



**CEDARWOOD**

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**NEWSLETTER**

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CEDARWOOD ACTIVITY

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	1  TRC Office Closed 7:00 P.M. Jac. & Helen Harder	2	3  2:30 p.m. Chaplain	4 TRC Office Closed BOOKMOBILE LIBRARY 2:00 p.m. 	5	6
7  9:30 a.m Jerry Falk	8  TRC Office Closed	9	10  2:30 p.m. Chaplain	11  2:00 p.m. 		13
14  9:30 A.M. Grace Mennonite  2:00 PM. Bethaus Youth	15  2:30 p.m. Hymn Sing	16  2:30 P.M.. Joe Draude 	17  10:00 a.m. Chaplain  Bison Ranch Outing 1:30 p.m.	18  2:00 p.m. 	19	20  7:00 P.M. First Baptist Church
21  9:30 A.M. KLEEFELD EMC  2:30 P.M. JOHN & ANNIE & FRIENDS	22  2:00 P.M. COURTYARD Ice Cream Party	23	24  2:30 p.m. Chaplain	25  2:00 p.m. 	26  6:30 p.m. Jerry Falk & Friends	27  7:30 p.m. Peaceful Harbour
28  9:30 A.M. STEINBACH EMC	29  BIRTHDAY PARTY 2:30 PM	30				



"We shall be Canadians first, foremost, and always,  
and our policies will be decided in Canada  
and not dictated by any other country." - John G. Diefenbaker



OH-CAN-A-HA-HA

- Why is maple syrup always so sad?  
Because it's sappy.
- I told my friend I'm not really Canadian...  
But he was having Nunavut!
- When the Canadian went for his blood  
test, it came out EH-positive.

**Canada is :  
Unique & Quirky**

- Did you know that Canada is the polar bear  
capital of the world. Bears walk freely through  
the town of Churchill, towards Hudson Bay.  
No-one in Churchill locks their doors  
(cars or houses) in case of a polar bear attack.
- The Beaver became a national animal in 1975,  
because our country was built on fur trade  
and the beaver pelts were highly sought after.

## A Little History

Canada became a  
self-governing dominion of the  
British Empire on July 1, 1867, with the  
passage of the British North America Act  
(now called the Constitution Act, 1867).

This act united the colonies of  
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, and the  
Province of Canada  
(which was divided into Quebec and Ontario)  
into a single country known as the  
Dominion of Canada. That is why we  
celebrate Canada Day on July 1st.



## Upcoming Events

1st - Jac. & Helen Harder  
16th - Joe Draude  
17th - Bison Ranch Outing  
22nd - CourtYard Ice Cream Party  
26th - Jerry Falk & Friends

**O Canada!**  
(Original Version)

Oh Canada  
Our home and native land!  
True patriot love in all thy sons command.  
With glowing hearts, we see thee rise,  
The true North strong and free...  
From far and wide,  
O Canada, we stand on guard for thee.  
God keep our land glorious and free!  
O Canada, we stand on guard for thee.  
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## Birthdays



**25th - Sara Peters**

Thank-you!  
to all our  
Volunteers

Oh Canada lyrics have been changed and  
rewritten 3 times since 1980.



## From the Chaplain

Does Jesus care?

This question can come up in times of distress when it seems our prayers don't go very far. It's a question Mary and Martha likely asked as they waited for Jesus to come heal their brother (John 11). By the time Jesus came, though, Lazarus was in the grave. Mary and Martha both said, "Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died." That almost sounds like an accusation, like they're saying, "Where were you—don't you care?" Jesus did care. He was "deeply moved in spirit and troubled" and he wept. Though his arrival seemed too late, Jesus knew what he was doing. It was through the miracle of Lazarus being raised from the dead that many came to faith in Christ.

Pastor Frank Graeff, also known as the Sunshine Minister for his optimistic attitude and sunny disposition, responds this way:

Does Jesus care when my heart is pained  
Too deeply for mirth or song,  
As the burdens press, and the cares distress,  
And the way grows weary and long?  
Oh, yes, He cares, I know He cares,  
His heart is touched with my grief;  
When the days are weary, the long nights dreary,  
I know my Savior cares.

As we face both joys and sorrows in life, and as we may even go on with questions unanswered, let's continue to hold on to the one who does care deeply for us.

Peter Berg, Chaplain



### Important & Fun Days In July



- 1st - Canada Day**
- 7th - World Chocolate Day**
- 14th - Cow Appreciation Day**
- 19th - Ice Cream Day**
- 22nd - National Hotdog Day**
- 30th - International Day of Friendship**

