

MIDHURST UNITED CHURCH NEWSLETTER

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WEEK OF JUNE 17-23, 2024



SUNDAY WORSHIP

Sunday, June 23, 2024

10:30 a.m. Worship Service

Followed by coffee and conversation.

Worship Leader - Rev. Dr. Judith Visser

Responsive Reading:
Psalm 9 (VU732-734)

Gospel Reading:
Luke 18:18-30



Image: Mo Willems - The Pigeon Finds a Hot Dog

Fifth Sunday Special Service - June 30

On Sunday, June 30th, we will have a special musical service outside (weather permitting.) Please bring a lawn chair or a blanket to sit on. We will sing gospel songs while enjoying God's beauty. There will be summer treats to enjoy throughout the service. If the weather does not hold up, we will hold the service inside. Please bring a favourite summer memory to share during the service. Hope to see (and hear) you there!

Shining Waters News



Report from MUC lay representative to Shining Waters Regional Council (SWRC) and General Council 44 Commissioner

General Council 45 will be held in-person in Calgary in August 2025. A general description of the commissioner's responsibility is available at :

<https://nakhaucc.ca/wp-content/uploads/2024/03/GC-45-Position-Description-Commissioner.pdf>. Each regional council will nominate a slate of commissioners. If you have an interest in governance and decision making in the United Church, I would encourage you to put your name forward.

Participating in General Council 44 enabled me to understand the larger context and challenges of the national United Church. If you have questions about how to get involved, I would be pleased to assist you in the process.

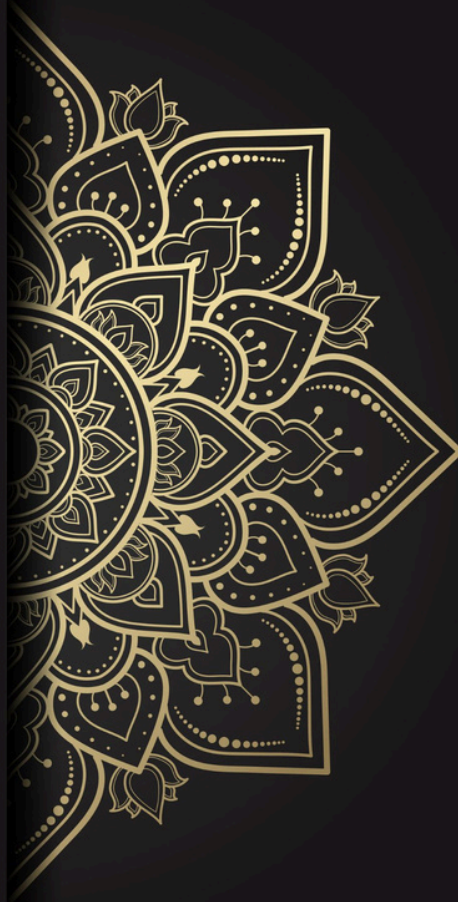
Submitted by Jeannette Schieck

Photo: Bill Lawrence

This is the third of three updates from our Shining Waters Regional Council Representative.



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From the “Gratitude Box”

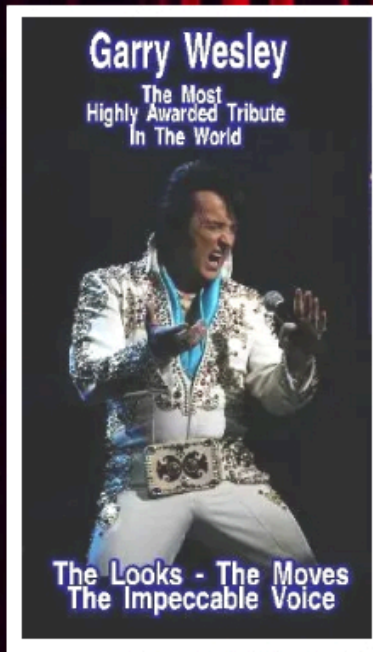
“On behalf of the congregation, I would like to thank Linda Collins for filling in for Chris, our music director. We all appreciated having someone play music when Chris was not available. Thank you, Linda! It was lovely.”

~ Anonymous

MIDHURST UNITED CHURCH PRESENTS:

ELVIS

WED.
AUG. 21
2024



*GOSPEL/POP
CONCERT!*

*ALL THE
GREATEST HITS.
PLUS YOUR
FAVOURITE
GOSPEL SONGS!*

7:00 PM

TICKETS \$25.00

PLEASE CONTACT THE OFFICE TO ARRANGE FOR TICKET PURCHASES

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We need help selling some tickets for this upcoming fundraiser. Please call Jean V at 705-721-7629 for your group of 10 tickets to try to sell over the summer closure. We only have a few weeks to sell them when we return in August, so any sales you can make in June and July would be greatly appreciated!

Family Games Day Update!

Our Family Games and Hot Dog Day was a success! Fun was had by all, playing games such as the cotton ball game! Thank you to everyone who participated. We are grateful to the Worship Committee, Judith, Jan Cox and everyone else who contributed to organizing the day! We are very blessed to have had so many people who helped to plan the games, pick up the supplies, make paper cranes, purchase prizes, set up, cook, serve and clean up! MUC has a wonderful family!

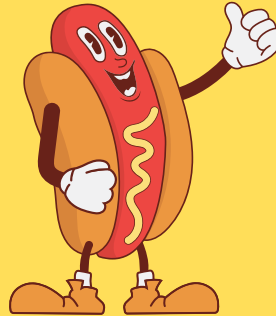


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