

NEWS FROM THE PEWS...

News and Inspiration from St. Andrew's United Church, Georgetown, ON

Thursday August 20, 2026

St. Andrew's United Church News from the Pews

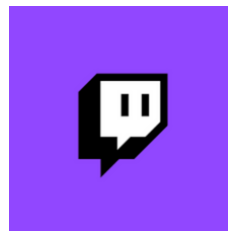


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We stream our worship services Sundays at 10 am on Facebook Live, YouTube, Twitch & 100.3 FM Click on the icons below to connect!



St. Andrew's United Church

Worship this Sunday, August 23rd 10:00 AM at St. John's UC

For the month of August, we are gathering for worship at St. John's United Church as part of our Combined Summer Worship series! This Sunday, Sandy Woodworth will be leading us in worship. We look forward to worshipping together and strengthening our shared community of faith!

SUMMER WORSHIP SCHEDULE

WHEN	TIME	WHERE	ADDRESS	WHO
2-Aug	10AM	ST. JOHN'S	11 GUELPH ST.	KATE YOUNG
9-Aug	10AM	ST. JOHN'S	11 GUELPH ST.	KATE YOUNG
16-Aug	10AM	ST. JOHN'S	11 GUELPH ST.	KATE YOUNG
23-Aug	10AM	ST. JOHN'S	11 GUELPH ST.	SANDY WOODWORTH
30-Aug	10AM	ST. JOHN'S	11 GUELPH ST.	SANDY WOODWORTH

[Please click here to visit St. John's Youtube Page](#)



Humour Corner

What did Jonah's family say when he told them about what happened before reaching Nineveh?

"Hmm, sounds fishy."

Membership Announcements

Volunteers Needed!!

We are in need of coffee time volunteers for the month of September! **If we do not have enough people to sign up, it has been suggested that we only do it 1-2x per month.** Hopefully that will not be necessary. Please contact the office if you are able to volunteer!



2026 Strawberry Freezer Jam Fundraiser

The fundraiser results are in!
187 jars of jam for \$1,746.

Congratulations! If you have run out already, there are still a few jars left.

For further information, please contact Susan or Lorne Campbell at (905) 877-4564, or the church office at (905) 877-4482 or office@standrewsuc.ca.



A big thank you to Lorne and Susan Campbell for organizing another successful fundraiser this year, to the volunteers who helped make the jam, and to everyone who supported it. Your hard work and generosity made it a great success!

Prayers of the People

We continue to keep those in our church family who are dealing with health concerns, whether at home or in hospital, in our prayers. We hope to see you back with us soon.

Pastoral Care

Rev. Kate will be out of office until September 12th. If you would like a visit or know of someone who is in the hospital, please let the office know!

Terry Fox Run: Team Jordan

My daughter and I are once again participating in the Georgetown Terry Fox Run to help fund critical cancer research in Canada. We greatly appreciate the generous support of family and friends in past years. If you could like to donate to Team Jordan, please click the link below. Thank you!
Valerie



[Please click here to sponsor Valerie Jordan](#)

[Please click here to sponsor Victoria Jordan](#)



Sponsor Ross and John Leckie

Ross and John Leckie will be riding together in the Tour the Hills fundraiser for Cancer Assistance Halton Hills on September 19. We will be riding 50 kilometres to provide supports for those battling cancer. We will be riding with the Glen Fitness Team. If you would like to sponsor one of us, go to this page on the website, <https://upliftercycling.com/#!/tour-the-hills-2026/pledge-search>

and highlight one of our names or search for the Tour the Hills website. You can sponsor a rider by following the instructions, donating using a credit card and you will be provided with a charitable receipt right away.

We know of the vital support CAHH provides in our community-rides by a team of caring volunteers to appointments and treatments, emotional support, and many other practical things like lending walkers and other equipment. Thanks for your support!

[Please click here to sponsor Ross Leckie](#)

[Please click here to search John Leckie's page \(will be posted shortly\)](#)

If you have announcements, milestones to celebrate, or photos to share for next week's News from the Pews, please send them to the office by Wednesday.

