



Trinitopics & Church Announcements



To Grow in Faith, Fellowship & Service Through Christ Jesus
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Here is a message that I erred to put in the last newsletter, sorry!
One of the Sunday School teaches sent this to me to be added to the CE report in regards to Lois Riley, Christian Education Chair:
"I'd like to add that Lois also taught Senior Sunday School this year and has been a great CE Convenor."
From the editor: "We all know that, but it is nice to see someone verbalize it!" Thank you.



Carly Morrice

I would like to thank everyone who participated in my graduation "drive by" on June 10th. It was such a surprise to see the cars decorated with signs and balloons, and I really appreciated the gift that I received.
We had a beautiful day for our graduation ceremony, and I had a lot of fun!
I very much enjoyed being part of Trinity's Sunday School class for all of these years.

Carly Morrice



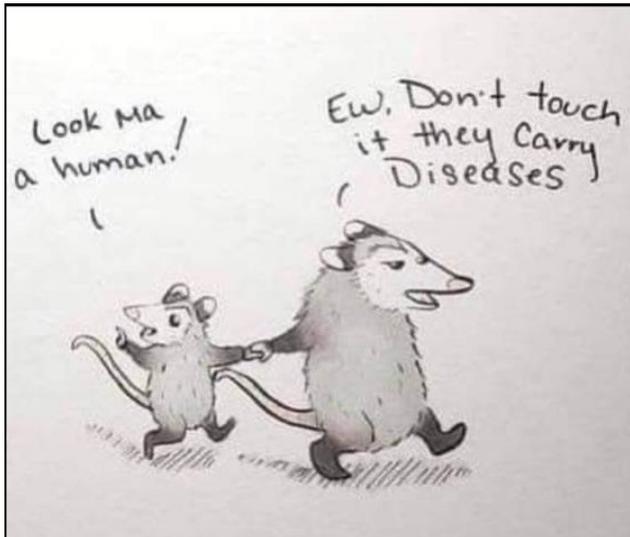
Abigail Atkison received the Acts of Kindness Scholarship from George Fitton School which has an enrolment of over 450 students. Mom, Dad, sister Emma, Grandma and Grandpa are very proud of her accomplishment.





**Happy Birthday Grant McCausland
On June 9th**

A surprise visit by Jim Hurd & Keith Privat!



When I sent out the reminder for the newsletter, I had mentioned that I hoped all got through the Sunday night Storm without too many issues. I got a few comments returned to me, which I will share, without the names:

- ◆ Power went out Sunday at 5:45 pm and not on again until 11:15 Monday morning; and to think how much we watered the plants on Saturday!!!!
- ◆ My gauge said 4.5 last nite and 2.5 over nite. We prayed for rain but not all at once!
- ◆ Neighbours & I had 6 and 2/10th inches.
- ◆ I was very fortunate. I just had to mop up some water nothing serious .
- ◆ My daughter and family were here for a day on their way to the lake. They came into town in the middle of that storm. Quite an adventure. Everything fine though.
- ◆ I celebrated Canada Day by baking cinnamon buns this morning and taking them to all my neighbours for breakfast.
- ◆ It took over 2 hrs to get home from Minnesoda Lake on Mon. But cabin is okay.
- ◆ When power went out, a couple dragged their generator out of the shop in the pouring rain, a to shed beside house, plugged it in ready. Then the power came on & didn't go off again! Murphy's Law!!



**30 Days Hath September, April,
June and November
All the rest have 31 ... except this
past March
which had 8000 days.**



I want to express my sincere thanks to you and the Trinity folks. The gifts of muffins, peanut butter, jam and clothing have been amazing. The Woman's Council of the Brandon Bear Clan Patrol have made the decision to return to our regular Thursday and Friday patrols starting June 18. At this time, I will ask that the muffin makers be relieved of their duties. If any have any left in their freezers, they can be brought to me. We will still provide our folks with the remainder. If people still wants to make a few dozen on occasion, I will never say no.

Sending this email saddens me greatly because I have been able to connect with people from Trinity that have answered the call to help love all God's children.

When restrictions are lifted, I would like to gather at your church to personally thank each and everyone who helped and who supported our relatives who are involved in the streets of Brandon. I am honoured to be associated with such an fabulous group of people.

God bless you all.
Cyndi



Sunday School wind-up - May 25th (2014).

During this celebration was a tree planted by the Seniors Sunday School class.

From left: Barb Jones, Jonathan Placatka, Tyler Jones, Kieran Placatka, Davis Placatka, Cassidy Jones, Alex Murray, & Julie Murray. Michael Dobbyn is missing from the event as he was away at a Venturer Camp.

This tree is on the west line; north of the church.

