

Orchard Valley United Church

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Announcements for Sunday, July 7, 2019

Thank you to the following people for their participation:

9:30 am OVUC Worship:

Leader of Worship..... Rev Don Sellsted
Music Director / Organist Ken Hassell
Special Musical Guests..... Fred Lipskey & Chris Seymour
Announcements/Scripture Reader Jane McDonald
Tellers..... Sylvia Jacquard, Peggy Smith
Projectionist..... Sylvia Jacquard

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.

Summer Services – During each Sunday in July and August, there will be one service at 9:30 am at OVUC and one service at 11:00 am at the Covenanter Church in Grand Pré. Note – We will not have "coffee time" at OVUC. Lemonade on the Lawn will be offered after the 11:00 am service at Covenanter Church.

Summer Office Hours – The OVUC office will be closed on Mondays during July and August.

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
July 7	July 14
July 21	July 28

Men's Breakfast – The men of OVUC will meet at the Irving Big Stop on Sunday, July 7, at 7:45 am for Men's Breakfast. Come early to get the early bird special. All men of the congregation are welcome.

Food Bank Sunday – Sunday, July 7 is Food Bank Sunday. This month, the Fundy Food Bank needs personal hygiene products; for example, deodorant, shampoo, toothpaste, toothbrushes, disposal razors, soap, etc. All items are greatly appreciated. Thank you for your continued support.

European Bus Tour – Please consider joining the Churchills on a European Tour in the fall of 2020 through CAA. Please come along to an information evening on Wednesday, July 17 at 7:30 pm to Orchard Valley United Church without any obligation on your part. This tour is open to singles and couples. Rev Gloria and Len are planning an 11-day bus tour in Europe: 2 or 3 nights each in Prague, Budapest, and Vienna with an added bonus of 2 nights in Oberammergau, Germany, where we will have tickets to see the Passion Play which is only performed every 10 years. Len and Gloria saw it in 2010 and it was spectacular. For more details, Google "Passion Play Oberammergau". Please RSVP for this info session by contacting gloriachurchill@gmail.com or 902-252-8038.

Transportation Help Needed – This year our low income families will be attending only one day of Sherbrooke Lake's Family Camp. Drivers and vehicles are needed to transport families to and/or from the camp on Saturday, July 27, leaving 9:00 am and returning 8:00 pm. Go for the day yourself, go back and forth twice, or just go once. If you can help with this, please contact Andy Pitter (andriel_p@yahoo.ca; 902-542-1545).

Community Events

Changing Tides, Halifax Organ Festival – On the evening of Sunday, July 7, the Halifax Centre of the Royal Canadian College of Organists “raises the curtain” on a four-day assembly of organists and choir directors from across Canada and the US. This assembly is the annual Royal Canadian College of Organists’ National Organ Festival and Annual General Meeting. All recitals and major concerts will be open to members of the public and we cordially invite you to plan to attend some or all of these. Tickets are available through TicketHalifax or at the door of the church venue on the day/night of each performance. See the OVUC bulletin board for dates, times and locations of each performance.

Garden Tour – Saturday, July 13, 2:00–4:00 pm (rain date Sunday, July 14, same time slot). Where: Jubilee Mountain, 181 Thorpe Road, north of Lakeville (go north on Lamont Road off Hwy. 221, then left on Thorpe; first driveway at right). Tea/coffee/juice and cookies will be served. Admission is by freewill donation towards support of a Somali refugee family brought to Kentville last December by the Centreville Aldershot Refugee Sponsorship (CARS) Committee. Your host will be Anne van Arragon with help from CARS members. All plant and nature lovers are welcome!

North Grand Pre Community Church – This is a warm invitation for all to attend a worship service at the North Grand Pre Community Church on Sunday, July 14 at 7:30 pm. Rev. Tyrone McKenzie will be the guest speaker. Children and babies are most welcome to come. This historic country church was built in 1862 and is open to the public for daily visits. We hope you will join in worship on July 14.

Next Week’s Participants Sunday, July 14, 2019

9:30 am OVUC Worship:

Leader of Worship.....	Rev Don Sellsted
Music Director / Organist	Ken Hassell
Candles/Reader.....	Sheila Francis
Tellers.....	Heather Bishop, Andrea Purvis
Projectionist.....	Sylvia Jacquard

11:00 am Covenanter Worship:

Leader of Worship.....	Rev Don Sellsted
Organist	Carmen Peng
Greeter/Reader.....	Dorothy Robbins
Lemonade on the Lawn.....	tba
Tellers.....	Betty Curry & Friends

Happy Birthday & Happy Graduation

Portia Burton

with love from Grandma Dolores Burton