

# Friday, April 19 2019

#### **EDITOR'S NOTE**

An abridged version of EOORC News This Week on this holy Easter weekend. Have a look on page 2 at new information regarding the meal plan and agenda for the EOORC Inaugural Meeting. There is still time to register for this exciting event. Ministry Personnel please read the two announcements below, from Whit Strong. Event listings and job postings will return next week.

Have a blessed and happy Easter!

Anita Jansman

# NEWS FROM THE EOORC

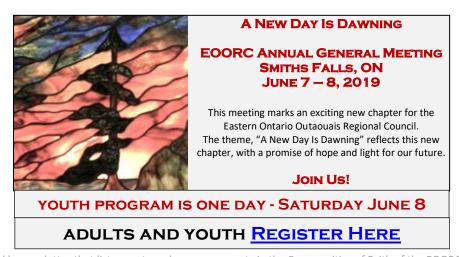
## PULPIT SUPPLY & SHORT-TERM SUPPLY APPOINTMENTS by Whit Strong

I am putting together a list of Ministry Personnel who are willing to be available for occasional Pulpit Supply or for short-term appointments (for Sabbaticals, Medical Leave, or when a Community of Faith is between calls). There is an **immediate need for ministers** who are willing to take on short-term appointments in various parts of our Regional Council. If you would like to be included on this list, please be in touch with me with your preference of which area of EOORC you are available. Thank you for being willing to support the ongoing ministry of our congregations.

Rev. Whit Strong <u>wstrong@united-church.ca</u> 1-800-268-3781 x6148

#### A REMINDER TO MINISTRY PERSONNEL

Ministry personnel: Complete your **Online Declaration** before the end of June in order to remain in Good Standing. Go to your profile on ChurchHub.ca. If you haven't received an invitation to join ChurchHub, contact <u>ministry@united-church.ca</u>



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#### **EOORC ANNUAL MEETING NEWS**

MEAL PLAN COST JUST GOT A LITTLE BIT LESS! By Elaine Beattie, Co-chair, Planning Committee

Your Annual Meeting Planning Committee has been working **VERY** hard these last few months. Our budget began with estimates, including an estimate for the food for two days. We now have an **ACTUAL** cost for the food, and it is significantly less than estimated. We're happy to pass these savings along to you.

The NEW meal plan cost is \$100 for two days. IF you have already paid DON'T worry! Brian Cornelius will work out a way to reimburse you. If you opted out and now wish to take the meal plan, please contact Anita (ajansman@united-church.ca) and she will add you to the meal plan.

Thank you **ALL** for your support and patience as we do a new thing together. Looking forward to seeing you all June 7 8 and 9. **Note:** Registration deadline for the meal plan is May 25.



### **Preliminary Agenda**

## Friday, June 7th (Memorial Centre, Smiths Falls)

9 – 10 a.m. Gathering and Registration

10 a.m. Welcome, Acknowledging the Land, Opening Worship and Covenanting

**Opening Motions** 

12 – 1 p.m. *Lunch* 

1 – 2:30 p.m. Theme Address

2:30 – 5 p.m. Introduction to table groups, building relationship

5 – 6:30 p.m. *Supper* 

6:30 -

8:00 p.m. Discussion continues

8 p.m. Adjournment

## Saturday, June 8th (Memorial Centre, Smiths Falls)

9 a.m. Gathering and Worship

9:30 a.m. Governance Document Presentation

Budget

12 – 1 p.m. *Lunch* 

1 – 2:30 p.m. Theme Address

2:30 – 5:00 Business 5 – 6:30 p.m. *Supper* 6:30 – 8 p.m. Business 8 p.m. Adjournment

### Sunday, June 9th (Trinity United Church, Smiths Falls)

10 a.m. Celebration of Ministry

12:30 p.m. Reception and safe home \ bon retour chez vous!

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