

GSUC News
October 11, 2026



Join us for worship on Thanksgiving Sunday October 11.

Reflection: "To Be Thankful" with Rev. Patrick Woodbeck.

Worship begins at 11:30 am

All are welcome!

See you Sunday!

In person or live stream @ [On-line Service](#) | [Grey Street United Church](#)

Reminder!

All requests to book the church should now be sent to the new mailbox.

gsuchurchbookings@gmail.com

Stewardship Second

God has invited everyone to the great feast of life.

Accept the invitation and bring something to share!

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Upcoming Worship and Events

Sunday October 18, World Food Sunday.
Please consider a donation to Canadian Food Grains.

Reflection: To be forsaken.

Sunday October 25, worship leader Diane McKenty CDM
Reflection: TBA

Prayer Cycle 2026

As church, we are called to pray for each other and for our mission in the world.

For the week of October 11 to October 17, 2026

Prairie to Pine Region Prayer Cycle – • Thanksgiving Sunday; Creation Time ends

- Thanksgiving (October 12) • International Day for the Eradication of Poverty (October 17)
- Warren-Meadow Lea (Warren, Meadow-Lea) • Balmoral • Winnipeg: Westminster

Ecumenical Prayer Cycle – Costa Rica, El Salvador, Nicaragua, Panama

Leadership Team News

A/Leadership Team Chair: October 1 to November 18, 2026

Greg Holowka: 431-588-5389 email: gholowka@gmail.com

Next Leadership Team Meeting TBD

Do you have a bouquet, question, or concern that you would like to pass on to the Leadership Team? Please contact our Wise one.

Nick Palylyk: npalylyk@gmail.com

**A Big Thank You to Everyone that supported
The GSUC Thanksgiving Pie Sale.**

We Totally Sold Out!
41 large and 50 small fruit pies were made this year.

Sales and donations realized a profit of \$641 for the ongoing Life and Word at GSUC.

The Pie Gals
Luane and Cathy

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GSUC One Day Market – November 14

There is still time to rent a table for this market.

Please share this news with family and friends you know may be interested in participating.
(the poster with full details of this event can be found later in this newsletter)

Thanks – the Community Market Interest Group
Donna Cameron, Gemma Eko-Davis, John Sawchuk, Cathy Welby

Thanks to Everyone that bought Girl Guide cookies last Sunday.

They really appreciate your support – Cathy W

Wider Church News

Our special **prayers of gratitude and thanksgiving** are offered for our many blessings, individual and collective, as Canadians celebrate **Thanksgiving Day** on **Monday, October 12, 2026**. We are invited to consider joining **Kitchen Conversations: A Thanksgiving Table** — a special video series from **October 8 –12, 2026**, with the Moderator, the Right Reverend **Kimberly Heath and Chef Izzeldin Bukhari** cooking recipes from his home in Palestine and sharing stories about how food can create connection, foster belonging, and open pathways toward peace. [Click here to read more.](#)

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NEW: [Rally to End Poverty](#). On **October 15**, right before the International Day for the Eradication of Poverty, people across Manitoba will come together to say: poverty is not inevitable, and we can do better. Join Make Poverty History Manitoba for a rally to celebrate the people and communities working for change—and to demand provincial government action to ensure everyone in Manitoba has a safe home, enough to eat, a decent income, and the opportunity to live with dignity.

Thursday, Oct. 15, 2026, 12:00 - 1:00 pm, Manitoba Legislature. Featuring speakers from the following communities: First Nations, urban Indigenous, food banks, people with disabilities, newcomers, students, child poverty, feminists, housing, labour and Giiwedini Migizi drummers. Advocates know what it takes to end poverty, have the resources, the ideas, and the collective strength. What we need is the courage and political will to act. Come raise your voice, stand together, and imagine a Manitoba where no one is left behind.

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Saturday, October 17, 10 a.m-3 p.m., Niverville United Church (55 1st Street North, Niverville, MB). **Prairie to Pine UCW presents A 4F Day for Women: Faith, Fellowship, Fun and Food.** Please RSVP by **October 01, 2026**. Click [here](#) for more information.

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Minister Office Hours:

Wednesdays 8:30am to 2:30pm

Patrick Woodbeck – Email: ministergsuc@gmail.com

Pastoral Care emergency, please leave a message at 204-962-1060.

GSUC Office Hours:

Monday to Friday 9:45am – 1:45pm.

Email: greyunited@gmail.com Phone: 204-667-9413

Contribution Envelopes/PAR (Pre-Authorized Remittances)

If you would like Contribution Envelopes or require information about PAR (Pre-Authorized Remittances) donations to Grey Street UC, please contact the office.



ANNOUNCING!

ONE-DAY MARKET

AT GREY STREET UNITED CHURCH (GSUC)
651 SANDHURST AVENUE
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 14
10:00 AM TO 3:00 PM

