

Announcements: Sunday, October 22nd, 2017.

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Ministers: The people of the congregation

Order of Ministry: Peter C.

Office Administrator - D. D.

Office Hours - Monday to Friday 8am – 2pm



Pastoral Care: If you know someone who would like to receive a visit from Rev. Peter, please get permission and then let Peter know by phone (873-3089) or [email](#) Community is strengthened when we respectfully support each other.

Name Tags: An important part of being a welcoming community is to make it easy for newcomers to get information about us. One of those important pieces of information is your name. Please wear a name tag to strengthen the spirit of inclusion!

Observer Representative: Are you good at keeping lists and enthusiastic about sharing your interest in The United Church Observer. We are looking for an “Observer Representative” for Yellowknife United Church. If this is something you would like to do, please contact Sharon by [email](#).

Clothesline Thank you: Thank you to David & Norma J., Emery P., Sophie C. & Kelly H., and Lloyd & Marg H. our “Clothesline” volunteers for the month of September. If you would like to volunteer, please contact Marg H. or Terrilyn H..

Antipasto and Pepper Jelly: Mark your calendars! It's fall and the UCW, along with helpers from the congregation, will be making antipasto on October 30 and pepper jelly on November 13. which will then be ready for sale at our Christmas Tea and Bake Sale which will be held on November 25. The fun in the kitchen on Oct 30 and Nov 13 will begin at 6 pm. See you there.

If you are able donate any of the ingredients, please sign up on the fluorescent pink cardboard on the side bulletin board. All items must be brought to the church by Sunday, Oct. 29, so we can be ready to work on the Monday. The past few years we have found that people often prefer to make a donation towards the ingredients. If this is the case, please put your donation in an envelope marked for UCW and drop it in the offering plate or give it to a UCW member.

Post-Secondary Student Care Packages: Each year in the Fall and Spring, the Community Life and Membership Committee (CLAM) puts together small care packages for our post-secondary students who are away at school. The care packages are an opportunity to say “Yellowknife United Church is thinking about you!” and we try to time it so that the packages arrive just as students are beginning to write final exams and papers. If you have a post-secondary student away at school or if you know of someone who is away at school, please send the student's name and mailing address to [Sharon](#) by November 3rd.

Guess Who's Coming to Dinner? Save the date – ***Saturday, November 18th*** in the evening. This is a YKUC event sponsored by the Community Life and Membership Committee (CLAM). The committee will be looking for people willing to be hosts and those who would like to be guests. See the insert for more information.

Book Club: Our next meeting is on November 5 when we will be discussing “Man's Search for Meaning” by Viktor Frankl. This memoir has riveted generations of readers with its descriptions of life in Nazi death camps and its lessons for spiritual survival. The book is available at the public library and at the Yellowknife Book Cellar where copies are set aside under Barb P.'s name. We will meet after church on Nov. 5 at Javaroma. For more information contact Barb at 873-4314.

Christmas Bazaars: There will be two Christmas Bazaars being held at NUP on Nov. 18 and Dec. 2. These sales are sponsored by Stewardship and are part of our fundraising. The response from the public has been great and all the tables have been sold. Now we need your help to get the word out so tell your friends and put it on Twitter and Facebook.

<u>Offering:</u>	Last Sunday (including PAR average)	\$1502
	2017 Average Weekly	\$1965
	2017 Budget Target Weekly Objective	\$1798

Coffee in the Eighth Floor Lounge: Thursday mornings at 10:00 am in the Eighth Floor Lounge of Northern United Place. Everyone is welcome

Readings for next Sunday, October 29th, 2017

Proper 25/ Reformation Sunday

Deuteronomy 34:1-12; Psalm 90:1-6, 13-17

Leviticus 19:1-2, 15-18; Psalm 1

1 Thessalonians 2:1-8; Matthew 22:34-46

Northern Community Prayer Cycle:

This week – October 22nd : Ulukhaktok

Next week – October 29th : H. Beach

Ecumenical Prayer Cycle:

This week – October 22nd : The Caribbean: Antigua and Barbuda, Bahamas, Barbados, Cuba, Dominica, Dominican Republic, Grenada, Guyana, Haiti, Jamaica, Puerto Rico, St Kitts-Nevis, St Lucia, St Vincent and the Grenadines, Suriname, Trinidad and Tobago

Next week – October 29th : Canada, United States of America

Stewardship Seconds: Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost

When we are gone, what legacy will we leave? Will it be one of generous giving from God's abundance, or one of hoarding and fear?

Participating in today's Worship Service:

Opening Host:	Jeannette H.
Greeter:	Arlene C.
Reader:	Sharon C.
Candlelighter:	Kieran C.
Choir Director:	Elizabeth B.
Musician:	Sharon C.
Sunday School Teacher:	Sandy L.
Closing Host:	

Nations Uniting

Our gifts for Mission & Service support the journey toward reconciliation. Let us hear a story of one of our Mission & Service partners in Ohsweken, Ontario.

In the Six Nations First Nations community in southern Ontario sits a simple white building. For over five years Nations Uniting has offered a place of community and provided educational workshops to the surrounding communities on and off the reserve at various locations up and down the Grand River.

Healing Circles and Grandmothers' Teas are times of quiet sharing, with each person in the circle getting a chance to talk or ask questions and, most importantly, to respectfully listen to one another's stories of life. As people listen, they learn from one another.

Nations Uniting also uses the Blanket Exercise developed by KAIROS Canada to bring to life teachings and reflections of forgotten Canadian history.

The number of Sharing Circles is increasing as other churches hear about what Nations Uniting is doing and yearn to know more about their First Nations neighbours.

We sing thanksgiving for the programs of healing and reconciliation offered through the Mission & Service-supported ministry of Nations Uniting.

If Mission & Service is already a regular part of your giving, thank you so much! If you have not given for Mission & Service, please join me in making Mission & Service a regular part of your life of faith. In all our Mission & Service giving, with a willing heart, we sing thanksgiving to God!