

Ardrossan United Church

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UPCOMING SERVICES

October 18, 2026
Karen Gusek
*Western Service
Luncheon To
Follow*

October 25, 2026
Rev. Hugh
MacGregor

November 1, 2026
Jackie St. Goddard

November 8, 2026
Rev. Hugh
MacGregor
**Remembrance
Service**

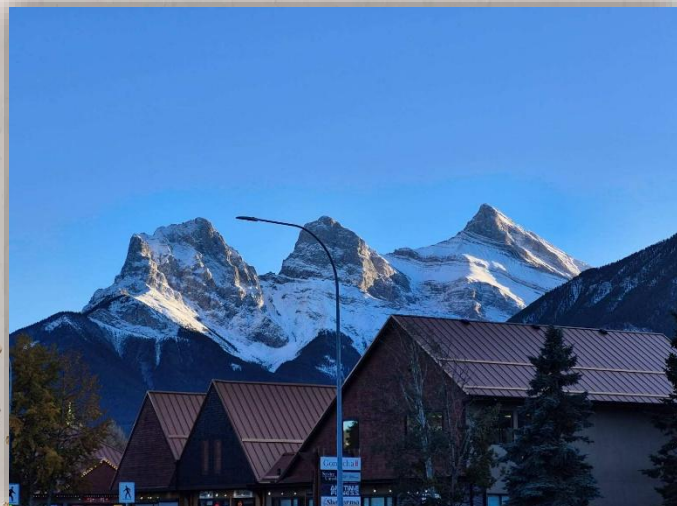
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22 Main Street,
Ardrossan, AB
T8E 2A2

Note from Rev. Hugh MacGregor



There are
times we
should
pause and
give thanks
for the
amazing
creation of
God!



Ongoing Giving to Note:

- Used Stamps are being collected to help buy Bibles for prisoners. You will find the stamp donation box in the Narthex of Ardrossan United Church.
- Shoes are being collected for donation to Soles 4 Souls. (Blue bin outside Ardrossan United Church.
- Food Bank Sunday is the last Sunday of each month, but you are welcome to bring donations anytime.

NEW* Please note that to receive a tax receipt for monetary donations to the Strathcona Food Bank, the minimum amount is \$25.00



Sunday, October 18
Western Service
Please join AUC after
the service for a
western themed Lunch!



KNITTING GROUP

We would welcome anyone who knits, crochets or would like to learn.

We meet at 10:30am on the 2nd and 4th Thursday of the month in the Little Church.



Ardrossan United Church

FALL SUPPER

NOVEMBER 7, 2026

Two Sitzings: 4:45pm and 6:45pm
 Adults: \$35.00
 Children 6-12y: \$10.00
 Under 6 Free

Call: 780-464-7235 for Tickets

COME CELEBRATE
 THE SEASON WITH US!
 22 MAIN STREET,
 ARDROSSAN, AB

JAMS, JELLIES AND SEASONAL
 TAKEAWAYS BY DONATION

BLESSED STEWARDS

9:30AM - THURSDAYS- Coffee & Fellowship
 Please feel welcome to join us for morning coffee, chats and treats each Thursday!

Our Little Friends/ Les Petits Amis Playschool
 October 9 at 3:10 PM · 🌐

We're excited to share our Purdys Christmas fundraiser in support of Our Little Friends / Les Petits Amis Playschool 🍪!

Get a head start on your Christmas shopping with delicious chocolates for family, friends, teachers and stocking stuffers—all while supporting our school 🍪 See less

<https://fundraising.purdys.com/fundraising/campaign/000035970/shop>

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 fundraising.purdys.com

FACEBOOK POSTS OF NOTE:

Ecumenical Mission of Strathcona County added 6 new ...
 4 days ago · 🌐

Muffins, coffee, and the crispiest grapes in town! 🍇 A huge thank you to Ardrossan United Church for the incredible hospitality while we gathered on Tuesday, October 6th to explore the Counter-Cultural Life of Baptized Christians. See less



Your giving—whether large or small—is deeply appreciated.
 If you would like to mail your givings the Address is: 22 Main Street, Ardrossan, AB. T8E 2A2

COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS



Purchase a Fruit Tile,
Leave Your Mark on Strathcona County



\$250 buys your fruit tile
to be featured at the
Nourish Centre

With your tile, you can leave a
permanent presence for your family,
your business, or your loved ones.

Limited tiles available.
Purchase yours today!



TAX RECEIPT INCLUDED. Name/Company printed on the tile.

StrathconaFoodBank.ca/Nourish-Centre-Campaign



Ardrossan Recreation
and Agricultural
Society is looking for
volunteers to be a
part of the Society.