St. Andrew's Announcements



The Terry Fox Run/Walk
The United Churches of Georgetown
Hillcrest • Norval • St. Andrew's • St. John's

Sunday, September 20, 2026
8:45am registration opens, 9:45am start
at The Georgetown Fairgrounds Track
(Walk your preferred distance and pace)

The United Churches of Georgetown are coming together as one to encourage care and support for innovative cancer research. Cancer impacts us all. We are walking to change the lives of those facing cancer.

Every step is for someone.
United we are stronger!

Use the QR code to register or sponsor a walker.
Thank you for your support!



Donate to Cancer Research by supporting our United 4 Hope Team

We are entering a 4 church combined team in the Sep. 20 2026 Terry Fox Run/Walk at the Georgetown Fairgrounds. We are building on the spirit of our successful Coldest Night and Hike for Hospice teams. The United Churches of Georgetown are walking together to encourage care and support for innovative cancer research.

Do you donate annually to cancer research?

Why not make that donation through our **United 4 Hope** team and this year's Georgetown Terry Fox Run/Walk! Open the link and hit the Donate button to support an individual team member or the team as a whole.

Have you participated in the Terry Fox Run before?

Why not sign-up this year through our team **United 4 Hope** and direct your usual donors to your personal webpage! Open the link and hit the Join this

Team button, become a team member and start your fundraising.

Never participated before?

Well let's make this, the year - come join us! It's short and sweet, yet impactful. You will be walking on the Georgetown Fairgrounds 1 km track at your preferred distance and pace. The run/walk will be held in the morning on Sun. Sep. 20. It kicks-off at 9:45am, with event prizes at 11:00am.

Cancer impacts us all. **United 4 Hope** members from Hillcrest, Norval, St. Andrew's and St. John's United Churches are walking to change the lives of those facing cancer.

[Please click here to register or sponsor one of our walkers](#)

PURSE, *Accessory* *and* *Jewellery*



**SATURDAY,
SEPTEMBER 26** **9AM-1PM**

St. Andrew's Church

**MOUNTAINVIEW ROAD
GEORGETOWN**



All proceeds being donated to
BENNETT VILLAGE
for the build of a new, long-term care facility.



Donations are being accepted for this fundraiser.
Drop off to either:
The Way We Were, 98 Main St. Georgetown
or St. Andrew's Church.

Sponsored by:



**DONATIONS TO THE PURSE & ACCESSORY FUNDRAISER ARE
GRACIOUSLY BEING ACCEPTED**

If you have an item you'd like to donate, you may drop it off to the office at St. Andrew's United Church 89 Mountainview Road South or at The Way We Were Consignment Shop at 98 Main Street South in Georgetown, OR contact Jo-Anne to arrange a pick up. Thank you!



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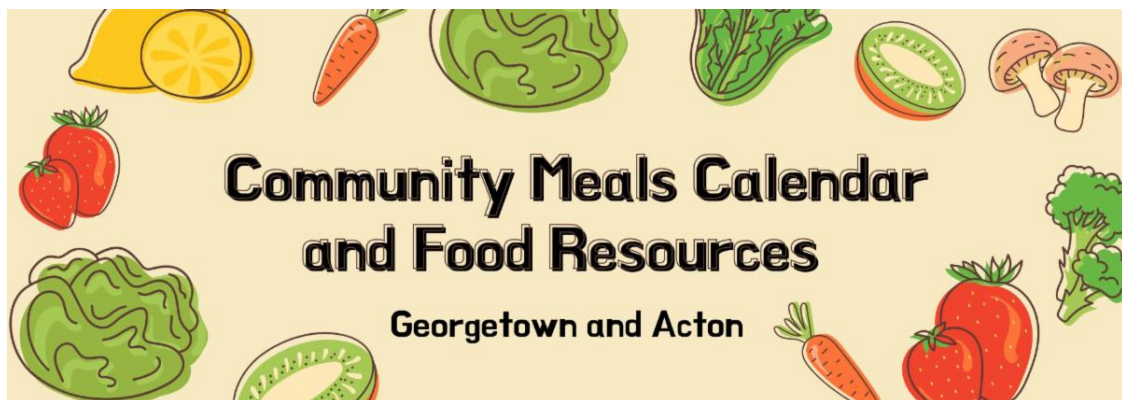
Not Accepting Donations at this Time
Thank you to all of our donors for the support!

