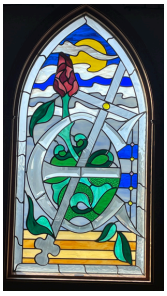
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THE BALZAC BELL



September

Welcome to Balzac United Church!



Our Church services started up again on September 6. We are so very happy to announce our new minister, Rev. Marion Martin! Please welcome her when you come.

Sunday School and Youth group have also started up with classes the first and third Sunday of every month. Lots of fun events are planned so its sure to be an exciting year. Yay!!



IMPORTANT DATES

Sunday, Sept 20 - Rev. Pat Dyson Sunday School

Sunday, Sept 27 - Rev. Marion Martin Wear orange for Orange Shirt day. Come for welcome cake and coffee!

Sept 30 - National Day for Truth and Reconcilliation

Recipe Corner
Creamy Potato Soup

MUFFIN EKMAN - COUNTRY FAVORITES COOKBOOK UNITED CHURCH WOMEN, BALZAC UNITED CHURCH 1998



2 large baking potatoes
6cups chicken or veggie stock
½ cup half and half cream
½ cup chopped onion or 3 leeks can be used instead
Salt, pepper, thyme, basil and marjoram can be added as desired

Peel and chop potates into bite sized pieces. Bring 6 cups of stock to a boil. Add potato and chopped onion. Lower heat. Add desired spices. Let soup simmer, uncovered, until potatoes are tender. Turn off heat. Spoon ½ of the mixture into a blender. Add puree until liquified. Return back to the pot with the other half. Stir together. Add ½ cup of half and half. Heat to simmering and serve.

Thank You

- A huge thank you to Paul Arnott who had all the windows with that covered the beautiful stained glass replaced. Now, the colours and warmth truly shine through.
- Thank you to all of those who helped out at the Pop-Up Thrift Shop in August! It was alot of fun and a wonderful fundraiser.



We raised just over $1,600 which will go to programs and the church

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- **"FOR I AM THE LORD YOUR GOD WHO TAKES HOLD OF YOUR RIGHT HAND AND SAYS TO YOU, 'DO NOT FEAR; I WILL HELP YOU.'"** – ISAIAH 41:13 [1, 2, 3]



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Firewood for sale: Dry Pine $150 or Dry Birch $250. Delivered t you! See Paul Arnott.
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Bring your refundables to the church or Hometown Bottle Depot.

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