Contact:
aras.volunteer@
gmail.com

FARMERS MARKETS IN YOUR COMMUNITY OPEN YEAR ROUND

Sherwood Park
Farmers Market
3:00-7:00pm
Wednesdays
3000 Emerald Drive

After Oct 7, 2026
401 Festival Lane
Community Centre

**Salisbury Farmers
Market**
4:00 – 7:00pm
Thursdays
Outdoors till Mid October
Salisbury
Greenhouse



FALLING INTO COLOUR Art Show and Sale

October 16-18, 2026

Opening Reception Friday 7 - 9 pm
Saturday 17 & Sunday 18 10 am - 4 pm

A.J. Ottewell Centre (Red Barn)
590 Broadmoor Blvd., Sherwood Park

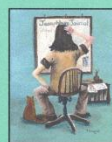


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ELK ISLAND ART CLUB



Rockwell Revisited October 17 & 18, 2026



ANNUAL ART SHOW & SALE
10 - 4 PM FREE ADMISSION
Seniors' Drop-In Center, Josephsburg
For more info: 780-998-2740

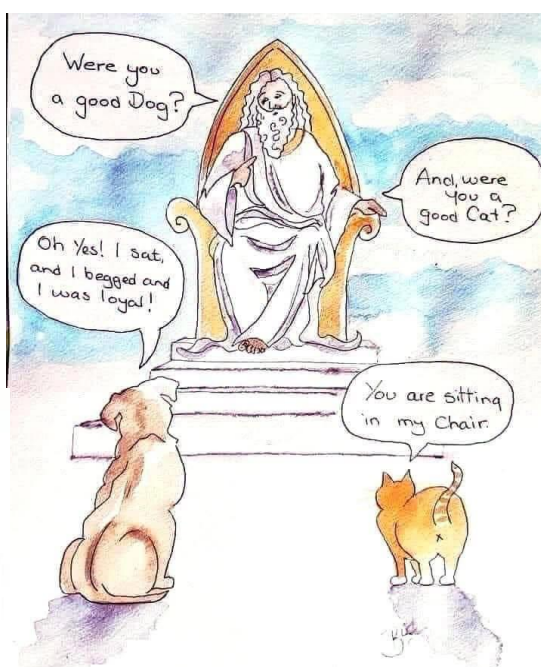


Anne Ryan Stewardship Award

ANNE RYAN PLANTED THE SEEDS OF WHAT
EVENTUALLY BECAME THE COUNTY CLOTHES-
LINE FOUNDATION. BECAUSE OF HER
FORESIGHT AND WILLINGNESS TO
VOLUNTEER IN AND HELP THE COMMUNITY,
THE COUNTY CLOTHES-LINE FOUNDATION
HAS GROWN FROM ITS GRASSROOTS
BEGINNING, TO THE THRIVING ENTITY THAT
SUPPORTS THE COMMUNITY OF STRATHCONA
COUNTY AND THE PEOPLE WHO LIVE THERE.

TO BE AWARDED THE ANNE RYAN
STEWARDSHIP AWARD, ALL NOMINEES MUST
ADHERE TO AND BELIEVE IN THE COUNTY
CLOTHES-LINE VISION STATEMENT.

To nominate someone for this award:
Click Here: [Anne-Ryan-Stewardship-Award-2025.pdf](#)



IF THINGS GET
Better
★ WITH AGE ★
— THEN I AM —
APPROACHING
MAGNIFICENCE

OCTOBER 2026

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			Sept 30	1 Coffee & Fellowship 9:30am	2	3
				8 Coffee & Fellowship 9:30am Knitting Group 10:30am	9	10
4 Rev. Hugh MacGregor Communion	5	6 10am EMSC Morning Coffee	7			
Ecumenical Mission of Strathcona County						
11 Rev. Hugh MacGregor Thanksgiving	12	13 UCW 1:30pm	14	15 Coffee & Fellowship 9:30am Board Meeting 10:30am	16	17
18 Karen Gusek Western Service Lunch Provided	19	20	21	22 Coffee & Fellowship 9:30am Knitting Group 10:30am	23	24
25 Rev. Hugh MacGregor	26	27	28	29 Coffee & Fellowship 9:30am	30	31

Our Little Friends Playschool

Mondays & Wednesdays
-AM Classes Only
Tuesdays & Thursdays
-AM & PM Classes

ONGOING RENTALS EACH MONTH

MONDAYS: BOARD ROOM 6:30-8:30PM – RANGERS
TUESDAYS: BASEMENT 6:30 – 7:30PM - EMBERS
WEDNESDAYS: BASEMENT 6:30-7:00PM – PATHFINDERS/GUIDES
LITTLE CHURCH 6:30-7:30PM – BEAVERS
BOARD ROOM 7:00-9:00PM – SCOUTS/ROVERS/VENTURERS
2ND SATURDAY OF EACH MONTH – BOARD ROOM 1:00-3:00PM- SCOUTS LEADERS MTG.