

Friday, June 6, 2025

Happy Friday! Spring is a season that allows for change, growth, and a fresh start. This period is ideal for reassessing your goals, engaging in activities, and paying attention to the details of your daily life.

In recognition of The United Church of Canada's 100th Anniversary on June 10, 2025, *Communications* at Colborne Street United Church has an updated colour.

Here are a **few items** that may be of interest to you this week:

- ✓ National Centennial Worship Service June 8, 2025, 5:30 pm 7:30 pm EDT A special National Centennial Worship Service will be held at, and live-streamed from, Gower Street United Church, St. John's, Newfoundland & Labrador. Colborne will be streaming this Service starting at 5:30 p.m. EDT. Everyone is invited to join in this special celebration. Live Stream Link
- ✓ Together We Sing Our last Together We Sing session for the year will be on Sunday, June 15, 2025. We will be singing Down to the River to Pray. New singers are always welcome to join in the fun! Rehearsal: Sunday, June 8th (following the Sunday Worship Service). Performance: Sunday, June 15, 2025 (meet at 10 am).
- ✓ Communiqué: Stories or Information to share: Deadline for submissions to the next issue of the Communiqué is June 15, 2025. Please submit that special story from your vacation, where you plan to go on vacation, a family celebration, a memory with or without a photograph(s), or share a news event, for inclusion in the Communiqué. Kindly email your submissions to us by the deadline date of June 15, 2025.
- ✓ Local Outreach Needs Parking Lot Volunteers: With the unexpected, but gratefully accepted, offer of the use of Auburn Developments "still intact and standing" parking lot this year, in July/August, during Sunfest and Ribfest for our annual fundraising, we are asking for your support in covering shift or shifts. Dates are Sunfest, Thursday, July 3, to Sunday, July 6, 2025, and Ribfest, Thursday, July 31, to Monday, August 4, 2025. Plus, possible coverage of Home County Arts & Music Festival on Saturday, July 26, 2025, with 4X2 hour shifts starting at Noon. Details about the sign-up shift sheets will be available shortly. Please help if you can. Your help is essential to our fundraising success. Without it, there would be no parking lot coverage, and our community support funds would be much reduced.

✓ "Landscape 711": Thank you to all those who have signed up for

Church Office Hours: 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Except Thursday, 8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Next Week's Events

Saturday, June 7 10 a.m. Gentle Yoga

Sunday, June 8

10:30 a.m. Sunday Service led by Rev Frank Staples 11:30 a.m. *Together We Sing* Rehearsal 2:00 p.m. Amabile Girls Concert 5:30 p.m. National Centennial Service – Live Streamed

Monday, June 9 1:00 p.m. Quilters

Tuesday, June 10

The 100th Anniversary of The United Church of Canada

Wednesday, June 11 9:30 a.m. Take a Break

6:30 p.m. Colborne Street Ringers Practice

Thursday, June 12

1:30 p.m. Pastoral Care 7:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal