

COMING UP
AT CHALMERS UNITED AND SYDENHAM ST UNITED (2018)

Thursday, Nov. 8

- **12 pm: Thursday lunch** in MacCallum Hall. \$7.-per person. Everyone is welcome to join our group. If you have not attended but would like to attend, please phone Jane MacEwen at 613-546-3905.

Saturday, Nov 10

- **PeaceQuest** is organizing a national gathering at Memorial Hall to mark the 100th anniversary of the end of World War I. The program will feature Paul Rogers, Professor of Peace Studies at the University of Bradford and Global Security Consultant with Oxford Research Group. He is the author of *Why We're Losing the War on Terror* and regular guest on CBC-Radio's *Sunday Edition*. Other guests include John McGarry (Political Studies, Queen's), Shannon-Monk Payne (Sakatay Global), Bianca Mugenyi (The Leap), Mona Rahman (Islamic Society of Kingston) and author Lawrence Scanlan.

Sunday, Nov. 11

- **Re-Gifting at its Best:** Please bring your donated items to Donna Delyea, Barb Landon, or leave them in the SSUC Church Office to Donna's by Nov. 11th. SSUC has provided our regular Voucher Program recipients with items to give as gifts to others. You can help make this year's initiative a success as well! Everyone has things in their closets that they've received as gifts, or that they purchased for themselves but know they will never use. Why not de-clutter your closets, etc. and help us re-gift those items? Please bring any small, UNUSED items that you have to SSUC – our regulars in the Voucher Program will be afforded an opportunity to select items that they, in turn, can give as gifts to a friend or relative at Christmas. Recommended items include: candles, candle holders, picture frames, small purses, makeup bags, scarves, toques, warm socks, gloves, etc. Thank you!
- **PeaceQuest** is collaborating with The Isabel to present the third Remembrance Day event featuring Open Voices Community Choir, the Juno Award winning Okavango African Orchestra, PeaceSong, Kate Johnson, Paul Rogers and more. The music will be backed by the poignant projections of The World Remembers displaying the names of the millions who died on both sides of the tragic conflict. This event was sold out in 2016 and 2017 so get your tickets early. Details and tickets for both events are available from Michael Cooke (mcooke253@gmail.com or 416-209-6156) or at <https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/imagining-peace-a-peacequest-gathering-tickets-47470466443>

Tuesday, Nov. 13

- **11:30 am: Two Church Lunch and Learn Group** will be at the Best Western Bistro Stefan Restaurant, 1217 Princess St. (Please note the new location as of this Fall). Our speaker will be John Fielding. The title of his talk is: *British Home Children: A Canadian, Communal, and Personal Story*. Everyone from Sydenham St. and Chalmers is invited to attend. please contact Meikle Turner at 613-542-7744 or <meikle_irish@yahoo.com> by 5 pm on Sun. Nov. 11. The cost is \$22.
- **7 pm: Chalmers CCE** will meet on in MacCallum Hall.

Sunday, Nov. 18

- **10:30 am: Covenanting Service for Rev. Barry King**, followed by lunch in the Hall.
- **1:30 pm: 8th Fire** In the spirit of the Canadian Truth and Reconciliation Commission report, Chalmers and Sydenham Street United Churches are jointly presenting *8th Fire*. In this 4-part CBC production, broadcaster Wab Kinew introduces viewers to "a high energy journey through Aboriginal Country". The four parts will be shown on the big screen at Chalmers over the course of 4 Sundays on Nov 18, Nov 25, and Feb 03, 24, 2019. No Admission Fee. View the poster on website: Sydenham Street United Church 8th Fire or on Facebook, facebook.com/Sydenham-Street-United-Church. For info or to help deliver posters, contact Barbara Parrott <parrottb@hotmail.com> or Rosemary Maclachlan <rosymaclachlan@gmail.com>

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Stamp Program:** Please save your cancelled stamps from home or business mail. The corner of the envelope is all that is required. Place stamps in the Box at the back of Chalmers' sanctuary or drop them off at the Church Office. (Use mail slot if the Office is closed). The value of used stamps goes toward new stamps, saving the church hundreds of dollars annually in postage costs.