

# THE SUNDAY NEWS

March 17, 2019



**SAVE THE DATE: The EUC Fish Fry** is coming up on **Good Friday, April 19, 2019**, at the Elora Community Centre. This is a great event, with Silent Auction crafts and services donated by members of EUC, and a wonderful Georgian Bay fish fry dinner run by all of us as volunteers. Sign-up sheets for volunteers and donation forms for the Share Your Flair Silent Auction hand-crafts and services can be found in the Welcome Centre. Tickets are available at Santé, Wreckless Eric's, and in the church office. Help us make this event a success, please spread the word among family, friends and neighbours!

"Church  
Lady" Pies

Silent auction  
for awesome  
hand-crafted items

**Continues this Thursday...**

**Journey Through the Desert with Purpose**

**Thursday mornings 10:00-11:30am March 14 – April 18**

Donna Mann invites you to the Bissell Room for a time of Collaborative and Personal Reflection.



**Cultivate Worship, TODAY, Mar 17<sup>th</sup>, 7:00-8:30pm**

Grace Christian Fellowship 35 Farley Rd, Fergus (Beatty Line). Join with 5 different Centre Wellington congregations to worship God. We believe God has made us one, because we all belong to Jesus. We ask God to make that unity alive and visible in us together. (Greg is on the leadership team for this event.)

**From Criminalization to Inclusion: The Unfolding Story of LGBTQ Inclusion**  
**Thursday, March 21<sup>st</sup> at 7:00pm at Elora United Church**

**Hosted by Generous Space Fergus/Elora ([generousspace.ca](http://generousspace.ca))**

Bruce Walker is an advocate, lawyer and blogger who has traced homophobia from its origins, through European criminal law to the present, including the impact on indigenous societies in Canada. The criminal law has been the cornerstone of oppression of sexual minorities. This theme is brought forward through partial decriminalization of homosexuality in 1969, the Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms in 1985, and the Apology in the House of Commons in 2017.

## **Support Group for Those Who Have Experienced Loss**

8 week session starting March 21, 1pm-3pm

Melville United Church, 300 St. Andrew St., Fergus

## **Support Group for MEN Who Have Experienced Loss**

8 week session starting March 21, 7pm-9pm

Melville United Church, 300 St. Andrew St., Fergus

**For both groups...** Facilitators Bill and Sharon Chapman, who have years of experience dealing with grief, trauma and family counselling, will walk with you along with the other group members to discover a path to healing.

Connect with Lucy at the Upper Grand Family Health Team before March 20<sup>th</sup> for more info or to sign up: 519-843-3947 ext. 126

## **Saturday, March 30 7:30, EUC Variety Night at Elora United Church**

Come out for an evening of entertainment and fun with different acts making up the show

Care to recite some prose? Have you got a song and dance act?

Can you juggle (well)?

Want to be a part of it? See Betty Weinstein for more details

Freewill offering



**Summer Overnight Camps** are a great opportunity to make new friends, grow in faith, learn new skills and have lots of fun!! Many children and youth from our church family attend **Silver Lake Camp**, near Kincardine ([silverlakecamp.ca](http://silverlakecamp.ca)). Some of our youth are staff there! **Camp Bimini** is also close by, near Stratford ([cambimini.ca](http://cambimini.ca)) Registration for both camps (and others in southern Ontario) is open.

## **Looking Ahead**

Sun	7:00-8:30pm	Cultivate Worship – Grace Fellowship
Mon	1:00pm	Quilters – BR
Thu	10:00-11:30am	Journey Through The Desert With Purpose - BR
Thu	7:00pm	EUC Adult Choir Practice – BR
Thu	7:00pm	Generous Space Event - SANC
Sun, Mar 24	6:30-7:30pm	Gr. 3 - 8 Youth Group (Elora UC)
Sat, Mar 30	7:30pm	EUC Variety Night – SANC
Fri, Apr 5	6:00pm	Community Dinner at Knox Presbyterian
Sun, Apr 7	6:30 – 8:00pm	Grade 7 - 12 Youth Group (Melville UC)
Fri Apr 19	4:30-7:00pm	Good Friday Fish Fry and Silent Auction at the Elora Community Centre
July 3 - 5	mornings	Galactic Blast Kids Camp at Elora UC

## **In the Community**

**Lenten Lunches, Tuesdays: March 19, 26, April 2 from noon – 1:00pm at Knox Presbyterian Church.** Tickets \$10.00, Reserve: 519-846-0680 or [knoxelora@wightman.ca](mailto:knoxelora@wightman.ca)

