# RISE AND SHINE BREAKFAST NEEDS YOU

The Rise & Shine teams are looking for volunteers to help with Saturday breakfast. The commitment is once every 4th Saturday for a few hours in the morning.

EXCELLENT way for high school students to get their community hours. If you are available to help, contact the office: info@auroraunitedchurch.ca

**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: https:// www.auroraunitedchurch.ca/connect/ cash-cards--43



The 2026 offering envelopes are now available for those members of the congregation who make their givings by numbered envelope.
You can pick up your envelopes at the Welcome Table. Thank you for your continued support of Aurora United Church!

#### **Social Media**

If you have anything (photos, text, etc.) that you would like to have posted to Facebook and/or Instagram, please send it to socialmedia@auroraunitedchurch.ca.



## **Prayer Shawl Ministry**

Prayer Shawls and pocket shawls can be obtained after Sunday services downstairs, outside Binions Hall. This ministry is all encompassing for anyone within and beyond the A.U.C. congregation.

# **Christmas Services at Aurora United Church**

Christmas 1 - December 28, 2025 - 11 am Epiphany (Communion) - January 4, 2026 11 am



#### **AUC Christmas Office Hours**

The Office will be closed from Dec 25th to January 4th. Phone messages and emails will continue to be monitored during the office closure by Rev. Linda Wheler from Dec 25th to Dec 31st, then by Rev. Tim Dayfoot from Jan 1st to Jan. 4th. Wishing you a blessed Christmas season!

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

Rev. Linda Wheler x 23 Minister Rev. Tim Dayfoot x 22 Minister

Margaret Heney x 21 Music Coordinator/Office Admin

Affe Zhao x 24 Bookkeeper

Lisa Kyriakides x 27 Handbell Choir Director

linda@auroraunitedchurch.ca tim@auroraunitedchurch.ca info@auroraunitedchurch.ca bookkeeper@auroraunitedchurch.ca handbells@auroraunitedchurch.ca

# Aurora United Church

Dec 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

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

December 28 ~ January 4 ~ Christmas 1	
Sun. Dec. 28	11 am Christmas I 11 am Nursery (to age 4)
Sat. Jan. 3	9:30 - 10:30 Rise & Shine Breakfast ~ Binions Hall
Sun. Jan. 4	11 am Epiphany (Communion) 11 am Nursery (to age 4)

#### SINGERS WANTED!

The AUC Chancel Choir rehearses on Thursday evenings from 7:00-8:30 Pm, and we'd love to have you sing with us!

For more information, visit our Choir website:

www.auroraunitedchurch.ca/worship/chancel-choir
or contact our

AUC Music Coordinator, Margaret Heney at margaret@auroraunitedchurch.ca

# Sunday Morning Nursery

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

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church
Wednesday 10 am - 2pm will return
in February! Would you like to volunteer?
Contact the office:

info@auroraunitedchurch.ca

#### Join the AUC Handbells

No experience necessary.

Lots of fun and fellowship.

Rehearsals are Wednesday evenings.



Please contact Lisa Kyriakides at handbells@auroraunitedchurch.ca or 647-828-3317.

**Everyone Welcome** 

# Coffice

#### **COFFEE TIME**

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

### RISING FROM THE ASHES

Check out the AUC website:

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

As of Sunday, December 21st, we have raised \$414, 326.81. Thank you for your support!

# Funday Sunday- Children's Program



The Funday Sunday Children's Program is for children from age 5-11. For more information: https://www.auroraunitedchurch.ca/connect/children