

Orchard Valley United Church

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Announcements for Sunday, October 7, 2018

Thank you to the following people for their participation:

9:00 am Worship:

Leader of Worship Rev Don Sellsted
Organist..... Dale Griffiths
Hospitality..... Edith Scaife & Friends
Projectionist..... Gary Dunfield

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KPPT Greeter Edna Roach
Greeter..... Carol Wooster
Announcements/Scripture Reader Faye Calder
Minute for Mission..... Judy Gilmour
Communion Servers..... John & Linda Foote, Betty Curry, Donna Murphy, Val Mosher
Hospitality..... Peggy Smith, Chris Seymour, Mary Marshall, Dale MacArthur
Tellers..... Marion Buchan, Andrea Purvis
Projectionist..... Andrea Purvis

Welcome all who worship with us today! Visitors are asked to sign our Guest Book. Please note that some staff, members and guests have serious allergies to scents; please do not wear ANY scented products into the church. Thank you.

Lectionary Readings for Sunday, Oct 7 – Job 1:1; 2:1–10, Psalm 26, Hebrews 1:1–4; 2:5–12, Mark 10:2–16.

FundScrip – The Men’s Group runs the “FundScrip” fundraising program. To obtain details on how the program works, please see one of the men at the back of the Sanctuary. Following are upcoming FundScrip order and delivery dates:

Order Dates	Delivery Dates
September 30	October 7
October 14	October 21
October 28	November 4

Food Bank Sunday – Sunday, October 7 is Food Bank Sunday. This month we are looking for cereal, canned meat or tuna, crackers and pasta. OVUC contributed 91 kg of food last month to the Fundy Food Bank. Keep up the good work, Orchard Valley!

Holy Communion, October 7 – The Sacrament of Holy Communion will be celebrated at the 11:00 am service on Thanksgiving Sunday, October 7, 2018.

Next Covenantor Meeting – Covenanter Committee will meet on Tuesday, October 9 at 10:00 am at OVUC.

Finance Committee – Finance Committee will meet on Wednesday, October 10 at 7:00 pm in the Sanctuary.

Senior Men's Luncheon – All men are most cordially invited to our next Senior Men's Luncheon at noon on Friday, October 12 at OVUC. Our speaker, well-known to many of us, is Maurice Tugwell who will tell us about his harrowing maritime adventure on the *S.V. Concordia*. Not to be missed. Cost \$5. Please contact Jim Dewar, Dave Murphy, Chris Seymour or Ian Godfrey for more information.

Celebration – We are celebrating the marriage of Wayne MacDonald and Thelma MacLeod with a little reception to be held on Sunday, October 14 at 3:00 pm at OVUC. Please join us in this celebration. Best wishes only.

Covenanting Service for the Rev Ivan Norton – Members of Orchard Valley Pastoral Charge are invited to the Covenanting Service on Sunday, October 14, 2018 at 3:00 pm at Emmanuel United Church, 30 Main St., Kingsport, for the Rev. Ivan Norton, the Cornwallis Pastoral Charge and the Valley Presbytery. The Rev. Tom Woods, Chair of Valley Presbytery, will preside. Special symbols will be presented by members of the Cornwallis Pastoral Charge to the Rev. Ivan Norton. All are welcome. Come and help celebrate this new pastoral relationship.

Anniversary Service OVUC – On October 21 (Anniversary Sunday) we will have one service only beginning at 10:00 am

JNAC – The Joint Needs Assessment Committee held its first meeting on Monday, October 1. Mindy Vinqvist-Tymchuk will serve as Chair and Nancy Handrigan as Secretary. The Committee would like to inform the congregation to expect to see a survey in the coming weeks to help assess the congregation's perceptions of staffing needs.

Stoves for Sale – 2 electric ranges for sale. Moffatt (newer) and Roper, four burners with lower drawer storage. \$100 each. See Property Committee (Norma Mailman or Helen Seymour).

