

WHAT'S UP AT WESLEY

Friday, Nov. 8, 2024

SUNDAY WORSHIP AT WESLEY
REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY – Nov. 10, 2024, 10 am

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Have you noticed this Bulletin Board at the top of the stairs leading up to our hall? This wonderful Remembrance Day tribute was designed by Brenda Denyes. Please check it out as it often changes to reflect something exceptional. Thank you Brenda for continuing to make Wesley a special place to Worship.

Harvest Kitchen

Well our first Wesley Harvest Kitchen dinner in a few years was very successful. This was the first dinner since March to be held at Central and all who came were most appreciative of the dinner we had prepared for them. It was definitely a smaller group of Guests than we were used to as only 45 or so came, but they certainly enjoyed every bite and many took a meal home for another day! One young lady offered to say grace for everyone and you certainly knew she was a Christian. I expect next time we come, on Sunday, Dec. 1st there will be many more Guests, as the word spreads that the Harvest Kitchen dinners are once again taking place. There is a sign up sheet in the Narthex if you would like to help out at one of our Harvest Kitchen dinners. If you would like to help out financially with the cost of the food please put your donation or a cheque made out to Wesley United in an envelope marked "Harvest Kitchen " on it along with your name and number, if known. Your donation is tax receiptable.

Much thanks to those who helped prepare the meal and to those that served on Sunday. You were a great Wesley team! This is truly a wonderful Outreach for those in need and we were thanked by many of our Guests.

- *Submitted by the Membership and Outreach Committee*

Thank you from Gloria!

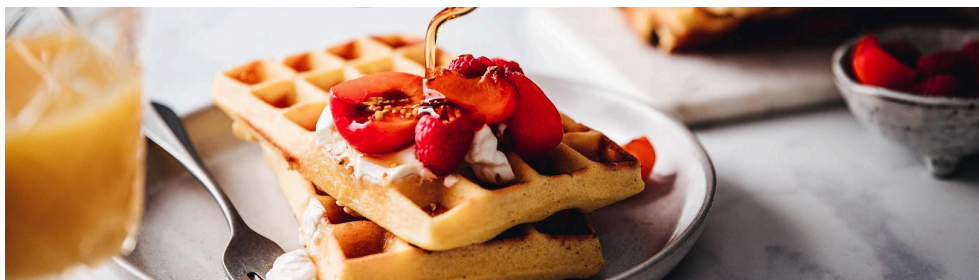
It started 18 years ago, when I had my first heart attack. Now 3 heart attacks, 5 angiograms and 5 stents later, I am once more on the mend.

The only thing is that my knee replacement is cancelled because of the powerful blood thinners - for at least a year

I am writing this to thank all of you for your concerns, emails, cards, phone calls, taxi service, visits, hugs, food -ah yes the food. Wesley is for sure the most caring church. I thank you all and love you all.

- *Gloria* 🍷💕

CONGREGATIONAL BREAKFAST – Nov. 24



The Men's Group invite all men, women and children to join us for a congregational breakfast (in Robins Hall) on Sunday, Nov. 24 at 8:30 am.



Halloween Luncheon

I would like to thank all those who helped in any way with the Halloween Luncheon. Many thanks to all who helped with: the set up, the clean up, the wonderful decorations, all the door prizes, the dish washers and of course thanks so much to those who made all the delicious salads and scrumptious desserts. Your time and efforts truly helped make it so successful and was very much appreciated by the over 70 folks that attended. I would guess that over 60 percent who attended were not from Wesley so they were able to see our special place of Worship and meet our Wesley Family. We even received a thank you note along with some pictures from one of our guests. How very kind!

Thanks so much everyone, with your help we raised a little over \$900.

- Wendy Reed, for WOW (Women Of Wesley)



The Seniors Christmas in November is taking place this Thursday, Nov 14 at 1 pm in Robins Hall. Put on your ugly Christmas sweater and come out to have some fun! Please join us for games, activities and fellowship. Light refreshments and fun for everyone . All are welcome!!!

BIBLE BULLETS

1. Let Love be genuine - Rom. 12.9
2. Hate what is evil - Rom 12.9
3. Honour everyone - 1 Pet. 2.17

WESLEY WALK IN NATURE

The next Wesley Walk will be on Thursday, Nov. 14 at 8 am. We will meet and walk inside at the Meridian Centre at 100 Meridian Way in Fonthill.

A car will leave the Wesley Church parking lot at 7:40 am. in case you need a ride. Everyone is welcome to join us on this walk in nature. Hope to see you there.

