

# Seagrave United Church

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## Upcoming Events

**March 18 6:00pm** ST. PATRICK'S DAY SUPPER Free will offering and a donation of non-perishable items for the Scugog Food Bank would be appreciated.

**March 24 9:15 am** AFFIRMATION OF FAITH Service for David Hooker.

**March 25 7:00 pm** MILK BAG MAT MAKING Everyone is welcome!! Contact Tara Taylor 905-985-9479.

Dear Friends,

Here we are in mid-March, we have turned our clocks ahead an hour and the snow is melting, leaving us with the bare lawns showing. Spring arrives this Wednesday. Time is flying by too quickly.

## VIBE – Job Fair March 20<sup>th</sup> to Hire 2 Student Leaders

Seagrave United Church will be hosting VIBE (Vacation Bible School) again this summer Aug. 19 - 23, 1:30 - 4:30pm. Our area of Region 11 ECORC will be hiring 2 student leaders. These positions will be advertised by Victoria County Career Services who are holding a Job Fair in the NE corner of the Whitney Mall in Lindsay this Wednesday, March 20<sup>th</sup>. If interested please drop by.

## Save Pull Tabs for the Lions Club

The GREENBANK-SEAGRAVE LIONS CLUB is collecting pull tabs to finance seeing eye dogs. Any pull tabs from beer cans, pop cans or any type of pull tab are acceptable. Contact Don Beacock for pickup or more information at 905-985-3595.

During the month of March, the **FOOD BANK DRIVE continues for Scugog Food Bank.**

## Lenten Luncheons every Wednesday in March. Free admission!

*A joint project of the churches of Port Perry and area.*

**11:50 am to 12:50 pm** hosted at St. John's Presbyterian Church 319 Queen Street, Port Perry.

**Wednesday, March 20<sup>th</sup>**  
Speakers: Heather Haliburton-Smith & Eyad Mousa,  
Port Perry Syrian Refugee Reunification Support Group

## More Important News

### Play Softball this Summer

SEAGRAVE MEN'S SUNDAY NIGHT SOFTBALL is looking for new players 35 years or older. Contact John Olivero at [john.greenbank@gmail.com](mailto:john.greenbank@gmail.com) for more information.

### Don't forget the Good Friday walk!

Friday, April 19th, 9:30 am gathering at the gazebo in Palmer Park.

### My Self Care.....A Reader's Personal Response

Daily time reading the bible, listening to Christian music, encouraging others through a phone call, visit or sending a card. Crafting. Get outside in the sunshine! Connect with friends. Singing at the top of my lungs to a favourite tune!

### Meditation – Take time to Reflect

Thursdays from 1:00 – 2:00pm please join us for a guided meditation with Stephanie at Greenbank.

### Condolences

The community sends condolences to the families of Alex Ingram and Ross Sweetman. Alex at one time lived on Scugog Island and later lived in Seagrave. He taught school in Port Perry and taught some of our children. Ross spent some of his younger years in Seagrave where his dad owned the garage. After he was married, he lived in Prince Albert.

### Happy Birthday to You!

Happy Birthday wishes go out to Brett Drew (Mar. 14).

### Greeters Sunday March 24

Teri Murphy-Payne and Howard Payne

### Church Service Highlights

If you missed the service, you can listen to it here:  
[http://seagrave-church.com/ListentoService/Mar\\_17\\_2019.html](http://seagrave-church.com/ListentoService/Mar_17_2019.html)

The friendly greeters this past Sunday were Jack and Elizabeth Redshaw.



## In the Community

### Manilla Hall Events - March

GENTLE FIT EXERCISES:  
Saturday mornings 8:15–  
9:15am. Info at 705-432-2355  
ext. 243

MORNING RESTORATIVE  
YOGA: Tuesdays 10:30–  
11:30am. Info at 705-432-  
2355

YOGA CLASSES: Thursdays  
7:45–8:45pm. Info at 705-  
432-2355

**March 21** is the FOOD FOR  
THOUGHT LUNCHEON.  
Speakers start at 10am  
followed by a homemade  
lunch. Our speaker is **Rich  
Helms** showing us the art of  
waffle making right from  
scratch. Admission \$7.00.  
RSVP to 705 357 3637

**We need magazines** up to 2  
years old and in good  
condition for the **Port Perry  
Hospital Auxiliary**. Please  
contact Diane Puckrin at  
905-985-2489 for drop-off  
info.

Carol Coleman and her grandson Paul Button lit the Christ Candle and Carol visited the birthday box.

The scripture reader was Richard Charron.

The Minute for Mission entry was read by Tara Bailey-Taylor.

The anthem the choir sang was called "God so loved the World" by Steiner.

Minister Stephanie's sermon was about God's love for all people. God loves everyone and so should we, regardless of any differences. When we sense a problem with another person, we should ask ourselves what Jesus would do in that situation. God calls on each of us to love all people, and that love should come from the heart.

## Still More News

**ECORC Regional Council 11 March 19** at Queen St. United Church in Lindsay. Beginning at 2:30pm coffee and visiting. Sacred Circle dancing. Information presentations. 5:30pm Agape pot luck dinner (please bring dishes and cutlery). Prayer, music and drama. Renewing and making new connections.

**Church Cluster Meeting March 20** 7:00pm at Epsom Church. This includes those from Seagrave, Greenbank, Sunderland, Vroomanton, Epsom and Utica Churches. All welcome.

## Seagrave & Greenbank News

FIRST AID AND CPR TRAINING at Greenbank Church Saturday March 30 9:00am-4:30pm, \$70 per person. Hosted by the GS Mission Team. Certification is good for 3 years. Receipts provided. RSVP [GS Mission Team](#)

## Reminders

If you wish to **rent the hall**, please contact Rick at 905-985-8383 or [barberick@sympatico.ca](mailto:barberick@sympatico.ca).

If you **have an item for this newsletter**, call Jean at 985-9921 or [grammiejean2010@hotmail.com](mailto:grammiejean2010@hotmail.com)

If you **no longer wish to receive a copy of this Newsletter**, please contact Richard at 905-767-0653 or [charronra@hotmail.com](mailto:charronra@hotmail.com)



## More in the Community

**March 24 1:00–5:00pm** OLD TIME FIDDLE JAM at Manilla Hall. Enjoy music, dancing, open mic and prizes too. Easy access. Lunch available. Admission \$5.00. Info at 705 357 3637.

**March 28 7:00 pm** Columbus Church is presenting MUSICALLY IN LOVE with our Music Director Anthony Alexander. An unbelievable artist, Anthony has created a five-part series relating music to artistry and life in general. Topic will be artistic Harmony. Free will Donation.

## JOINT UNITED COMMUNITY MINISTRY (UCM) LENTEN SERVICES & EVENTS

**April 18 7:00pm** Joint Maundy Thursday Service at Woodville UC.

**April 19 11:00am** Joint Good Friday Service at Cannington UC.

**April 21 7:00am** Joint Sunrise Easter Service at Peniel UC.