with the Downeyville Fiddlers.

***To the Glory of God  
the flowers in the sanctuary today are placed  
in loving memory of Archibald Walker  
husband and friend of Anna Walker  
who died on December 19, 1998***

**SHOPPING CARD FUND-RAISER** - Thank you to everyone who has supported this program so far. We have raised \$1,000 in a short period of time. We would like to encourage everyone to look at their weekly shopping habits and see where a shopping card would fit in. It is the regular, week to week shopping that our congregation does that will make this fund-raiser REALLY successful. For example: One family has looked at their grocery and gas budget for the month and is purchasing \$1,000 in cards to cover these expenditures. This isn't costing them anything and is raising \$30 for the church every month. Another member has prescriptions that cost around \$75 month. She has arranged to purchase \$100 in pharmacy cards every month to cover this as well as her other pharmacy needs. What can you do? Look at where you are shopping in town - Loblaws, Valu-Mart, National Grocers, Canadian Tire,

Shoppers Drug Mart, PharmaPlus (which also includes Heritage Pharmacy and Lindsay Medicare Pharmacy). Plan ahead and get cards to cover those purchases. Cards are available Thursdays 4:15 to 6:00 pm and Sundays before and after church. If everyone did a little, the results will be huge! Cheques and cash are accepted (cash preferred is possible). Thank you from VOV and UCW.

OFFICIAL BOARD – We are presently looking for someone who would be interested in becoming the new secretary for the Official Board. Board meetings are held the second Tuesday of each month and run from September to June. The meetings run approx. 2 ½ hours. 1 hour of this time is in committee meetings and the rest would be the Board meeting. Your responsibility would be to take the minutes only of the Board meeting, and then send them into the office for distribution. If you are interested in this position, please contact Brenda De Koker at 324-9410.

THANK YOU FOR CALLING - We appreciate you letting us know when a family member, or a friend, is ill at home, or in hospital.

FROZEN BEEF PIES - The U.C.W. are taking orders for beef pies: \$7.50 for large and \$3.00 for small. Sign-up sheets are posted on the Bond St. entrance bulletin board. The deadline for orders is Monday, Feb. 11. Help is needed making the pies on Thursday, Feb. 14 at 9:00 am (cooking the beef) and Friday, Feb. 15 at 9:00 am (assembling the pies). Please see the sign-up sheets on the Bond St. entrance bulletin board or call the church office.

CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS - Thank you to all of those who helped decorate the sanctuary for the Christmas season and to those who were able to take them down last Sunday. Have a healthy and happy 2008. – Roberta Morasse

2007 ANNUAL REPORTS - Help is needed putting the Annual Report together on Friday, Jan. 25<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 am. If you can spare an hour or two, please call the Church Office at 324-3547. Thank you.

THE WALTER AULD FELLOWSHIP will gather in the Cambridge Hall gymnasium on Tuesday, January 22<sup>nd</sup> at 12 noon. All seniors are invited to come and share a delicious meal and fellowship. Convenors are Dorothy & Bryce Butler.

THE UPPER ROOM (daily devotional guides) for January/February 2008 are available for pick-up from the bookracks leading up to the sanctuary, or from the church office. \$2.00 for large print and .60¢ for regular print.

FRUIT PIES! FRUIT PIES! FRUIT PIES! - The Cambridge St. Bell Choir is selling fruit pies as a fund-raiser for their trip to London, Ont., in July to the Canadian Wide Bell Conference. We are selling Apple Crumble, Blueberry Crumble and Cherry Crumble pies - yummy!! and they are ONLY \$7.50. Orders will be accepted on the Bond St. bulletin board until Sunday Feb 2. Sign up soon as there are only a limited number of the apple! We will have the frozen pies available for pick up by March 2nd. For further information: contact Cathy Puffer or Linda Todd

THEOLOGY AT THE MOVIES - Friday Feb.8<sup>th</sup> @ 6.15 pm: Come and join the "Seekers" as we share a light supper of pizza, salad, and cookies with juice or coffee and then watch a movie which we later discuss. Our movie this time will be "Simon Birch" adapted from an excellent book called "A Prayer for Owen Meany" which some will have read, a touching, often humorous, story of fate, faith and friendship. Lots to enjoy and discuss regarding the themes of family,

dealing with the loss of a loved one, living with physical disabilities, and of trusting in God's purpose for each one of us.

THE LUNCH BUNCH are meeting at 12:00 noon today at the Bonfire Restaurant for good food and fellowship with your church friends. The Lunch Bunch meet the third Sunday of each month. Everyone is invited to join in. For further information please contact Geri Murphy at 324-4093.

FROM THE PARISH NURSE - There has been a need for visitation to some individuals who do not speak or understand English very well. If you could help with translation, could you please give me your name, phone number and the languages you could translate. Currently if we could invite the assistance of someone who speaks Finnish we would be grateful. This information can be left at the office, or with the Parish Nurse. Thank you in advance. Our next Information Night will deal with Diabetes. The date has yet to be decided. Helpful information that I want to pass on: Axis Pharmacy on Kent St. is connected with the Canadian Diabetes Assoc. They have volunteers Mon-Fri, 10am-3pm, free brochures, a lending library and they sell resources. Make use of this wonderful service. My office hours are Wednesday mornings 8:30 am - 12 noon, with Visitation from 1:00 - 4:30 pm, other times by appointment. Next Blood Pressure Clinic: Sunday, February 7, following the morning service in Cambridge Hall gymnasium. Those with drivers, please inform them that you need to be picked up 20 minutes later.