



Blessings...

On February 18th we celebrated **Eleanor Kerr's** 90th birthday. A lunch, cake, gifts and certificates were presented to Eleanor with her daughter Jo Ann and granddaughter Jazz in attendance.

*"Karley Marguerite Beriault, daughter of **Amanda McCauley & Mark Andre Beriault** was baptized on Easter Sunday, March 28, 2016" We welcome Karley and her family to Riceville-Pendleton United Churches"*

Jason & Danika Clemens, Grandparents John & Catherine Clemens and Great Grandma Margaret Scott welcomed Rebeka Clemens to the fold on February 13, 2016. Rebeka is the first child for Jason & Danika. Congratulations to the new parents.

February 3, 2016 **Pamela & Clayton Cottrell** welcomed the arrival of their first child, Connor Rian. Pamela is the daughter of Brett & Diane Clemens. Congratulations to the new parents.

On April 10, 2015 **Jennifer & Ian Fraser** welcomed Reid James to their family; a little brother for sister Meaghen. Congratulations to the Fraser family and grandparents Valerie & Ronnie Reid.

Tara & Matthew Bradley welcomed Karson Patrick Bradley to our world on October 15, 2014; a little brother for their son Quinton. Congratulations to the happy parents and Karson's grandparents Leah and Pat Bradley.

Amy & Jarrod Clemens welcomed their first child "Anna Kate Clemens" into our world on September 12, 2014. The proud grandparents Catherine & John Clemens and her great-grandmother Margaret Scott are thrilled with the new family addition. Congratulations and God Bless.

16 March 2012 - Congratulations to Michelle (Lebeau), Chris, Raiel and Carter Chapman and **Ray & Muriel Lebeau** on the arrival of a new son / brother / grandson, Nathan Raymond Andrew.

Don & Isabel Kinnear are pleased to have a new granddaughter, born on August 24 – Emilie Anne, a little sister for Alexandre and Mathieu. The busy, happy parents are Blair & Julie!

On October 2, 2008, **Doreen and Gordon Wylie** welcomed their first grandchild Brooke Marie Wylie, daughter of Andrew and Caitie.

Muriel and Ray Lebeau welcomed granddaughter Sadie Laura Lee Veitch, born on May 15, 2008 to Dana Lebeau and Chris Veitch and grandson Carter Anthony Edwin Chapman, born August 26, 2008 to Michelle and Chris Chapman.

Isabel and Don Kinnear welcomed their second grandson Mathieu William into their family on April 24, 2008. He is the son of Julie and Blair Kinnear and brother to Alexandre.



Remembering...

Over the last few years a number of families in our Church community have lost family members.

Vernard (Vernie) Bradley passed away peacefully on October 25, 2017 in Bourget. He was a life-long member of the United Church and faithfully attended services at the Riceville-Pendleton Pastoral Charge. He was a supportive member of the Pendleton and Riceville congregations and served on the Board of Managers for Pendleton United. Vernie was also a 60 year member of the Plantagenet Masonic Lodge. He will be missed by family & friends. Condolences to the family.

Margaret Scott (Blaney) passed away on September 29, 2017. Margaret was a resident of Pendleton until nine years ago when she moved to Nova Scotia to live with her daughter Barbara. Condolences to the family and friends.

Joan Franklin (nee Light), a member of the Pendleton United Church, passed away on Saturday, January 7, 2017 at the age of 93. She was the beloved wife of the late John Franklin and friend and long-time companion of Willard Presley. Joan was a WW11 Veteran and war bride and proudly wore her uniform at our Church Remembrance Day Services. She was the loving mother of the late Collin Andrew Pick (Pam), Joan Lorraine Nichols, Calvin Allen (Lise), Billy Steven (Pauline), Marlyne (Henri Lamoureux) and Lynda (Denis Allard) and cherished grandmother of 18 grandchildren and great-grandmother to many great-grandchildren.

Family & friends will dearly miss this quiet and caring lady.

Elfriede Johnston (nee Witting) of Curran, Ontario, born July 7, 1927 in Wohren (Bad Oeynhausen), Germany, died December 20, 2016 in her 90th year after bravely battling a brief illness. She was the beloved wife of the late Cecil Johnston. She will be sadly missed by her family; sons Shawn (Mary Miller) and Eric and stepchildren Muriel, Sheila and Lyla. She was the loving Oma of Kurt and Kate; step-grandmother of Neil, Shamus and Stacey. Elfriede was a supportive member of the Pendleton United Church and will also be missed by her Church family.