- Dan Barrett

The Robert Wood Singers & The Wood Kids Present

THE SPIRIT OF
Christmas

Sunday, December 8, 2024

Doors open at 2:00 PM

Concert begins at 2:30 PM

Faith Welland Church, 380 South Pelham Road, Welland

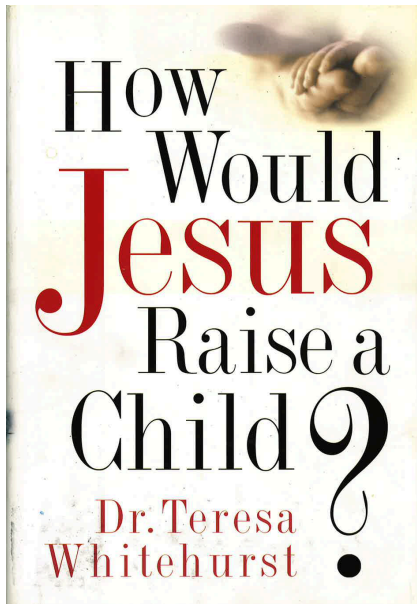
Tickets: \$20 for Adults | \$12 for Children 12 and under

Available online from [Eventbrite.ca](https://www.eventbrite.ca)



Got something you want to contribute to What's Up at Wesley? Please submit it to the office administrator by Wednesday for that week's edition. 905-735-5912 or wesleyunited@bellnet.ca

In Your Wesley Library



Dr. Teresa Whitehurst offers you key principles drawn from Jesus' words and actions. When put into action, these principles create a radical new way for you to parent.

Available in your Wesley Library!

What Are You Reading?

Just finished a good book? Or got a favourite you read a while ago and love?

Let us know and we'll share it with the Wesley family.

Here's a start:

For **Mystery Lovers** try the Inspector Gamache series by Canadian author Louise Penny. Set in the charming Eastern Townships of Quebec, this series features a compassionate and kind Quebec Provincial Police officer, his co-workers, and friends and family in the mythical village of Three Pines.

D A T E S T O R E M E M B E R

Mon., Nov. 11 - **WOW MEETING** - 1:30 p.m. - parlour. All are welcome.

Tues., Nov. 12 – **COFFEE WITH COUNCIL** – 10 a.m. to noon in the parlour

Wed., Nov. 13 - **BIBLE STUDY** - 7 p.m. - in the parlour

Thurs., Nov. 14 - **SENIORS' GROUP - CHRISTMAS SWEATER DAY** - 1 to 3 p.m. – in Robins Hall

Sat., Nov. 16 - **HOMES FOR THE HOLIDAYS** by Fonthill United Church. Tour 6 beautifully decorated homes. 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. - Tickets \$30 at the church and Rice Road Greenhouses. Tea, coffee and dessert 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the church.

Sat., Nov. 16 – **CHRISTMAS THRIFT BAZAAR** – 10 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. Gently used adult and children's clothing, small household items, Christmas décor, lunch is being served – Southminster United Church, Niagara Falls

Sun., Nov. 17 - **COMMITTEE FAIR** – starting today and for the next five weeks, it will be held after church, to present church Committee responsibilities, discuss what each committee does and answer questions

Tues., Nov. 19 – **COFFEE WITH COUNCIL** – 10 a.m. to noon in the parlour

Wed., Nov. 20 - **BIBLE STUDY** - 7 pm - in the Parlour

Wed., Nov. 20 - **COATS FOR KIDS** - Nov 20 to 29 - 2 to 5 p.m. - Come in to get outerwear for children at Central United, Welland

Sat., Nov. 23 – **OLD FASHIONED CHRISTMAS BAZAAR** – 10 a.m. – St. John's United Church, Stevensville

Sun., Nov. 24 – **CONGREGATIONAL BREAKFAST** – 8:30 a.m. Wesley United Church in Robins Hall

Sat., Nov. 30 – **COZY CHRISTMAS MARKET** - 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. – Central United Church, Welland

Sat., Nov. 30 – **CHRISTMAS WREATH WORKSHOP** – 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. - \$50 per person includes all supplies – call Grace at 289-821-2919 for more information – Morgan's Point United Church

Wed., Dec. 4 – **LESSONS, CAROLS AND COOKIES** – 2:30 p.m. Fonthill United Church

Sun., Dec. 8 - **CHRISTMAS CAROL CONCERT** – 7 p.m. - Central United Church, Welland

Sat., Dec. 14 - **“IT’S A WONDERFUL LIFE”** – A live radio play being performed at Silver Spire United Church, St. Catharines. Tickets are \$25 per person and include refreshments. Contact the church at 905-682-8328.

Sun., Dec. 15 – **CHRISTMAS CANTATA** – 2:30 p.m. - The choir at St. John's Stevensville United Church presents their annual choral cantata, called "The Wonderous Story!" Bring your friends and family for a free Christmas concert, no tickets needed, and then join afterwards for snacks and light refreshments. A freewill offering will be accepted, with the proceeds going towards the outreach centre, The Embrace.