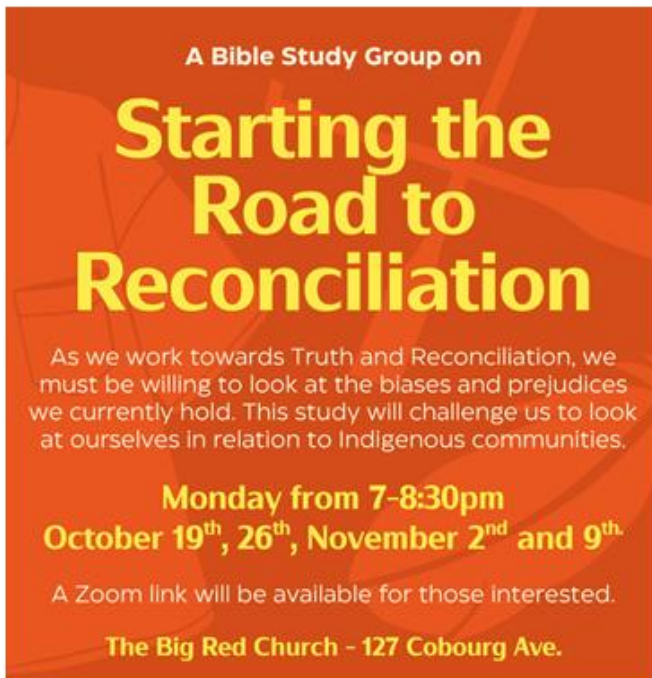
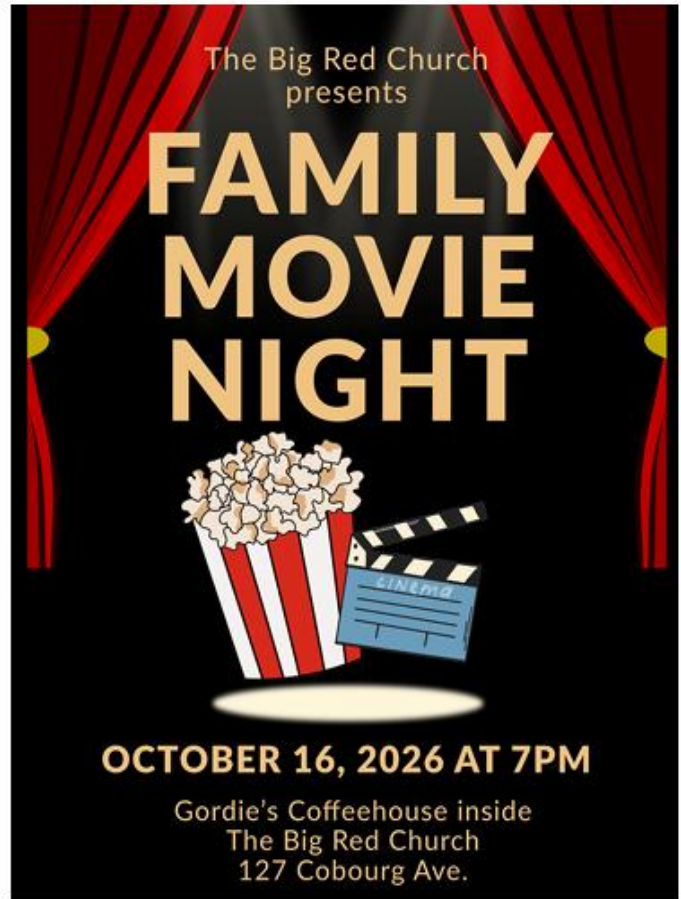
OUR GOAL FOR HOSTING THIS EVENT IS TO **BRING COMMUNITY TOGETHER FOR A ONE-DAY MARKET** IN OUR BUILDING, **SUPPORTING LOCAL HOME-BASED BUSINESSES** AND GIVING PEOPLE **AN OPPORTUNITY TO NETWORK**.

IF YOU ARE A **CRAFTER** OR **BAKER** AND WOULD BE INTERESTED IN SELLING YOUR PRODUCTS AT THIS MARKET, PLEASE SEND AN EMAIL REQUESTING MORE DETAILS
TO: gsucspecevents@gmail.com

OR YOU MAY WISH TO LEAVE A MESSAGE AT OUR VOICEMAIL **204-667-9413**

WE LOOK FORWARD TO HEARING FROM YOU!

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Other Community of Faith News

Prairie to Pine UCW

Presenting
A 4F Day for Women:
Faith, Fellowship, Fun and Food
Saturday, October 17th, 2026
10am ~ 3 pm

Hosted by:
UCW ~ Niverville United Church
55 1st Street North, Niverville, MB

SAVE the DATE

No Registration fee

Coffee & Muffins served At 9:45

Singing

Holy Moments with Joan Zaretsky
'Free book provided'

Catered Lunch Provided by P2P UCW

Please RSVP by October 1st, 2026

Learning

Meet new friends

A Free Will Offering will be collected which will be donated to the United Church Healing Fund.

Due to some with allergies, please refrain from strong scents. Thank you!

For more information:
Karen Corbett: (204)232-7369 karen.corbett5@gmail.com
Joan Zaretsky: (204)885-3253 jdzaretsky@gmail.com
Please RSVP to:
Gloria Nicol Phone: 204-792-5653 glorianicol62@gmail.com

FORT GARRY UNITED CHURCH

HOMECOMING WORSHIP SERVICE

NOVEMBER 1, 2026

10:30 AM

800 POINT ROAD • WINNIPEG

If you or someone you know have been part of our church family, please come celebrate with us.

WELCOME TO THE TRAVELLING EXHIBITION

HERE FROM THE BEGINNING

COMMEMORATING Resilience, Belonging & Bold Discipleship in the United Church

In commemoration of **100TH ANNIVERSARY**
Deep • Bold • Daring

THE UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA FOUNDATION

Pilgrim United Church Edmonton

Broadview

NORTHERN SPIRIT REGIONAL CHURCHES

TUCC
Connecting Communities

RAISONNANCE

Transcona Memorial United Church ~ 209 Yale Avenue West in Winnipeg ~ 204-222-1331
Sunday, October 25: 12:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Monday to Friday, October 26 to 30: 10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.
Saturday, October 31: 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Free Admission ~ Outside Beverages Allowed