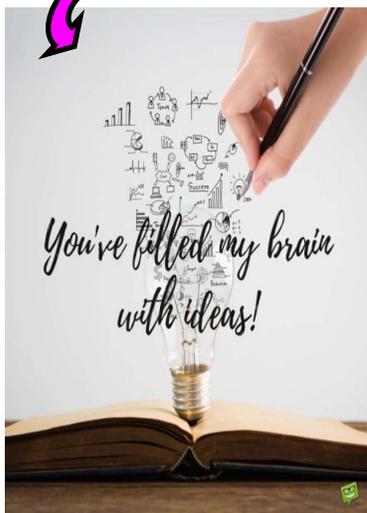
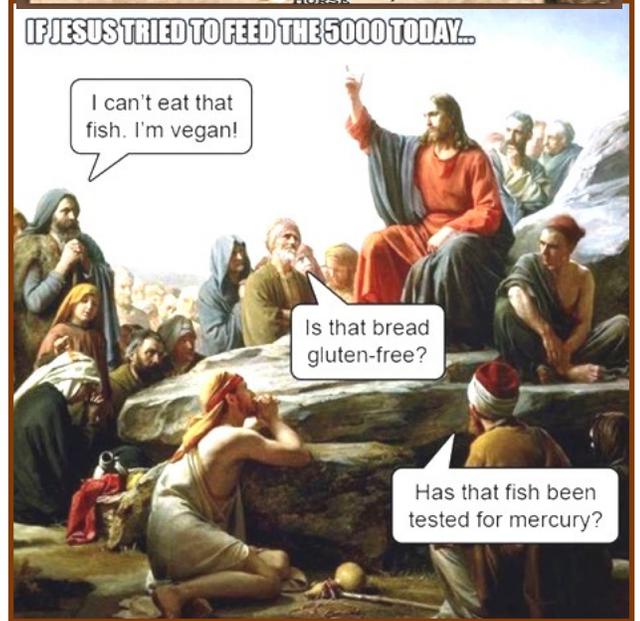


REMEMBER JUST BECAUSE YOU WENT TO COLLEGE

DOESN'T MAKE YOU SMARTER THAN ANYONE ELSE. COMMON SENSE DOESN'T COME WITH A DEGREE.



Thank you to those folks who have sent me so many 'very interesting' emails, some I share in newsletters: Edna Stewart, Myrna Hall, Winnie Black, Pat Bowslaugh, Irene Smith, with also a few from others. Also to those with news of any kind! Keep it coming!! I had to clean out my gmail: it was full!! First time!!



Thank you, Carol Winstone, for sending another picture of Trinity's beautiful garden! This is a pic of the sage that is out right now doing its part in the season. Thanks to Ken & Carol for caretaking our garden again this year!



Emo Mayor says “No”, Knox United says “Yes!”



Their rainbow-coloured sidewalk demonstrates their commitment to being an Affirming church.

Although the Mayor of the small town of Emo, Ontario cast the deciding vote against flying the rainbow coloured Pride flag in town, Knox United Church is out defying a commonly-held belief that the Church and Pride Month can't mix.

Knox minister Meg Illman-White says that despite what anyone may have said, both God and the congregation at Knox love all members of the LGBTQ2+ community for who they are.

“God loves you. The congregation at Knox want you to know that you are loved and beautiful because of who you are. And we want you to know that we are your family. We are members, parents, grandparents, aunts and uncles, brothers and sisters of the LGBTQ2+ community so we are part of that community. We believe that strength is found in community,” says Illman-White, “The love of God is not limited by people who claim to speak for God or who interpret the Bible in ways that does great harm to minorities and marginalized people. God created amazing diversity. This is beautiful and sacred — YOU are beautiful and sacred.”

“It was really, really important to get the word out to people that in fact what we believe on the inside actually can be seen on the outside,” says Illman-White, “... when we are surrounded by the diversity and the beauty of the Pride community – it helps us to celebrate our own God given beloved-ness and to live from the strength of that place.”

(Adapted from <https://www.895thelake.ca/2020/06/15/knox-united-stands-in-support-of-pride>)

Are we at Trinity United in Brandon ready to show on the outside what we believe on the inside? Are we willing to say “Yes”?



These are Labrador Retrievers. They come in a variety of colors. They are loved & treated equally no matter their color. They don't fight each other over their color differences. When it comes down to it, they are all Labs, they are all dogs.

Dear humans, do better, be better. Be more like Labs.



- ◆ What kind a man was Boaz before he married Ruth? Ruthless
- ◆ What do they call pastors in Germany? German Shepherds
- ◆ Who was the greatest financier in the Bible? Noah. He was floating his stock while everyone else was in liquidation



If you know someone, or yourself, who would like a care call from Rev. Neufeld; call 204-441-8140

Please be sure to call or e-mail Marlane Wilson, with any reports of folks in hospital or needing some contact. 204 729-8574 or marlane.w@yahoo.com



*We are all created in God's Image
We are all loved by God
We are all expected to ...
Love One Another*



Our thoughts and prayers to our folks who are spending time in hospital:

- Betty Russell: Assiniboine 2nd floor (Betty's registered under Alfreda Russell)*
- Margaret Izzard: Assiniboine 2nd floor*
- Ken Nairne: Assiniboine 2nd floor*
- Shirley O'Driscoll: Assiniboine 2nd floor*

Frank Basiuk will be moving to Rideau PC Home on Wednesday, July 8th. He is looking forward to a more spacious room! His phone # is 725-5247.



Missed from last newsletter; my apologies! Our care & sympathy to Una Rolfe on the loss of her first great grandchild.

Happy belated birthday wishes to Norm Poersch who was 65 on June 26th.

Congratulations to Mabel Ramsay on the birth of her first great grandchild on June 24th.

Our Friends in Personal Care and Senior Homes

Dinsdale Home	Lois Aube
Fairview Home	Audrey Campbell, Lillian Atchison, Frank Basiuk, Linda Garson, Jim & Louise Hodge, Ina Slimmon, Keith Vrooman, Alma Yule
Hillcrest Home	Verna Kieper
Rideau Home	Don Chambers, Murray Hicks, Robert Jarvie, Eleanor McCreath, Garry VanRenselaar
Valleyview Home	Laura Cliffe, Bernice Erskine
Riverheights Terrace	Margaret Burnett, Judy Diswinka, Vera Skayman
Rotary Villas	Beatrice Lee, Marg Lovstrom, Frank Rabe
Victoria Landing	Moneta Firth, Pat Rathwell, Alice Wesley



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May God hold you in the palm of His hands