



## 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](mailto:info@auroraunitedchurch.ca)

### 2025 Annual Reports

The 2025 Annual Report submissions from all AUC committees are due by Sunday, February 8th, 2026. Please send them to Margaret in the office: [info@auroraunitedchurch.ca](mailto:info@auroraunitedchurch.ca). **THANK YOU!**



New Offering Envelopes

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!

### Sunday Morning Nursery

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



**Changes to Our Sunday Worship Service Leadership**  
The Ministry and Personnel Committee along with AUC Council would like to let you know of a change in how our Sunday services will be conducted. Beginning Sunday, January 18th, Rev. Linda and Rev. Tim will take turns conducting the service individually, instead of both being here every Sunday. This new arrangement is intended to help us, as a congregation, become accustomed to having one minister leading each Sunday. We believe this change will support our ongoing spiritual growth and allow us to benefit from the unique perspectives and gifts that both Rev. Linda and Rev. Tim bring to our community. We appreciate your understanding and support as we transition to this new format. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to speak with a member of the church leadership team.



### SAVE THE DATE! AUC Movie Night Tuesday, February 10th - 7 pm Binions Hall

*I'll Find You* is a romantic war drama set during the early days of World War II. The film follows two musicians, ROBERT, and RACHEL during the German invasion of Poland. Please join us for a good movie, refreshments, and good conversation. There is no charge for this night's entertainment.



### 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](http://www.auroraunitedchurch.ca/worship/chancel-choir) or contact our AUC Music Coordinator, Margaret Heney at [margaret@auroraunitedchurch.ca](mailto:margaret@auroraunitedchurch.ca)



# Aurora United Church

Jan 25 2026~11 am

Church Office Hours 9 am ~ 12 pm (noon) Monday ~ Thursday

Aurora United Church Office 905-727-1935 x 21 ~ [www.auroraunitedchurch.ca](http://www.auroraunitedchurch.ca)

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



### January 25 - February 1 ~ Epiphany 3

Sun. Jan. 25	11 am Epiphany 3 11 am Nursery (to age 4)
Mon. Jan. 26	4:00-6:00 pm EmBellished Handbells ~ Nursery 7:00-9:00 pm UCW Grace Unit ~ Binions Hall
Wed. Jan. 28	5:00-6:00 pm Welcome Table ~ Binions Hall 5:00-6:45 pm Faith-a-Peal Handbells ~ Sanctuary 7:00-8:15 pm Bellissimo Handbells ~ Sanctuary
Thurs. Jan. 29	11:00 am-1:00 pm Martha's Table ~ St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church 7:00-8:30 pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal ~ Sanctuary
Sat. Jan. 31	9:30-10:30 am Rise & Shine Breakfast ~ Binions Hall
Sun. Feb. 1	11 am Epiphany 4 11 am Nursery (to age 4)

### Join the AUC Handbells!



No experience necessary. Lots of fun and fellowship. Rehearsals are Wednesday evenings. Visit the AUC website Handbell page at <http://www.auroraunitedchurch.ca/worship/handbell-choirs>.



### COFFEE TIME

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



**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/--43>.



**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 AUC congregation.



### Funday Sunday- Children's Program



Children are welcome to worship with their families. Pew Packs are available on the Welcome Table. We will keep looking for a warm place to host future Funday Sundays!

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

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The Life and Work of our Congregation continues...