

**John Black Memorial United Church**

Ph: 661-2579 Church office hours: Mon – Fri.  
 9:00 a.m. – noon (temporary)  
 Ken DeLisle Tues & Thurs 10 – 12 am  
 Cathy Maxwell Wed & Fri 10 – 12 am  
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**September 17, 2017 Announcements**

Thurs. Sep 21 - Pie Group 1-4pm  
 Sun Sep 24 - Fall Supper Planning Meeting after worship

Our **Fall Supper** will be held on Sat. Oct. 28, 2017 – a planning meeting will be held after worship next Sun. Sep. 24, please sign up on the sheet in the Narthex if you are able to help in any way, stay for the meeting or contact Bea Letkeman 204-667-6759.

**Walk a Mile in My Shoes:** a fundraising walk for West Broadway Community Ministry, Sept. 30, 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Go to westbroadwaycm.org for info or check the poster in the narthex.

**Pick up a *Let's Walk the Talk of Reconciliation with Bill C-262* postcard** in the narthex and mail it to your MP—a bill to ensure the laws of Canada are in harmony with the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples

**Have apples?** The Pie Ladies need them. Call Elaine Steski at 204-669-3793.

Our annual Christmas sale and lunch will be held on Sat. Dec. 2. If you know of any crafters who may be interested in renting a table, please have them contact Donna at 204-338-2922.

**Sat. Sep 30, 2017** 5:00 pm Grey Street United is hosting a Mission & Service Fundraiser with guest speaker Humaria Jaleel, speaking on Islam, beliefs and practices and includes a cultural meal. Tickets are \$25 call 204-667-9413

**North Kildonan United** is hosting a presentation on **Alzheimer's** on Thurs. Sep. 21, at 1:30 pm. Speaker – Norma Kirby – topics – Let's Hear About what it is – what to look for – warning signs- what to do. Everyone Welcome.

**Kildonan United** is holding an evening of dance & music with the Dixie Beats, a Dixieland band on Sat. Sep 23 7:30 pm Tickets advance \$12, at the door \$15.

**REPORT OF LOCAL DONATIONS**

	<b>Jun</b>	<b>Jul</b>	<b>Aug.</b>	<b><u>Year to Date</u></b>
Actual	\$10,263	\$7,472	\$6,980	\$80,594
Budget	\$10,468	\$8,964	\$8,370	\$83,493
<b>Difference</b>	<b>- \$205</b>	<b>-\$1492</b>	<b>- \$1390</b>	<b>-\$2899</b>
<b>2017 Budget is based on 2016 Actual Givings</b>				

House Group duty month for October will be hosted by the Angels & Divine Doves; November will be Happy Hearts and Kindred Spirits.

Bless our volunteer gardeners, for our beautiful flowers and gardens surrounding our church!

**Green Group Eco Tip:** Non-toxic Gunk Remover: Mix equal parts coconut oil and baking soda...removes sticky adhesive residue.

Please remember to use the **John Black Co-op# 114062** whenever you purchase fuel at Red River Coop stations

**Welcome!**

Our church is made up of a number of house groups, offering opportunities for fellowship, worship and service. If you are new or visiting and would like information on being in a house group, please contact the church office at 661-2579.