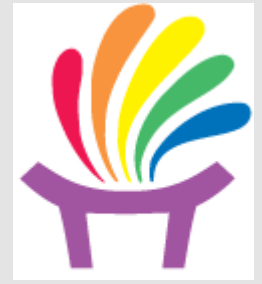




# Riverbend United Church Announcements



August 3<sup>rd</sup> to August 12<sup>th</sup>, 2018

Friday, August 10 <sup>th</sup>	8:30 am 10:00 am 4:00 pm 7:00 pm	Discover Coding Zone (Lower level hall) WeCan Food Basket Society (Library) WeCan Food Basket Society (Library) Ghana Methodist Church (Chapel)
Saturday, August 11 <sup>th</sup>		
<b>Sunday, August 12<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>10:00 am 12:30 pm</b>	<b>Service (Sanctuary)</b> Ghana Methodist Church (Sanctuary)
Monday, August 13 <sup>th</sup>	9:00 am	Discover Coding Zone (Lower level hall)
Tuesday, August 14 <sup>th</sup>	9:00 am 1:30 pm 4:30 pm	Discover Coding Zone (Lower level hall) <b>Reflective Crafting (Chapel)</b> Elite Kids Dance (Lower level hall)
Wednesday, August 15 <sup>th</sup>	9:00 am <b>9:00 am</b> 4:30 pm	Discover Coding Zone (Lower level hall) <b>Wednesday Walkers (Gathering area)</b> Elite Kids Dance (Lower level hall)
Thursday, August 16 <sup>th</sup>	9:00 am <b>1:30 pm</b> <b>7:30 pm</b>	Discover Coding Zone (Lower level hall) <b>Reflective Crafting</b> <b>Choir rehearsal (Sanctuary)</b>
Friday, August 17 <sup>th</sup>	9:00 am 7:00 pm	Discover Coding Zone (Lower level hall) Ghana Methodist Church (Chapel)
Saturday, August 18 <sup>th</sup>	3:00 pm	WCW Ensemble rehearsal (Sanctuary)
<b>Sunday, August 19<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>10:00 am 12:30 pm</b>	<b>Service (Sanctuary)</b> Ghana Methodist Church (Sanctuary)

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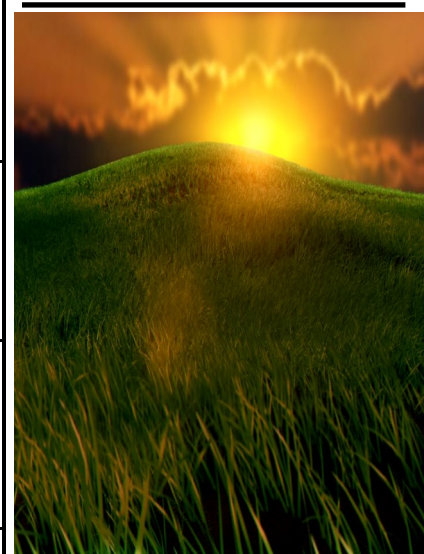


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**Summer worship time :**  
Sunday worship  
begins at **10:00 a.m.**  
through to and  
including Sunday,  
September 2<sup>nd</sup>.



## Riverbend United Church Community

### **Beginning September 9 we worship at 10:30 am.**

After carefully reviewing all the surveys from last Spring regarding preferred worship times, the Spiritual Formation Committee and RUC Board have discerned that maintaining the 10:30 am worship time for the Fall, Winter, and Spring is best for the majority of the congregation, while also preserving the 9:00 time for various group events and special studies. Thank you to all who participated in the surveys, and special thanks to the 9:00 worshipping community for your flexibility and support of this decision.

**Family Ministry Coordinator part-time position :** St. Andrew's United church in In Spruce Grove, is seeking to fill an exciting permanent part-time position for Family Ministry Coordinator. Please email a letter of interest and resume (including employment references) to Maxine Anderson at : [standrews@sprucegroveunited.com](mailto:standrews@sprucegroveunited.com)

**Summer Classic :** Sunday, September 9, **Gina Williams** is pleased to present "Summer Classics" – a musical surprise for seniors and youth featuring new classical music as well as classic standards including "At Last" to "The Anchor Holds". Tickets : \$23.00 for adults and \$18 for students/seniors. To purchase tickets, visit : <https://tickets.mvcpa.com/eventperformances.asp?evt=227>

**Bissell Centre:** There are approximately 1700 homeless individuals on the street of Edmonton. With your help, we intend to raise 1000 bags of clothing & other essentials by December 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018.

We accept: clothing for all ages, new unopened toiletries, backpacks, blankets. To donate contact : [onethousandbags@hotmail.com](mailto:onethousandbags@hotmail.com) or call 587-580-6252

**RUC Garage sale:** Our annual tradition of a September garage sale continues!! Please consider donating your excess or unused household items to Riverbend United Church's garage sale being held on Friday and Saturday, **September 7th and 8th**. If you aren't able to drop off your items, a volunteer has offered to pick up them up beginning July 2nd. Please call the office at 780.430.7275 to schedule pick-up.

**True Beauty Girls Conference:** Come and join us from April 12-14 here at True beauty girls conference for a weekend filled with fun activities, a variety of workshops, a mini mall, a huge slumber party, and special guest speaker Jolene Biegel. It will be a weekend you will not want to miss! If you have any questions please feel free to contact us at [780-475-1647](tel:780-475-1647) or email us at [frvc@frvc.ca](mailto:frvc@frvc.ca), we look forward to having you! Have a great summer!

## Our Broader Community

**Singspiration 2018, August 13-18** Summer Choral Camp for grade 4-12 at Concordia University in Edmonton. Singspiration is an award-winning summer choral program for youth, now in its 19th year at Concordia University of Edmonton's School of Music. Outstanding choral clinicians make this one of Alberta's top summer music experience for young people. Youth are invited to a week-long music camp where they will have the chance to sing, meet new friends from across Alberta and beyond, and participate in arrange of fun activities. For more information visit [singspiration.concordia.ab.ca](http://singspiration.concordia.ab.ca)

**Recruitment of members to a Legacy Fund Program committee.** The Board has passed the terms of reference for the Legacy Fund Program Giving Policy. These are also our congregation's marching orders for setting up our two funds, the Legacy Fund and the Opportunity Fund. As part of the policy, the Board has directed that a subcommittee of the Finance committee be established to carry out the work of the Legacy Fund program. This is a call for volunteers to serve as the inaugural members of this important committee. We will recruit up to six members. Hopefully, the membership will reflect the diversity of the congregation. No experience in accounting or finance is required; just good common sense. Once the initial set up period is over, the committee members will have three-year terms that will be staggered such that one or two members' terms will be completed every year. Members can renew for a second three -year term and then must take one three-year term off after which they can be re-appointed. The workload will not be onerous. There may be monthly meetings initially to set up the funds and working policies, but after that the committee will need to meet only three or four times per year or the call of the chair. A full set of Terms of Reference will be sent to interested candidates. Please contact David Olsen if interested in serving at 780-436-1482 or [dmolson@ualberta.ca](mailto:dmolson@ualberta.ca)

### **All Ages Come and Go Family Camp — Camp Wohelo**

August 21 to 26th. Bring the whole family out to camp! This is similar to our Come and Go Mom & Kids Camp but we've opened the camp up to families of all kinds. Come and Go Family Camp welcomes female caregivers, male caregivers, grandparents, aunts, uncles, and of course children! Can't commit to the full camp and can only attend for a few days? That is OK with us, we welcome you to attend when you are able! For more information: visit [www.campwohelo.com](http://www.campwohelo.com) or call 780.430.4062.

