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<u>Welcome</u>

GATHERING HYMN: HOSANNA PRAISE IS RISING

Opening Prayer

Special Music

Theme Time

HYMN FOR THE YOUNG AT HEART: ALL THE PEOPLE SAY AMEN

Our Sacred Scripture: Hebrews 2:10-18

Sermon: "Made for It: Siblings"

Music for Reflection: "Jesus My Brother"

Prayer of the People and Lord's Prayer

Dedication of the Offering

HYMN: LEANING ON THE EVERLASTING ARMS

Benediction

Today's Worship Leaders:

Minister: Rev. Mike Putnam Musician: Andrea Putnam Special Music: Greg Robson Scripture Reader: Rick McFarlane Selby United Church Rev. Mike Putnam, Minister 153 Pleasant Drive, Selby, On KOK 2ZO Office: 613-388-2375

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Announcements

Birthdays

Best wishes for a happy birthday are extended to those who are celebrating this week:
Taylor Lambert – November 12th
Duane Bird - November 14th
Leo Dwyer – November 15th
Paul Dudgeon – November 17th



Play Group

Our play group for Moms and Tots will be Monday, November 13th from 9:30 – 11:30.

Youth Group

Will meet on Friday, November 17th 5:30 pm-7:30 pm

Cornerstone

Our Cornerstone Kids Group will meet on Wednesday, November 15^h, 6:30 pm.

Bible Study

The Chosen Bible study – Session 3 will meet on Thursday, November 16th at 10:30 am

We are almost finished with Season 3 of 'The Chosen'. We will be taking a break over Christmas but there are some folks who would like to start at the beginning of Season 1 again in January. If you are interested in joining us, please see Louise Storey. Season 4 will not be released to start until sometime in March. In either case we would be very happy to have you join us.

Selby Men's Group

Will meet on Thursday, November 23rd at 7:00 pm. All men are welcome to join us. We will be looking at year end decisions.

Photo Directory

Please check the photo directory on the table at the back of the church. We are updating the directory, so if you would like to update your picture or information, please make a notation beside your name. If you are not in the directory, please send your picture and info to the church email or to Dave Stapley at dl.stapley@gmail.com

Poinsettias

If you are interested in putting a poinsettia in the church in memory of a loved one, we will be placing an order with Thrashers in Belleville. The cost of the poinsettias are 6" plant for \$10.00 or an 8" plant for \$28.00. All the flowers will be delivered to the church in time for the December 03rd service.

Please see Jane by Sunday, November 12th if you are interested in purchasing a poinsettia

Christmas Blessing Bags

Hello everyone! Christmas will be here before we know it, and once again we are looking forward to being able to share our blessings. We hope to start preparing a little earlier this year since shopping will require a little more thought with the cost of groceries. If you hope to, or plan to participate could you please chat with Louise Storey.

Cookie & Square Trays

Get your pre-orders for goodie trays in by Sunday, November 26th to Glenda Hudgins, Jane Hughes, or Lorraine Martin. Small trays are \$10.00; medium trays are \$15.00 and large trays are \$25.00. The trays can be picked up on Friday, Decmber 01st from 12:00 – 3:00 pm. We will also be selling, gum drop cakes - \$8.00; and United Church cook books - \$20.00.

Bakers, please have your baking in non-returnable containers if possible to the church on Thursday, November 30th between 1:30 – 3:00 pm or before 9:00 am on Friday, December 01st. We will be making up the trays on Friday morning.

Henderson United Church

Will be vendoring at Parham U. C. Christian Education Hall (1035 Wagarville Road, Parham) on Saturday, November 25th from 10 am – 2 pm. Our product is hand made cards (Christmas and every day occasion). Your support enables our little white church to be a spiritual presence, serve God, offer weekly worship, student ministry training and to work with our township to offer a hall for our community and area.

SMILE

My friend Tom and I were working in his soybean field chopping down thistles when the new Pastor of the local Methodist church drove up. He got out of his car and walked out to where we were working.

"Good Morning, men. I see you're working in the Lord's vineyard this morning."

Without looking up Tom says, "Nope, these are soybeans."

The Pastor asked, "Well are you fellas lost?"

Tom says, "Nope, I've lived on this farm my whole life."

The Pastor continued, "Are you ready for the Judgement Day?"

Tom asked, "Don't know, when is it gonna be?"

The Pastor says, "Well we don't know. It could be today, tomorrow or the next day."

Tom says, "Well, if you stop up at the house don't tell my wife. I got a lot of work to do and she'll probably want to go all three days."