Okotoks United Church School Lunch Program

The School Lunch Program has made arrangements with the Okotoks Bottle Depot to have bottles donated to the program. If you are recycling your bottles and cans please consider directing funds to the Okotoks United Church School Lunch Program. Thank-you.



Healing Pathways Ministry

The Healing Pathways Ministry will provide sessions on the first and third Monday of each month from 1 to 4pm. Please contact Gisela Dyck at 403 938-2506.



New Blood Performance

What: Poetry, Song, Dance - Contemporary & Traditional

When: Friday, April 13, 2018 at 7:30 pm

Where: Foothills Mennonite Church - 2115 Urbana Road N.W., Calgary

Tickets: \$14 at bit.ly/New-Blood

For more information please see the poster on the bulletin board in the

Foyer.

Trinity Christian School Open House



Please join us at our OPEN HOUSE Tuesday, February 6th. 1:30 - 3pm and 6:30 - 8pm

295 Midpark Way S.E., Calgary

This is the OPEN HOUSE to attend if you are thinking of applying for:

Fall 2018: Grade 1 to 9 Fall 2019: Kindergarten

Meet our teachers and staff, Take a Tour Discover the Difference Trinity Christian School Can Make

Announcements Sunday, February 4, 2018

This Week...

Monday - Healing Pathways Ministry - 2nd Floor - 1:00- 4:00 pm

Monday - Book Club - Fireside Room - 7:00 - 8:30 pm

Thursday - Bible Study - Chapel - 10:00 - 11:30 am

Thursday - Choir - Sanctuary - 7:00 - 9:00 pm

Friday - Youth Group - 7:00 - 9:00

Food for Fun

Save the date for the next Food for Fun: Sunday, February 11th.

Thanks to all who signed up to provide the soup!

Okotoks Annual General Meeting

Sunday, February 25th following the service. Please set aside time to attend this special annual meeting of the congregation. All who attend OUC are encouraged to attend. Questions are welcome.

Annual reports will out soon.

DeWinton Annual General Meeting

Sunday, March 11th following the service. Pot luck lunch to follow. **Annual Reports out soon.**

Two books borrowed but not returned....

The Fourth Gospel by John Shelby Spong and Healing Touch The Church's Forgotten Language by Zach Thomas have been borrowed but not returned. If you could please return The Fourth Gospel book to Gisela Dyck and Healing Touch The Church's Forgotten Language book to the Church's library it would be greatly appreciated. Thank you.

Congregational Care Team

Reaching out, supporting, encouraging and compassionately caring for one another is part of being a faith community.

Sometimes, regardless of age or life stage, we all need help and support to get through life's challenges. And so, we serve one another through kindness, humility, patience and gentleness - always aware of God's great love. Our Congregational Care Team invites you to reach out for our confidential spiritual and compassionate care, contact okcongregationalcare@telus.net or contact the church office at 403 938-4357.

Upper Room

Copies of the January/February Upper Room are available on the literature table for \$3.00 each.

Bible Study

Join us on Thursdays from 10:00 - 11:30 a.m. No biblical knowledge required. All are welcome.

2018 Offering Envelopes

The 2018 offering envelopes are available for pick up from the literature table in the Foyer. If you are currently on the list for envelopes but no longer require them or would like to start using envelopes, please notify the office via email at okunited@telus.net as soon as possible. Thank you.

Reader's Digest Book

If you borrowed a Reader's Digest Christmas book recently, could you please return it as it is on loan to us and it is now due. Thank you.

Kids' Ministry

Just a reminder, children under the age of 4 need a parent/adult to join them up in our Sunday School. Thank-you for your cooperation.

Schedule for February

February 2 - Youth Group - Bowling with Candice

February 4 - 10 Commandments

February 11 - Intergenerational Service Transfiguration Sunday

February 18 - Godly Play

February 25 - Coat of Many Colours



It's Time to Sing!

We would love to have you come sing with us. Practices are held Thursday nights at 7:30 pm in the Sanctuary at the church. All are welcome, no matter your musical ability. We love to just have fun!



Images of Spirituality Women's Retreat - Entheos Retreat Centre (West of Calgary)

When: April 6th - 8th, 2018

Facilitator: Shirley Cunningham (author of Kissed by God: Holy Women

Create! and Chasing God.)
Worship Leader: Julia Kimmett

The annual **Images of Spirituality** gathering follows a long Christian tradition of "taking time away." It is an occasion for women to come and rest for a while in a quiet place away from their daily pre-occupations. In an atmosphere of openness, freedom and love, women gather to explore facets of spirituality, theology, and worship. Each participant has the opportunity to reflect on her own spiritual journey in order to return home rejuvenated by the weekend experience.

Please see http://www.imagesofspirituality.ca to register or for more information.