

Pass It On . . .

January 2018

What's Happening at Little Britain United Church

Sunday Services

All are welcome to join us for our regular Sunday services:

Jan 7
Jan 14
Jan 21
Jan 28

All services begin at 10 a.m.

Munch & Mingle January 7th

Join us in the hall after church this Sunday for Munch & Mingle. We are not having a theme this month. Munch & Mingle will be a general potluck. Everyone is welcome. It's a great chance to catch up with others after the holiday season.

Save the Date February 25th

Save the date! Our LBUC Annual Congregation Meeting will be held February 25, 2018. Details to follow.

Council Meeting
January 31st
6:30 pm



Did you know?

Little Britain's first meeting house was built in 1852. The house was made of logs and thatched straw and held more than 150 people. The first plans for our current building were presented to the congregation in 1865. Years passed, design plans were changed and construction on the new church began in 1873. The present site of our church is part of the original land grant from the Hudson's Bay Company. The church was built facing two important transportation routes of that time. People travelled by boat on the Red River and on a trail located along the riverbank. The trail was wide enough for a Red River cart.

In 1873 the church was officially named "The Presbyterian Church of Little Britain". Rev. John Black preached at the Dedication Service on November 16, 1874.

The church pews in use today were moved from the previous meeting house. The pews were placed in the building with an aisle along each side. The centre-aisle plan that we see today was proposed in 1918 and finally adopted in 1969.

Source: *The Old Stone Church-The History of Little Britain United Church* (1974)