

THE SUNDAY NEWS

November 12, 2017

When have you 'stepped out' of your comfort zone? Was it taking a new job? Moving? A change in life circumstances? Helping someone? Was it by choice, or were you forced to? At the time, could you see God in it? Thinking back, can you see how God was in it? This December, our Advent theme is "stepping into the waves." We'd love to include your "snapshots" of these experiences in the service, something you could share for about 2 minutes. Please tell Greg your stories.



Potluck and Praise, Tonight, Sunday, November 12 at the Weavers' home. Come enjoy potluck supper with others at **6 pm**. Join us at 7 pm for an informal worship time with music and scripture. The Weavers live at 31 Emily St. N. Elora. All ages welcome. For more info connect with the Amy, Ryan, Emily, Jamie Weaver at 519-846-0598 or Barb Smith-Young 519-846-2542.

Praise



Music Night at Bethany UC, November 18th at 7:30pm. Come hear the No Name Band and the Hayes Sisters perform. Freewill Offering. Light Refreshments.



The Elora United Church Women's Annual Bake and Craft Sale

will be **Saturday November 25th from 9 am to 1 pm.** Come and search through the treasures in **Grandma's Attic.** Handmade **crafts** make thoughtful gifts for your loved ones. Special treasures will be in the **Silent Auction.** Take a break with a **muffin** and coffee or have a full **soup and sandwich** lunch. Finish up by taking home baked **goodies.**



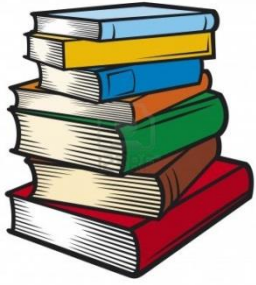
**BAKE
SALE**

- ☞ The UCW is collecting items for the **Grandma's Attic** sale. Items for the Grandma's Attic Sale may be left in containers in the Welcome Centre or dropped off at the church on **Friday Fri Nov 24th between 4:00 and 6:30 pm.** Please no Grandma's attic items on Saturday morning during the sale.
- ☞ We also need **donations of baking** and we appreciate **crafts**, as well. Please bring baking in on Saturday morning.
- ☞ We are also looking for **VOLUNTEERS** to help with **setup on Friday** and **VOLUNTEERS** to **help on Saturday** and **Sunday.** Please contact Phyllis Waind (519-846-9936) if you can lend a hand.



Snowflake Craft Sale, Sat Nov 18th 9am – 1pm at Knox-Elora Presbyterian Church. Handmade crafts, homemade baked goods, white elephant and silent auction. Lunch available. Still room for more Vendors, call 519-846-0680 or 519-846-8061.





Families at EUC, we have **new books in our Children's Worship Library**. All resources are free for you to borrow and take home (see sign out instructions on the library cart).
 "The Peace Book" by Todd Parr. A fun picture book to help your child understand peace.
 "The Family Book" by Todd Parr. A picture book that shows how all families are different and all are full of love.
 "God Gave us Heaven" by Lisa Tawn Bergren. A beautiful story of Mamma and Pappa bear helping their little bear to understand death.
 Take a look through our various resources and enjoy!



Come and celebrate St. Andrew's Day, Friday Nov 24th at 7:00pm at Knox Presbyterian Church. An evening of Scottish entertainment (piping, dancing, singing) followed by an array of Scottish Desserts. Tickets: Adults \$15, Children 8 & under \$7. For more info call 519-846-0680.



Responding to the Rohingya Crisis



The United Church is accepting donations to help Mission & Service partners provide relief to the Rohingya people fleeing Myanmar. The Canadian government is matching eligible donations designated for responding to needs of the Rohingya people until November 28. Please include the displaced Rohingya people in your prayers. **Donations can be made:**

Online: at www.united-church.ca/social-action/act-now/rohingya-crisis

Phone: 416-231-5931 or toll-free 1-800-268-3781 ext. 2738 and use your Visa or MasterCard.

Send a cheque, money order, or Visa or MasterCard information with donation amount to:

The United Church of Canada
 Philanthropy Unit - Emergency Response
 3250 Bloor Street West, Suite 200
 Toronto, ON M8X 2Y4

Please be sure to note "Emergency Response—Rohingya" on the face of your cheque.

Looking Ahead

Sun	6:00pm	Potluck & Praise – at the Weavers' home
Mon	1:00pm	Quilters
Mon	5:00pm	Bethany UCW Potluck Dinner – Hosted by Pat & George Davies
Tue	6:30-9:00pm	Elora MR Board Meeting
Wed	2:00-4:00pm	The Reconciliation Journey: A Learning Circle –
Thu	1:30pm	Elora UCW- BR
Sat Nov 18	7:30pm	Music Night at Bethany UC
Sun Nov 19	6:30-7:30pm	Grade 3-6 Youth Group meeting at Elora UC
Tue Nov 21	7:30pm	Bethany Board Meeting
Sat Nov 25	9:00-1:00pm	Elora UCW Craft and Bake Sale – FH
Sat Nov 25	6:00pm	Elora Santa Claus Parade - EUC/MUC Youth partner with Centre Wellington Food Bank to collect food in the parade

In the Community

Christmas Book Sale, Nov 17th 3pm to 8pm & Nov 18th 10am to 2pm at the **Elora Festival Singers Book Depot** 380 St. Andrews St. W., Fergus, Side Entrance. Gently used and reasonably priced fiction for adults and children.

