

## 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.



## Fireside Book Club

The first meeting this fall will be September 10th at 7:00 in the Fireside Room/Library on the main floor. September's book is a very interesting read about Canadian History - Children of the Broken Treaty by Charlie Angus. All readers are welcome!

## The Food For Fun Ministry Continues!

Please join us on September 23rd for Food For Fun. Lunch will be provided. We are asking for 6 individuals to provide soup for this lunch. A signup sheet is located on the foyer bulletin board. This year we are collecting a \$20 donation to fund this ministry for 2018-2019. This donation can be given to Sharon Campbell or at the office during work hours. EVERYONE IS WELCOME!

## Why Not Take Your Worship Bulletin and Announcements Home.....

and pray the prayers in it every day the next week, read the scripture again, read through the words of the hymns? Discover what God is saying to you through the words and activities we share as a community.

## Upper Room

The September/October issue of the Upper Room are available on the literature table in the foyer at a cost of \$3.00 per issue.

## Announcements Sunday, September 9, 2018

### This Week...

Monday - Healing Pathways Ministry - 1:00 - 4:00 pm

Monday - Fireside Book Club - 7:00 - 9:00 pm

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

Thursday - Choir Practice - Sanctuary - 7:00 - 8:30 pm

## Turkey Supper Tickets

On-line sales start on September 3rd - check out the link at our website. Tickets will also be sold through the office. Adults \$17, children 7-12 yrs. \$12, children 6 and under free. In September there will be volunteer sign-up sheets and tickets for sale. Don't miss out!

## Concert in the Country

Come join us for a concert in the Country featuring Don & Ruth Henry at St. Andrews Church, DeWinton, Sunday September 16, 7:00pm  
Tickets are \$10.00 and are available in the OUC office or contact Wendy Hoflin at 403-880-8656.

## Bible Study

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

## It's Time to Sing!

We would love to have you come sing with us. Practices are held Thursday nights at 7:00 pm in the Sanctuary at the church. All are welcome, no matter your musical ability. We love to just have fun!



## 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](mailto:okcongregationalcare@telus.net) or contact the church office at 403 938-4357.

## 6th Annual Faith & Family Night - Stamps vs Argonauts Friday, September 18th - 7 pm

Our church is again looking to participate in this family fun event with the Calgary Stampeders. **Tickets are only \$21/person + \$3.00 ticket fee.** After the game our section is allow to come onto the field and participate in meeting some of the players and joining the event picture. Please use the sign-up sheet posted in the foyer for your tickets. **Ticket cutoff will be Sunday September 14<sup>th</sup> - so don't wait.** You can drop off your ticket money in an envelope with your name on it at the church office. **If you have any questions please contact the office at 403-938-4357.**

## Food Bank Facts

Okotoks Food Bank – address #7 Stockton Point, 403 – 651 6629  
Our Food Bank has Help Yourself Shelves filled with a variety of food items for those in need  
Monday- Shelves are closed  
Tuesday- 1:00- 4:00 PM  
Wednesday – 4:30 – 6:30 PM  
Thursday-6:00 – 8:30 PM  
Friday – 12:00 – 4:00 PM

## 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 September**  
**Continuing with the Munsch Goes to Church theme:**  
September 9 - Smelly Socks  
September 16 - Commissioning Kid's Ministry  
- Intergenerational Service

## 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.

## Jacket Racket

The dates for this year's Jacket Racket have been set and they are:  
Saturday, October 20 1:30 - 3:30  
Tuesdays, October 23, 30 & November 6 2:00 - 4:00  
Thursdays, October 25, November 1 & 8 6:00 - 8:30

For those of you who'd like to volunteer to help out with this year's Jacket Racket sign up sheets will be posted on the bulletin board in the foyer in a few weeks.

## Ministry Fair

**Come to the fair! We're having a Ministry Fair after church on Sunday, September 16. Come and see what's happening at our church as we begin a new church year.**