

AUC PIANO UPDATE

An update on the pianos for the first floor at our new church include two upright pianos and a baby grand piano, all three are donations. The baby grand is a Yamaha, the size is 63” from the outer edge of the keyboard to the back of the instrument. The present one at Trinity Anglican is 66”. All three have been approved by Margaret and the structure of each checked by a piano tuner (eg. sound board/pins/hammers/keyboard/pedals etc.). When in position on the Chancel/Margaret’s office/Music Prep Room, they will be tuned. Crawford H. (Chair of Property)



Your Pastoral Care Team

During this transition, while we await the calling of a new minister, the Pastoral Care Team is available to support our church family. The Membership and Communications Committee created the card pictured here. Use the space on the back to share comments, questions, prayer requests, or news of births, deaths, celebrations, illnesses, and other pastoral care needs. You do not need to complete every field; simply provide your name and an email address or phone number so we can contact you if more information is needed. Write **Pastoral Care** as the title to ensure your card reaches our committee. Cards are available on the Welcome Table. Leave them with the person at the Welcome Table or place them on the offering plate. You may also contact the church office or Pastoral Care Chair Paula Hanna. **Church office:** 905-727-1935, ext. 21 (Margaret) or info@auroraunitedchurch.ca **Paula Hanna:** 905-727-2584 | phanna6@gmail.com



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Mason Jar Collection

For its next fundraiser, AUCW is collecting Mason Jars in 2 c. or 500 ml size. Please bring your donations to the Welcome Table on Sunday mornings or to the church's office during office hours.

Absolutely, if you have any empty jars from your soup purchases, we would be delighted to have them back for the next time!



BEAN SOUP FUNDRAISER

AUCW would like to express appreciation for the support of our recent fundraiser. With your support, we raised \$1,250 for the AUC Reconstruction Fund which is overseen by AUCW.



BOOK CLUB

The next AUC Book Club meeting is on **Tuesday, October 20th at 7 pm.** We will be discussing **The Gales of November** by John U. Bacon.

This meeting will be on Zoom. For the Zoom link, please contact the office.





Aurora United Church

October 18, 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
Annual License w/Podcasting, no. A-718074 for Mar 01, 2026 - Feb 28, 2027
Hearing assists available on the Welcome Table and from the volunteer in the sound booth.



October 18~October 25 ~ Pentecost 21	
Sun. Oct. 18 Cash Card Delivery	11 am Pentecost 21 (AUCW) 11 am Funday Sunday & Nursery (to age 4) 12:15-2:00 pm Affirming Committee ~ Offsite
Mon. Oct. 19	4:00-6:00 pm EmBellished Handbells ~ Nursery
Tues. Oct. 20	7:00-9:00 pm AUC Book Club ~ Zoom
Wed. Oct. 21	9 am AUC Breakfast ~ PD Diner (230 Wellington Street East, Aurora) 10:00 am-1:30 pm Aurora Community Café ~ St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church 5:00-6:00 pm Welcome Table ~ Binions Hall 5:30-6:45 pm Faith-a-Peal Handbells ~ Sanctuary 7:00-8:15 pm Bellissimo Handbells ~ Sanctuary
Thurs. Oct. 22	11:00 am-1:00 pm Martha's Table ~ St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church 7:00-8:30 pm AUC Chancel Choir Rehearsal ~ Sanctuary
Sat. Oct. 24	9 am Rise & Shine Breakfast ~ St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church
Sun. Oct. 25	11 am Pentecost 22 (AUC Chancel Choir) 11 am Funday Sunday & Nursery (to age 4)

COFFEE TIME

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



AUC BREAKFAST!

The next breakfast will take place on **Wednesday, October 21st at 9 am** at **PD Diner** (230 Wellington St. E.)

Come join for the good food and conversation!



Sunday Morning Greeters

Our greeters this morning are:
Barb Harries, Jean Heys, and Nancy Newman.



Funday Sunday RETURNS this SUNDAY!

We can't wait to see you! ♥

Children of all ages are invited to join us for **FUNDAY SUNDAY** at Aurora United Church!

Funday Sunday is where faith and friendships grow. Through drama, crafts, and interactive activities, children explore the worship themes being shared upstairs in hands-on ways that bring the stories to life. Along the way, they discover that God is always with them and learn to serve others with kindness.

11:00 am Children start upstairs with the congregation.

Around 11:15 am Children head downstairs together to Binions Hall.

After worship Parents are welcome to join, or pick up their children after worship, and then head upstairs for Coffee Time, where families gather with the congregation for snacks and conversation.

Drama
Crafts
Friendship
Faith. Friendship. Fun. ♥

All are welcome!



The Life and Work of our Congregation continues...