

THE SUNDAY NEWS

June 5, 2016



The Foodgrains Bank Field Dedication will be on Wed June 22 at 7:30 pm at the corner of 4th Line East and Wellington County Road 21. Afterwards: strawberries and ice cream at Jean Goodwin's - 7219 Wellington County Road 21

An exciting EUC **Oktoberfest fund-raising Dinner and Raffle** event is planned for the community on Saturday, September 17, 2016 at the Elora Community Centre. We are counting on the generosity and help of our church family and friends. *The goal is to have volunteers for the dinner and raffle signed up before the end of June.*



Please help reach this goal by signing up in the Welcome centre to help with dinner, desserts or the Raffle. Danke schön!

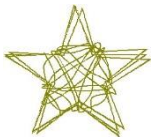
Special Gifts

The Elora Board will be considering grants from our **Special Gifts Fund** at its meeting on June 14. It invites proposals under the following areas: Education (\$335 available), Community Outreach (\$335), and Projects of the United Church of Canada (\$335). Copies of the fund policy and application forms are available at the picnic today, as well as from the church office.

Camp EDGE Summer Kids Camp 2016 is **Tuesday, July 5 – Friday, July 8** in the mornings. Please see the display in the Welcome Centre at Elora United or www.elorauc.org for registrations forms. There are **lots of ways for adults to be a part of this ministry.**



Please speak with Barb (home # 519-846-2542, barb_sy@sympatico.ca). Please consider supporting this wonderful outreach ministry by **giving a donation** into the pink sand pail on the table in the Welcome Centre or designating *Kids Camp* on a cheque. Thank you.



Craft Supplies for Camp Edge Needed are: craft sticks (popsicle stick size); small boxes (6" x 6" or smaller) we'll be using the boxes without lids or with the lids cut off; tacky glue; craft wire (20 or 24 gauge); star-shaped cookie cutters (we can hopefully return those to you); glitter glue or shiny tape; magazines with colourful pictures; fabric pens; about 20 large marbles; large box lids such as those on a box of computer paper or a clean pizza box; acrylic paint; small wooden beads (the size of pony beads); hemp or similar cording for knotted bracelets; colourful yarn – variegated is best. Please leave supplies in the designated bins downstairs.



Elora UC is still in need of grass cutters. You would cut 4-5 times during the season. This could be part of high school community service hours. If you can help, please call the church office 519.846.0122 or email us at elorabethanyuc@bellnet.ca

Our Elora-Bethany Pastoral Charge is seeking someone for the position of office administrator to start Sept 8, 2016. Please see the bulletin board or the Pastoral Charge website (elorabethanyuc.org) for details and pass the word on to anyone who might be qualified.



Looking Ahead

Mon	1 pm	Quilters
Thurs	7 pm	Elora Adult choir at Melville United Church
	8:30 pm	Praise Team at Melville United Church
next Sun	11 am	United Church 91 st Anniversary celebration worship at Melville United Church

In the Community

Thurs. June 9, at 7 pm. Fundraising Concert featuring the No Name Band, Hayes Sisters, Solberg & friends at **Knox Elora Presbyterian Church**. Freewill offering. Money received will go to PAN MISSIONS, Guelph. PAN (Presbyterians Aiding Nicaraguans) works with the poor in Nicaragua teaching skills and enabling the people to provide for themselves.

Saturday June 11th will see a unique community event at Belwood Hall, Queen Street in Belwood. This will be a **Yard Sale + Plus!** With a yard sale plus a treasure sale, boutique items, quilt draw, refreshments, bake table, a silent auction, live music, and a balloon artist to entertain the children. Starting at 8 a.m. and going on until 2:30 p.m. Come meet St. John's United Church in Belwood! For more information call 226-486-1040.

Alma United Church's Strawberry Social is **Tuesday, June 21** at ALMA COMMUNITY CENTRE. Once again, the Alma-Goldstone congregations will be serving up old fashioned ham, potato salad, jellied salads, coleslaw, devilled eggs and, of course, for dessert farm fresh strawberries, homemade tarts and cakes. Adults are \$15 and children \$5. For more info, call 519-846-5481.

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MINISTERS: All the Congregation
Ordained Minister: Greg Smith-Young
Minister for Children and Youth: Barb Smith-Young
Music Coordinator: Betty Weinstein

Office Hours: Rev. Greg Smith-Young is usually in the office Tues-Fri mornings.
Contact Barb Smith-Young via the office or at 519-846-2542
Administrator Judy McMullan is in the office Thurs & Fri 10 to 4:30 from Sept to June