



**UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA**  
**EASTERN ONTARIO OUTAOUAIS REGIONAL COUNCIL**  
**NEWS THIS WEEK**

Wednesday August 21, 2019



EOORC Fall Regional Meeting  
 Saturday October 5, 2019  
 9:00 a.m. – 4 p.m.



St. Paul's United Church  
 Prescott, ON

[Register Here](#)

**EOORC UNITED CHURCH WOMEN INAUGURAL MEETING**

The EOORC UCW Inaugural Meeting will be held on **Saturday, September 28, 2019** at Trinity United Church, Smiths Falls. The theme for the event is **Women For Change**. Please visit the [website](#) for more information.



Fall 2019 – An invitation to all Ministry Personnel

**AN INVITATION TO ALL EOORC MINISTRY PERSONNEL** *by Whit Strong*

With the transformation from our four presbyteries, ministry personnel have expressed an interest in finding ways to maintain contact with one another. In response to this, the EOORC is sponsoring four gatherings at which we will be able to discuss together what will best meet your needs for continued contact and support. This will be a time to reconnect and to share ideas

as to what EOORC can do to foster connection, collegiality and support among Ministry Personnel. Visit [Pastoral Relations](#) for more information about meeting places and registration.

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## VISITING CLERGY IN NEED OF ACCOMMODATIONS FROM NOVEMBER TO JULY by Éric Hébert-Daly



A minister from our cousin denomination in the Église Protestante Unie de la France is coming to Canada for eight months to do some support work for the United Church's French ministries. He and his wife are seeking accommodations during their stay. He is retired and has been a senior member of the church in France for many years but started his career as a dentist. They are a fascinating couple who speak English and French. If you have a place or know of a place that might suit them, please contact Éric

Hébert-Daly, Responsable, French Ministries at [ehebert@egliseunie.ca](mailto:ehebert@egliseunie.ca) as soon as possible. They cannot book tickets until we have a place lined up for them. Please keep in mind that their budget is quite tight (as a retired couple) and they cannot be paid for the volunteer work they will be doing with us. Thanks for your help in building relationships with the Église Protestante Unie de la France!

**IN RECOGNITION OF RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL AWARENESS DAY** Wall Street United Church in Brockville is hosting John Moses on Saturday, September 14<sup>th</sup> from 2:00 until 3:30 p.m. John Moses is of Indigenous heritage and his father, Russ Moses, was one of the first Indigenous people to be hired by the Department of Indian Affairs. Mr. Moses' presentation will include the sharing of his father's memoir, *1942 – 1947 from Boy # 12*, which describes his experiences in a residential school in Brantford, Ontario. It was written in 1965 at the request of the Indian Affairs Branch of the Federal Government, and the book played a role in the closure of the residential school in Brantford in 1970.

John Moses is the Supervisor of Repatriation at the Canadian Museum of History and took a hiatus to work on Indigenous cultural policy and modern treaty implementation at the Department of Canadian Heritage. He holds a Masters' degree in Canadian Studies and is a PhD candidate in Cultural Mediations.



*John Moses*

Everyone is welcome to attend. Refreshments will be provided and admission is free. For further information, please visit [here](#) or contact Donna Greenhorn at [greenhj@ripnet.com](mailto:greenhj@ripnet.com).



### IN MEMORY

**REV. DR. NATHANIEL HARRINGTON MAIR** (93 years) died on August 13, 2019 in Charlottetown, PEI. Rev. Dr. Harrington was a well-known and loved when he and his wife were part of the United Theological College community in Montreal. See his obituary [here](#).

**DON'T FORGET ABOUT THE EOORC LOGO CONTEST!**  
**JUST A FEW MORE DAYS TO SUBMIT BY AUG 31!**  
**MORE INFORMATION CAN BE FOUND [HERE](#).**

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## FREE STUFF!



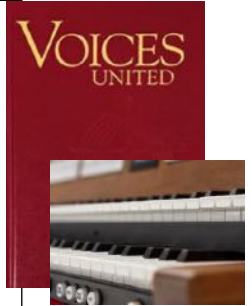
**ROTHWELL UNITED CHURCH, OTTAWA** has one wood storage cabinet on wheels, free of charge, to any church in the region that can use it. The cabinet with shelving is 48" W by 54" H and 42" deep. An interested church must be willing to pick up the disassembled cabinet. Offer is valid until Sept 2<sup>nd</sup> and if it is not taken up by then, we will dispose of the cabinet. Please contact [cam.bowes@yahoo.ca](mailto:cam.bowes@yahoo.ca) or phone 613-680-3917.

### BETHANY UNITED CHURCH

Since we are closed, the following items are available to whichever church can use them.

- 1987 Rogers Organ Essex Series
- Voices United Hymn Books

Contact Bethany United Church at 613-737-5874 or [office@bethanyuc.ca](mailto:office@bethanyuc.ca)



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VISIT THE [EVENTS PAGE](#) TO FIND OUT WHAT'S GOING ON THROUGHOUT THE EOORC

## NEWS FROM THE GENERAL COUNCIL OFFICE

*E*-ssentials

A new issues of *E-ssentials* is available [here](#), and includes a story about the National Indigenous Spiritual Gathering held from Aug 8 – 11, 2019.

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