

National Day of Truth and Reconciliation

September 30

The day honours the children who never returned home and Survivors of residential schools, as well as their families and communities.

Public commemoration of the tragic and painful history and ongoing impacts of residential schools is a vital component of the reconciliation process.

Wear orange as a symbolize of the loss of culture, freedom, and self-esteem that many Indigenous children experienced.

For more information see: https:// www.canada.ca/en/canadian-heritage/ campaigns/national-day-truthreconciliation.html



Funday Sunday— Children's Program

All children 5 - 11 years of age are invited to join our Funday Sunday program at Aurora United Church.

Children go downstairs to Binions Hall following the lighting of the candles.

For more information see: https:// www.auroraunitedchurch.ca/connect/children



SAVE THE DATE **EUCHRE NIGHT**

Nov. 1, @ 7pm Binions Hall \$20 each, supporting Rising from the Ashes



Pastoral Care

Our committee's mission is to provide support and care for our members, particularly during times of need, such as illness, bereavement, or personal challenges. We also celebrate successes and special occasions.

To achieve this goal effectively, we need help in monitoring and documenting these needs so that we can respond promptly with visits, cards, or other forms of support. If you are aware of an individual in need of assistance, kindly reach out to the church office. Paula Hanna, or one of the members of the Pastoral Care team. To reach a member contact the office a infoauroraunitedchurch.ca.

Pastoral Care Team:

Paula Hanna, Kathie Blackman, Jackie Catto, Susan Eaton, Nancy Newman, Marilyn Patterson, Nels Patterson, Mary Smith, and Suzanne Whitehurst.



Book Club

Next meeting Tuesday Oct 21, 7 pm Minister's office

Everyone's Welcome



Cash Cards - When you purchase gift cards for everyday items you are buying anyway - groceries, gas, coffee, etc. - the church benefits.

To purchase Cash Cards go to: https:// www.auroraunitedchurch.ca/connect/cash-cards--43



Nursery Staff Needed

Paid program coordinator needed. If you are interested contact the office



The Aurora Community Café St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church Wednesday 10 am - 2pm

Would you like to volunteer at the Café? Contact the office: info@auroraunitedchurch.ca

Contacting Our Church Staff by Phone 905-727-1935 or Email

Suzanne Whitehurst x 21 Secretary Affe Zhao x 24 Bookkeeper Margaret Heney x 26 Music Coordinator Lisa Kyriakides x 27 Handbell Choir Director

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Aurora United Church

Sept 28, 2025~11 am

Church Office Hours 9 am ~ 12 pm (noon) Monday ~ Thursday Aurora United Church Office 905-727-1935 x 21 ~ www.auroraunitedchurch.ca

Annual License w/Podcasting, no. A-718074 for Mar 01, 2025- Feb 28, 2026

Hearing assists available on the Welcome Table and from the volunteer in the sound booth.

September 28- October 5 ~ Pentecost 16	
Sun. Sept 28 Cash card del'v	11 am Pentecost 16 Sunday ~ Rev. Tim Dayfoot 11 am Nursery (to age 4) and Funday Sunday 12 noon Affirming Committee meeting ~ Minister's office
Mon. Sept 29	4 pm - 6 pm EmBellished ~ Nursery
Tue. Sept 30	National Day of Truth and Reconciliation ~ Wear orange in support
Wed. Oct 1	10 am - 2 pm Aurora Community Café ~ St. Andrew's Presbyterian Chur 5:15 pm - 6:45 pm Faith-A-Peal, Handbells ~ Sanctuary 7 pm—8:15pm Bellissimo, Handbells ~ Sanctuary
Thurs. Oct 2	1 pm - 3:00 pm Prayer Shawl Crafters Circle ~ Nursery 7 pm — 8:30 pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal ~ Sanctuary 11:30 am -1 pm Martha's Table ~ St. Andrew's Presbyterian
Sat. Oct 4	9:30 - 10:30 Rise & Shine Breakfast ~ Binion's Hall
Sun. Oct 5	11 am Pentecost 17, World Communion Sunday ~ Rev. Tim Dayfoot 11 am Nursery (to age 4) and Funday Sunday



RISING FROM **THE ASHES**

Check out the AUC website:

https://www.auroraunitedchurch.ca/news/ auc-rising-from-the-ashes

As of Sunday Sept 21we have raised

\$290,626.52

Thank you for your support!

Sunday Morning Nursery Infants to 4vrs



If you are interested in serving as Nursery volunteer (ages teen to adult) contact the ice: info@auroraunitedchurch.ca



COFFEE TIME

You are invited to remain in the entranceway following worship for a time of conversation and refreshment.

Worship Schedule

Sunday October 5 - Rev. Tim Dayfoot Sunday October 12 - Rev. Tim Dayfoot Sunday October 19 - Rev. Ross Carson Sunday October 26 - Rev. Linda Levin