

PASS IT ON . . .

What's Happening at Little Britain United Church



Dear Friends

I pray that you and your family have remained well and that you have been able to manage through these uncertain times. It may seem that Little Britain has ceased to be active during these times of social distancing, but this is certainly not the case.

Several of the congregation have joined in the weekly Sunday services either through their electronic device or through the telephone connection (it is a long distance number, but easily accessible with a long distance plan). These times together have proven to be special time, even if it is only for 40 minutes! A Council meeting was held this past week and I have joyfully accepted another 1-year appointment with the congregation of Little Britain United beginning July 1st. The past 2 summers Little Britain has closed for July and August, and I have shared that I will be with you should church not begin until the summer-we have lots of catching up to do!

Today, as I write I am sitting in the beautiful sunshine outside the Little Britain hall visiting through social-distancing with folk who have dropped off donations for the Selkirk Food Bank. Last month we supported the Selkirk Soup Kitchen. We continue to be a church focused on Outreach and I thank you for that.

On another note, a new furnace has been ordered for the church at a cost of \$7,000.00 and thanks to a \$3,500.00 grant from the United Church of Canada our cost is significantly reduced.

As you can see there is still lots happening at Little Britain United and I am grateful to all who support us in so many ways.

Times are tough and there is no doubt about it, but together we are the church in good times and in not-so-good times and you have proven that to each other and to the community.

As our faith reminds us - we are not alone and thanks be to God for the strength to live out these times and may we look forward to a time of celebration when we can sit together as a community of faith.

Peace to all,

Beth McLean, Minister