

Stoney Creek United Church

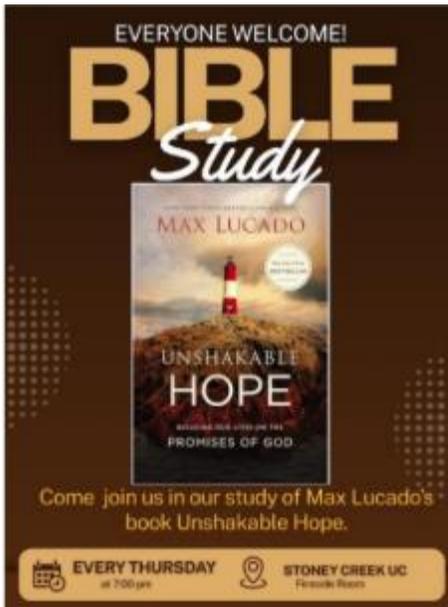
Weekly Newsletter – Friday March 27, 2026

Updated Worship Schedule

The heat is on again at Pioneer Memorial! 💧 In the meantime, we will continue to gather for worship at **Stoney Creek United Church** for the remainder of March and the first two Sundays in April (**April 5 and April 12**). We truly appreciate your continued fellowship and support during this time.

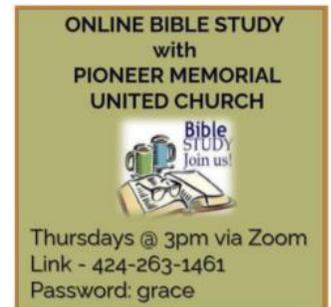
We look forward to returning to **Pioneer Memorial** on **Sunday, April 19**, and continuing there throughout the month of May.

Let us remain connected in faith as we worship together during this season of transition. 🙏



You are also invited to join an in-person Bible Study Thursday evenings at 7:00 p.m. in the Fireside Room at S.C.U.C. to discuss Max Lucado's book, "**Unshakeable Hope**"

The P.M.U.C Bible Study group has resumed their regular meetings, discussing the scriptures for the upcoming Sunday's service on Thursdays at 3:00 p.m. on Zoom. The group will continue to use the OLD Zoom link: 424-263-1461 and the password: grace.



Pioneer Memorial United Church Clean-up

Helpers are needed to clean out closets and storage areas at Pioneer in preparation for the sale of the church building. Join us on Saturday, March 28, 9:30 am-12:30 pm if you can help - all welcome! "Many hands make light work!"

Holy Week Worship Schedule

We hope you will join us for any or all of the following during Holy Week!

Thurs, April 2: **Maundy Thurs dinner & worship at Faith United**

5:00 p.m. - Pot Luck Dinner

6:30 p.m. Worship

Friday, April 3: **Good Friday Worship, 11:00 a.m. at S.C.U.Church**

Sunday, April 5: **Easter Sunday Worship, 9:30 a.m. at S.C.U.Church**

REMINDER:

Sheila Flis will be collecting payments for Easter Flowers this Sunday March 29, 2026.



Guitar Sing-Along

All are invited to an evening of music, fellowship and fun, **Mondays at 7:00 p.m.**, in the **Fireside Room at Stoney Creek United Church**. You are welcome to bring your guitar - but it is not required!



SCUC YOGA

Every Wednesday at 6:30pm – 8pm in the North Narthex, Stoney Creek United Church. Cost \$60 for 8 weeks!



Active Living For Seniors

A flyer for "Active Living For Seniors" at Stoney Creek United Church. It features a red star logo and a photo of a person using a walker. The text includes: "STONEY CREEK UNITED CHURCH 'Bell Tower Place' 1 King Street West, Stoney Creek, ON L8C1G7", "Active Living For Seniors", "Fitness classes geared to Older Active Adults or anyone who needing a low impact class to stay strong & mobile.", "FOCUSES ON: Bone Density, Mobility, Balance, Chair Aerobics", "\$20/session", "Contact Jeanne @ 289-522-0064 for more information!", and "Mondays 9:15am - 10:15am".

Every Monday at 9:15am to 10:15am in the auditorium, Stoney Creek United Church. Cost \$20 per session!

re.spire Events: 2026

April:

- Easter Sleepover April 2-3
- Good Friday Service April 3
- Releasing the Hallelujah's April 5
- Leading Service April 19

A poster for "re.spire SUNDAY SCHOOL". It features the text: "STONEY CREEK UNITED CHURCH", "SUNDAY SCHOOL", "ALL ARE WELCOME", "CHILDREN AGED 1-12", "JOIN US IN THE FIRESIDE ROOM 9:30 SUNDAY MORNINGS", and the "re.spire" logo with the tagline "PLAY. BREATHE. REPEAT." and "CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES". The background is a light green with a wavy pattern.

Update on the sale of the Pioneer Memorial building

This past Friday was the date for the RCN church to firm up their conditional offer on Pioneer Memorial's building. Unfortunately, at this time, they have only raised 40% of the funds they needed for the down payment and at this time no financial institution will take on the mortgage without the full down payment.

So at this time, Casey van der Marel will start re-showing Pioneer. He says that each time that the conditional offer came up he got calls about whether the church was still on the market or not so there is still interest in the building. As of Monday, he will start touring people through again.

He has told RCN if they came up with funds for the down payment so that their financial institution will accept the mortgage, we would consider a firm offer from them.

So essentially, we are back at the drawing board. Casey said not to be concerned - this happens quite often.

Many blessings,

Kathy Bagu, PMUC



You Are Invited To A Farewell "Old-Fashioned Tea"

Saturday, May 2 - 1:30 p.m.
at Pioneer Memorial United Church
1974 King Street East, Cost: \$20

All (men, women, children) are welcome! For tickets
contact Helen Beese or Maureen Hayman Tickets: \$35

Please contact Maureen Hayman for more
information if interested.