FREE CLOTHING ROOM

Clothing room hours:
Tuesdays and Thursdays
9:00am-12:00pm
89 Mountainview Rd S. Georgetown
All are welcome!



Community Announcements



Community Meals Calendar and Food Resources

Georgetown and Acton

Please click [here](#) to view August's calendar, as well as more details about local food resources

SEPTEMBER 12, 2026

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through the struggle with

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FREE ENTRY
REGISTER HERE



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EVENT PARTNER



St. Michael's
Homes

Held at St. Andrew's - please click here to register



*The Friends of the Old Seed
House Garden presents:*

Music in the Garden

*Sunday afternoons at the Gazebo
3:00-5:00 p.m. (free admission)
135 Maple Ave. Georgetown*

June 21st - Pearl and her Harp
July 5th - Georgetown Transfer
July 19th - Hillsvieview Seniors Band
Aug 2nd - Retired Teachers Rock Band
Aug 16th - Celtic Chords
Aug 30th - Georgetown Folk Collective
Sept 13th - Standard Time Jazz Band
Sept 27th - Halton Hills Concert Band



The late Reverend Canon Cheryl Barker

There is no doubt that Cheryl spent much of her life caring for others. With the passing of our beloved friend, we have the opportunity to ensure that the people Cheryl loved most are cared for too.

The lovely people of St. George's Anglican Church have created a **GoFundMe page** to support Cheryl's husband Frank, and their two boys Samuel and Luke.

[Please click here to donate](#)



United Church Mission & Service Fund

Faithful Futures

Credit: The United Church of Canada



Across Southern Ontario, The Hub Community Network is creating welcoming spaces where youth and young adults can find connection, community, and a deeper understanding of God's inclusive love. Supported by Mission and Service, The Hub is helping young people discover spaces where they can explore faith, build relationships, and find their place in the church.

Every generation faces its own challenges, and many young people today are carrying significant pressures. Rising costs, uncertainty about the future, and increased feelings of isolation can make it difficult to find a sense of stability and belonging. For many youth and young adults, finding a community where they feel welcomed, known, and accepted can make a meaningful difference. The Hub responds to this need by creating opportunities for young people to gather and connect. Through churches, camps, small groups, worship services, and online spaces, The Hub brings youth and young adults together in environments where they can ask questions, share experiences, and grow in faith alongside others.

These gatherings are more than events on a calendar. A shared meal, a conversation with a mentor, or time spent with peers can become an important moment of connection. These relationships help young people feel supported as they navigate life's challenges and continue discovering who they are and who they are becoming.

The Hub also works alongside congregations, helping churches strengthen their youth ministries and develop lasting relationships with young people. By supporting communities in creating spaces of welcome and inclusion, The Hub helps congregations move beyond the initial invitation to attend and grow toward building meaningful connections where young people know they belong.

Our Mission and Service gifts help make this ministry possible. Through this support, The Hub Community Network can continue creating spaces where youth and young adults experience community, explore faith, and encounter the inclusive love of God.

Our gifts through Mission and Service support ministries that walk alongside young people and create places of belonging. Let's give generously so youth and young adults can continue being welcomed into spaces of connection and community.

WAYS TO GIVE

We thank all those that continue to support our Church with your giving!



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Our Charitable Registration Number is: 892633462RR0001

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Halton as we know it today is rich in history and modern traditions of many First Nations and the Métis. From the Anishinabe to the Attawandaron, the Haudenosaunee, and the Métis - these lands surrounding

the Great Lakes are steeped in Indigenous history. We acknowledge and thank the Mississauga's of the Credit First Nation for sharing their traditional territory with us.



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