Sunday School Juice – We were blessed last year to receive a large donation of apple juice for the Sunday School from Great Valley Juices/Lassonde. While they have again blessed us with two cases, this will not be enough to see our children through the church year. We are therefore requesting donations of a bottle of juice or a toonie that will go towards purchasing juice. Juice bottles may be left in the kitchen; toonies may be placed in the clear box on the table in the front foyer. Thank you from the Sunday School coordinators.

Tellers Wanted – Looking for tellers to count in 2019. It is our hope that folks only need to be available to count four times a year; however, that is determined by the number of volunteers we have. Please contact Theresa or Heather Bishop if you would like to participate.

Thanksgiving Offerings – Thanksgiving is fast approaching and with this comes time for all of us to keep others in mind who are not as fortunate. A letter will be coming to you from Rev Don, if you have not already received one, along with a special giving envelope. Please think prayerfully

as you make a donation to help carry on with the work of Orchard Valley United Church. Also note that other Thanksgiving envelopes will be available in our church sanctuary if you did not receive one in the mail.

Valley Foodgrains Bank Pumpkin Project – It is “Pumpkin time” in the Valley and a great opportunity for you to “Help End Global Hunger”, through the Canadian Foodgrains Bank. Thank you for assisting people in developing countries with projects to improve their living conditions and way of life. Donations are matched 4:1 by the Government agency CIDA. Remember to consider the pumpkins at the front of the church as well as those in the foyer when making your choice. Thanks.

This Week in the Orchard October 7 – October 13, 2018

Sun, Oct 7	7:30 am	Men’s Breakfast (Big Stop)
	9:00 am	1 st Worship Service
	11:00 am	2 nd Worship Service (Communion)
Mon, Oct 8	Closed	Stat Holiday
Tues, Oct 9	10:00 am	Covenanter Committee
Wed, Oct 10	10:00 am	Lectionary Group
	7:00 pm	Finance Committee
Thurs, Oct 11	9:00 am	Meet Your Feet Foot Clinic
	1:30 pm	Games Group
	7:00 pm	Choir Practice
Fri, Oct 12	8:00 am	Friday Women’s Breakfast Group
	12:00 pm	Senior Men’s Luncheon

Worship for Seniors October 2018

Fri, Oct 5	1:30 pm	Orchard Court Shannex, Kentville led by Andy Pitter
Sun, Oct 14	2:30 pm	Kings Riverside Court, Kentville led by Andy Pitter
Wed, Oct 24	10:15 am & 11:00 am	Wolfville Elms and Wolfville Nursing Home led by Pat Godfrey
Mon, Oct 29	10:30 am	Blomidon Court Shannex, Greenwich led by Stewardship Committee

Community Events

(please check the bulletin board for more information)

Roast Beef Dinner – Friday, October 12 from 5:00–7:00 pm, Wolfville Lions Hall, 36 Elms Ave. Dinner is a fundraiser by St. John’s Anglican Church, for L’Arche’s “Building Our Dream Campaign”.

Price is \$15 for adults and \$8 for children under 12. Tickets will **not** be sold at the door. All tickets must be pre-ordered by contacting Dale Hennigar at 902-681-7402.

Kings-Kikima Grannies Jewellery Sale – Saturday, October 13, 9:00 am–3:00 pm, Wolfville Lions Hall. “Great Christmas Gifts!” Also, hand-knitted hats, etc.

Port Williams Soup Lunch – Our “Harvest Home” Hamburger Soup/Corn Chowder Luncheon will be taking place on Wednesday, October 17th from 11:30am to 1:00pm at Port Williams United Baptist Church, Lockwood Hall. As always we will be providing delicious soups, fresh breads, decadent desserts, tea/coffee, all for \$8. per person.

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This week’s bulletin is sponsored
in loving memory of
Donald Craig
(1923 – 2011)
With love, Mary Craig