

Emmanuel United Church

Emmanuel Newsflash

www.emmanuelunitednorthbay.ca

Schedule of Events

- ◆ **West Ferris Community Brunch** **Sat. Oct.20, 2018 9:00-10:30** Emmanuel United Church.
- ◆ **The Celebration of Ministry Service** Anyone who wants to participate in the mass choir is invited to a rehearsal from 3:30-5:00 p.m. Sat. Oct. 20 at St. Andrew's Church. The service begins at 7:00 p.m.
- ◆ **Second Annual Silver Linings:** Before, During and After Cancer-A Cancer Wellness & Information Day Sat. Oct.20, 2018 9-4:30 Widdifield Secondary.
- ◆ **Service of Healing and Prayer** on the third Sunday evening of the month beginning Oct. 21, 7:00pm Christ Church Anglican.
- ◆ **St. Andrew's United Church:** Autumn Tea, Bazaar, Cookie Walk & Silent Auction, Sat., Oct. 27. Bazaar 10:00 to 2:00. Tea 11:00 to 2:00.
- ◆ **"Musical Memories of the War Years"** Sun. Nov. 4, 1:30 Trinity United Church with instrumental and sing-a-long music.
- ◆ **Emmanuel UCW General Meeting** Nov. 6, 1pm.
- ◆ **SAVE THE DATE:** Nov. 9, 7-8:30pm Pot Luck and Game Night. Everyone welcome!
- ◆ **Stocking Tea and Bazaar** Nov.17 10-12 Adults \$5.00 Children (under 12) \$2.00 Emmanuel United Church.

A Note From Rev. Roni

I have been watching the Netflix series "the Crown", it's become one of my favourite shows on TV. Before this show, I didn't think of the royals as people who worked hard and made sacrifices. I imagined a life of luxury and indulgences. The show features the life of sacrifice and day-to-day challenges of that characterized the British monarchy during a time of change. Even the royals have had to hit the "re-set" button, getting back to reality, embracing change, that's likely why they survived. Being the Crown is a life of sacrifice. Glory for some of us may look like: a sanctuary filled with young people eager to serve, an active youth group, at least fifteen children in church school, and Sunday offerings that cover all of our month to month expenses. Is this possible? The most honest answer is "I do not know". In our text, when asked about future glory, Jesus seems to be hitting the proverbial re-set button saying in effect

stop worrying about glory, get back to basics, 'share life with me'. Being Christ's church is about sacrificial life. The only faithful promise of future success I can offer, is more people participating in our church's mission "sharing God's love revealed in Jesus Christ." We need to get back to the basic settings of sharing God's love in community. We need to intentionally partner with other United Church congregations, ecumenical partners, not -for-profit agencies, etc. as we live out our core values. We are called to be a community that shares: hopes and hurts, tears and laughter; compassion and pain in the way of Jesus. Let's imagine a revitalized West Ferris. God will add to our numbers, in God's own time and way. The glory is God's. Join me on Sunday October 21st, 10:15 am for our hymn sing and worship.

Blessings,
Rev. Roni Beharry




Thank you to everyone who participated in the Strategic Planning Retreat this weekend. Your support and interest in Discerning Our Future in Faith for EUC is greatly appreciated. And an extra special thanks is extended to Jeff Celentano (consultant) and The Planning Team.

At a Glance

The EUC food cupboard is always in need of donations of non-perishable food items such as pasta, sauce, canned soups, fruit, beans, cereal and RIGHT NOW toiletries are most needed.

Thank you for your ongoing support!

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
21 10:30am Sunday Worship Service: "Sharing Life"	22	23	24	25 Choir Practice 7:30	26 50th Annual Turkey Supper SOLD OUT!	27
28 10:30am Sunday Worship Service	29	30	31 	Nov. 1	2	3

LADIES and GENTLEMEN

Looking for something awesome to do Friday October 26th? We have just the thing! As you know, our annual Turkey Supper is on that day and we sure could use your assistance. There is a lovely large FUN SHEET in the Narthex and there are a number of fun jobs that need workers. If you are unable to work on that day, would you give serious thought to cooking a turkey or donating a pie or two or three! Sign up on the *TURKEY COOKERS* and *PIE SHEET* which is also in the Narthex. And as always we are looking for **DONATIONS**. This supper is a major fund raiser for Emmanuel and a fun time not to be missed.

SAVE-A-TURKEY!

Have you ever wanted to see your name up in lights? Okay, if not lights, then, how about Turkeys?

At Emmanuel United Church there is a 'Donor Wall' and the folks there are 'rounding' up a lot of great turkeys like ME! If you want to be part of the 'Donor Wall', place an envelope with your name, envelope or PAR number on it, insert \$50.00 (cash or cheque, it doesn't matter) and put it on the offering plate before October 21st. That will save me from the ovens and I shall be rather grateful thank you very much!!!!

Signed: Tom, the Grateful Turkey!

EMMANUEL UNITED CHURCH 50th ANNUAL TURKEY SUPPER! FRIDAY, Oct. 26/18, **SOLD OUT!**

- We now need **Turkey Cookers** – trussed turkeys arrive at your home just looking for an oven in which to roast for a few hours. Gently place turkey into hot oven, and in a short while the enticing aroma of cooking turkey will fill your home. Upon completion, the dedicated Turkey Carvers at Emmanuel, who are awaiting the arrival of your cooked turkey, will take it from there. **No fuss, no muss.**
- Not to be outdone, our need for Pies is just as easy. Pastry Chefs who make and donate pies are in great demand. But, for those of us who are Pastry challenged, we can purchase a Farmer's Market brand Pie, bake as per the instructions and donate the whole pie to the supper.

Either way we need 15 more Pies. And once again, **No fuss, no muss!**

395 Lakeshore Drive, North Bay, ON P1A 2C5

Phone: 705-472-1806

Cell: 705-271-5313

Email: emmanuelunited@cogeco.net

Website: www.emmanuelunitednorthbay.ca

"Known by Our Love"
Emmanuel United church shall be a caring,
welcoming faith community, nurturing
spiritual life and sharing God's love and

