



Riverbend United Church Announcements



June 22nd to July 2nd, 2018

Friday, June 22 nd	8:30 am 10:00 am 4:00 pm 7:00 pm	E2 Academy (Boardroom & Meeting Room) WeCan Food Basket pick-up (Kitchen) WeCan Food Basket pick-up (Kitchen) Ghana Methodist Church (Chapel)
Saturday, June 23 rd	9:00 am 1:00 pm 6:00 pm	Private booking (Boardroom) McGregor Tutoring Services (Meeting Room) Private booking (Lower level hall & kitchen)
Sunday, June 24th	10:00 am 12:30 pm	Service (Sanctuary) Ghana Methodist Church (Sanctuary)
Monday, June 25 th	8:30 am 10:30 am 7:00 pm	E2 Academy (Boardroom & Meeting Room) Southside Duplicate Bridge (Lower level hall) Adult Literacy Group (Meeting room)
Tuesday, June 26 th	8:30 am 1:30 pm 1:30 pm	E2 Academy (Boardroom & Meeting Room) Restorative Yoga (Lower level hall) Reflective Crafting (Chapel)
Wednesday, June 27 th	8:30 am 9:00 am 10:30 pm 6:30 pm	E2 Academy (Boardroom & Meeting Room) Wednesday Walkers (Gathering Area) Staff Meeting Tourette's Support Group (Youth room)
Thursday, June 28 th	8:30 am 1:30 pm 7:00 pm 7:30 pm	E2 Academy (Boardroom & Meeting Room) Reflective Crafting (Chapel) Whole Community Worship (Meeting room) Choir rehearsal (Sanctuary)
Friday, June 29 th	11:00 am 1:00 pm 7:00 pm	Wedding rehearsal (Sanctuary) Private booking (Kitchen) Ghana Methodist Church (Chapel)
Saturday, June 30 th	12:00 pm	Heather Ainsworth & Ian Stoski wedding (Sanctuary)
Canada Day Sunday, July 1st	10:00 am 12:30 pm	Service (Sanctuary) Ghana Methodist Church (Sanctuary)
Monday, July 2 nd		Office & building closed

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Sunday worship

Sunday worship
begins at **10:00 a.m.**
through to and
including Sunday,
September 2nd.



Riverbend United Church is hiring a **Youth Ministry Coordinator**.

Application deadline is June 30th, 2018. Please check out the job description & application process at:

<http://www.riverbendunited.org/2018/06/06/youth-ministry-coordinator-position/>

Riverbend United Church Community

Our Church family: Peggy Robinson is an active member of the church whose husband unexpectedly died recently, and then shortly thereafter she fractured a leg and has limited mobility. That is a lot to deal with in a short time—if you feel you could help with a meal or with watering please call the office at 780.430.7275 to sign up or click on [this link](#) to use Google Docs to sign up. Thank you.

Do you enjoy **Whole Community Worship**? Are you interested in helping to plan and execute the services? The Whole Community Worship team is holding its planning meeting for next year at 7:00 p.m. on **June 28th** and is looking for new members who are interested in sharing their ideas and perspectives and in helping to make inter generational worship meaningful for everyone. Please talk to Carolyn Miller, Joanne Little, Emily Severson or Ben Severson if you would like to be a part of the team.

Steak Dinner: Chalmers-Castle Downs United Church (12315—132nd Avenue) is having a steak dinner on Saturday, **June 23rd**. Doors open at 5:30 p.m., dinner is served at 6:00 p.m. This delicious steak dinner will be served with all the trimmings. All proceeds raised will be used to further the Church's work in the community. Tickets: \$35 each or two for \$60. Contact the Church office 780.455.3664 for more information.

Summer Camp: Discover Coding Zone is offering summer computer coding camps for ages 5 to 14. Some of these camps are being offered at Riverbend United Church. Please check: www.discovercodingzone.com for more information.

Church in the Woods: St. Paul's United Church is hosting a children's summer camp called *Church in the Woods: Blessed by the Earth; In God's Time* from **July 3rd to 6th, 2018**. Children and families of all genders and identities are welcome to participate in this summer camp at the picnic site west of the Kinsmen Park. The camp will run from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. and be led by Rondy Kyle and Denise Davis Taylor from St. Paul's United Church. To register please email the Church office at office@stpaulsunited.org. Cost is \$40.00 and subsidies are available on request.

Intercultural Summer Picnic & BBQ: Join other members of the United Church at Rundle Park on Saturday, **July 14th** at Rundle Park, Site #6 (2909—113 Avenue NW) beginning at 12:00 noon for an intercultural picnic and BBQ. Hamburgers, hot dogs and much, much more will be served. Bring friends and families and meet new friends!

Coordinating Chaplain: Garneau United Church and the Ashbourne Assisted Living Facility are excited to be seeking a joint

3/4 time Coordinating Chaplain position for creative work with the Church and the Seniors facility. The 6-storey Ashbourne facility was opened in 2000 with 107 units on land provided by Garneau United Church in exchange for worship space and offices for the church. Residency is non-denominational and Ashbourne became the first Affirming facility in Alberta in 2017. The position entails providing pastoral care, programming and community outreach for Ashbourne and pastoral care, support of the Church Council (particularly the Worship Committee) and the part-time Administrator, and community outreach. There is a limited expectation around Worship leadership. The JNAC and supporting documents are available from the Conference Office. For more information please contact Frank Kense, Chair, Search Committee at moreng@hotmail.com. The deadline for applications is July 15, 2018.

Creative Kinetics Dance Studio Registration is now open for the fall session of creative dance classes for ages 3 to 17 at the University of Alberta in the Education Building. Heather Taschuk, BRFA, B.Ed. is a dance and movement specialist with 20 years experience teaching in the public school system, and over 30 years teaching dance and arts classes. For more information, or to register, contact Heather at: htaschuk@gmail.com or call her at 780.717.0452.

RUC Fibre Crafters Following our great success in establishing a Prayer Blanket/Shawl Ministry, the knitters and crocheters of Riverbend United Church have a new project planned! **November 11, 2018** will mark the 100th anniversary of the end of The Great War; also known as The War to End All Wars. Sadly, we all know that great event did not end all wars, but we commemorate the hope for World Peace that the date signifies. Marking this, our needle workers will produce as many knitted and crocheted red poppies as we can manage. The exact format of our 'yarn bombing' is yet to be decided, but we will decorate our church with masses of hand-crafted poppies for Sunday, November 11. If you knit or crochet, please consider contributing to our effort. Patterns will be available in the narthex, or you can create your own or find ones you like on the internet or other sources. Poppies should be red with black centres, and any size from 3-5" or so. You will also soon find a collection box in the narthex for your donations ... and if you have any great ideas for presentation of our display, please talk to Carolyn Miller, or join us in the Chapel on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons (1:30-3:30 pm) where we gather to knit, crochet, or work on any other crafting projects we have on hand. Quiet meditation or group discussion are part of our gatherings as well.