



Eblast for October 22, 2025

Please join us **SUNDAY** for In Person Worship



Autumn Ivy, Ogata Kenzan (after 1732)

Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost

Sunday, October 26, 2025

Holy Eucharist – 10:30AM

Presided by: The Rev. Brendon Bedford

The readings are: Joel 2:23-32; Psalm 65;
2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18; Luke 18:9-14.

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. **The Midweek Said BCP Eucharist is offered today** and every Wednesday, beginning at 12:00noon in the chapel. All are welcome.



2. **TODAY, Wednesday, October 22, 2025, the ongoing Bible Study, on the Letter of James, begins at 1pm, following the Midweek Eucharist.**

If you plan to come to both, consider bringing a lunch and a Bible with you (if you have one)– there will be time to grab a bite between the service and the Bible session. No registration or cost to this is required. Bibles can be supplied, if you don't have one.

3. **UPCOMING SPECIAL SERVICES AT CHRIST CHURCH, MEAFORD:**



† All Hallow's Eve Evening Prayer service will take place on Thursday, October 31st at 4:00PM, followed by a candy shellout.

† All Saints' Day, will be celebrated at Christ Church on Sunday, November 2nd at 10:30AM.

† All Souls' Day with the Blessing of the Graves will take place on Monday, November 3rd at Lakeview Cemetery at 10:30 AM. Those who have loved ones buried there may wish to join us.



Remembrance Sunday, November 9th will be an ecumenical prayer service @ Meaford Community Centre at 10:00AM. There will be no service at Christ Church that day. For more info, please see our poster following.



4. **IT'S HERE – DON'T MISS IT!** Our **COUNTRY KITCHEN & CRAFT SALE** is **THIS SATURDAY, OCTOBER 25TH FROM 10AM TO 1PM**. Items suggested are: pies, bread, GF baking, bake table, crafts, sewn & knitted items, etc. Please spread the word! Posters are available at the back of the church.

NEW THIS YEAR, a light lunch will be available for a freewill offering, in support of the Canadian Foodgrains Bank (working together to end global hunger). Our

poster follows.

Friday, October 24th is setup day. We will receive items for the sale in the Parish Hall from 10am to 3pm.

5. **This is the last week for the “Toonie Tree which sits at the back of the church.** This project is to collect funds during the month of October for the Canadian Foodgrains Bank. Your donation will bring hope and food to some of the thousands who will be impacted by the cutbacks in aid this year.

6. **Christ Church will be host to an important Community Town Hall on the subject of Human Trafficking Awareness. Put on by Grey-Bruce Community Safety and Well-Being Planning, the event takes place on Thursday, November 13, 2025 from 6:30-9:00 PM. All are welcome to this Community Town Hall event.**

There will be opportunity to hear from police, to hear the stories of those who have lived experience, and to submit questions to which various community partners on the discussion panel can respond. See posters on bulletin boards.

7. **The Chancel Guild is looking for pairs to team up to fill this important ministry for our church. If you can spend a couple hours per month on a schedule, please contact the office or speak to Fr. Brendon.**

8. **The Bishop's Friends' North Dinner which Christ Church co-hosted with St. George's, Parish of the Blue Mountains, was a huge success. The theme was “Taste of the Saugeens” and gift cards of local restaurants were auctioned off as part of an effort to raise funds for the Bishop's Discretionary Fund (in addition to a delicious meal and entertainment). Thank you all to those who volunteered, participated and donated!**

9. **We would like to report that the funds received from our Alzheimer's Coffee Break Sunday were \$822 + change. Well done, Christ Church, in contributing to those from Grey-Bruce who suffer from Alzheimer's and dementia.**

10. **Message from the Bighead River Foodgrains Committee Chair, Henry Reinders.**

“I want to thank everyone for promoting our World Food Day (on October 19) concert within your churches. The music and dancing was superb. A very generous and appreciative audience donated \$3270 toward the work of Canadian Foodgrains Bank. We are thrilled with this response.

Thanks for helping us feed the hungry.”

11. **The Free Community Breakfast is every Monday, from 8:30 to 10am.** We hope to see you there!

12. **PASTORAL CARE:** For urgent care, please contact the Rev. Brendon Bedford at brendonbedford@diohuron.org or 226-974-5060. For all other questions, concerns or other ministries, please call the office at 519-538-1330 or office@christchurchanglican.ca.

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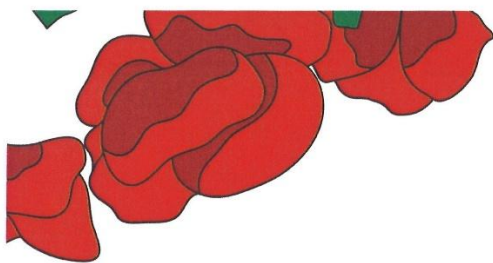
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MEAFORD MINISTERIAL
THE CHURCHES IN MEAFORD

REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY ECUMENICAL SERVICE

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 2025
MEAFORD COMMUNITY CENTRE
10:00 AM

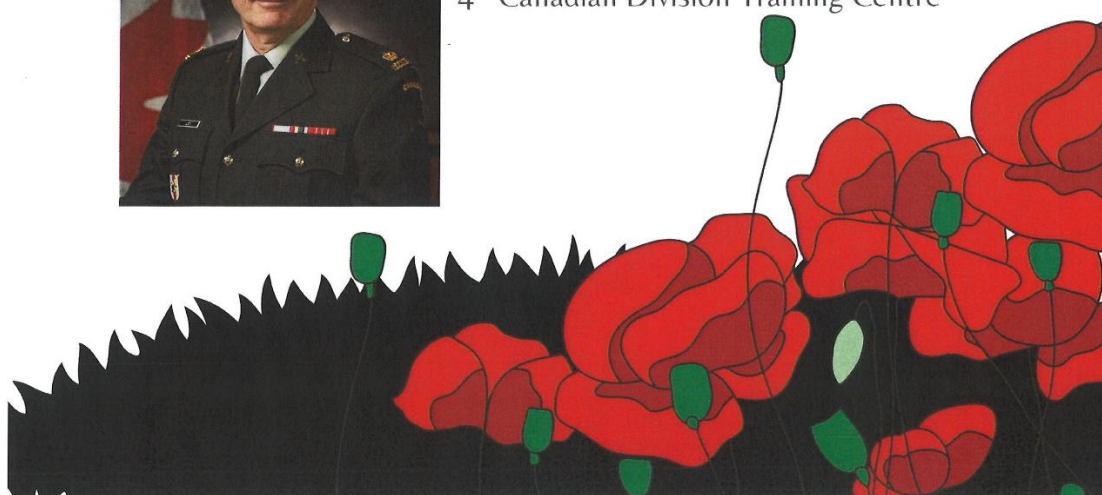
The churches in Meaford coming together to pray and remember.



Sermon offered by:

Major the Rev. Bob Lay, Chaplain

4th Canadian Division Training Centre



Country Kitchen & Craft Sale

Saturday October 25, 2025.

10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Christ Church Anglican

34 Boucher St. East (off Sykes St.)

Meaford, Ontario.

519-538-1330 * office@christchurchanglican.ca

Soups, Bread, Bake Table, GF Baking, Chili,
Chili Sauce, Pickles, Crafts, and more.

No admission charge

Family friendly



On the same day, join us downstairs
for a lunch in support of the
Canadian Foodgrains Bank.

Free will offering

A partner organization of the Anglican Church of Canada.