Our good friend **Boris Zenon Woloschuk** of Riceville, passed away peacefully at the Ottawa Heart Institute on November 3, 2016 with family gathered around. Boris was a loving husband to Connie Hill and brother of Lesya Dunsmoor and devoted father to Quentin Woloschuk Hill, Nicholas (Whitney Grove), and Alexandra (Andrew Coghlan); adoring grandfather to Benjamin and Logan Woloschuk and Lyla Anne Coghlan. He will be fondly remembered by family & friends.

Arden Johnston passed away peacefully, at the Elizabeth Bruyere Hospital, on Thursday, May 19, 2016 at the age of 78. He was the beloved husband of June (Barton) Johnston and loving father of Sheryl (Richard Patterson). Arden and June were members and active supporters of the Pendleton United Church. Arden will be missed and fondly remembered by his family & friends.

Family & friends mourn the passing of **Gilda Naomi Reid Birch (nee Gordon)**. On May 13, 2015, at the age of 90, Gilda left peacefully at the Ottawa Hospital General Campus. Beloved wife of the late Thomas Reid and the late Tom Birch. Loving mother of Ronald Reid (Valerie), Deanna Gillings (Hubert, and the late Kirk) and the late Shirley Freeman. Cherished grandmother of Kim Bond, Connie Freeman (Dave

Odam), Tommy Reid (Jody) and Jennifer Fraser (Ian). Fondly remembered by her great-grandchildren William and Shelby Bond; Liam Reid; Meaghan and Reid Fraser.

Bryan Johnston passed away on April 22, 2015. Condolences to his sister Sadie Lavergne and family.

Lloyd McCauley of Bourget, Ont., passed away on Monday January 5th 2015, at the age of 81. Beloved husband of the late Lorna Harrigan. Dear son of the late Clarence McCauley and the late Edith Fraser. Loving father of: Anita (Terry Picard), Nancy (John Medicaft). Cherished grandfather of: Amanda, Samantha, Brandon and Sarena and one great-grand-daughter: Kate. Will be fondly remembered by many in-laws, nieces, nephews and friends. Predeceased by his son James.

Eleanor Lalonde (McAuley) passed away on December 2014 in her 90th year. Condolences to her children Helen and Bert Lalonde and family.

Juna Blaney (née Brown) - Jun. 02, 1931 - Sep. 07, 2013

Juna was a kind and compassionate lady and a strong supporter and active member of Pendleton United Church and the joint pastoral charge of Riceville-Pendleton. She left us peacefully at the Hawkesbury General Hospital on September 7th, 2013, surrounded by her loving family at the age of 82 years. Beloved wife of Lowell Blaney and Loving mother of Shirley Shaule (Paul), Douglas (Cathy), both of Sault Ste Marie, Sharon (Donald Pollard) of Vankleek Hill. Cherished grandmother of Dean (Melanie), Travis (Charlotte) Shaule, Stephanie (Mark) and Brian Blaney. Much loved great-grandma of Hunter, Brooke and Arianna Shaule. Juna is well remembered and sadly missed by her family and all her friends.

Frank O. Baker - WW11 veteran. On January 29, 2014, at the age of 92 years, Frank passed away at his home in Curran. He was a long-time member of Riceville United Church, served on the Board of Managers and was a faithful supporter and good friend of the Riceville-Pendleton Pastoral Charge. Our sympathies are extended to his wife Alma Presley and family.

On Monday, March 3, 2014 **David Wilson of Wainwright**, Alberta passed away at the Wainwright Health Centre at the age of 63 years. Dave is survived by his wife, Dianna; one son, Dylan of Lloydminster; two grandchildren, Ashton and Parker. He was predeceased by his parents, James and Margaret Wilson of Riceville; one brother, George; one sister, Joan. Many friends and cousins in the Riceville and surrounding area will miss him dearly.

**Mary Reita Clemens (Wilson) Oct. 1924-Dec. 2010 & Harvey John Clemens (H.J.)
May 1920-May 2012 – WW11 Veteran**

Do not stand at my grave and weep. I am not there. I do not sleep.

I am a thousand winds that blow. I am the diamond glint on snow.

I am the sunlight on ripened grain. I am the autumn rain.

When you awake in the morning hush, I am the swift uplifting rush of birds circling in flight.

I am the stars that shine at night.

Do not stand at my grave and weep. I am not there. I do not sleep.

Mary & Harvey were lifelong residents of Riceville village and strong supporters of Riceville United Church. They both enjoyed a long history in the church, from Sunday School to Young Peoples Group, Young Men's Group and confirmed United Church members. Mary celebrated 50 years as the Mission & Service representative and Harvey served on the Church Board. They both were firm believers in Christian fellowship and were never far away when work had to be done or when family or friends needed them. Many miss them both.

On March 21, 2012, in his 89th year, **Lyal A. Campbell** passed away. Lyal was an active member of Pendleton United Church, a strong supporter of the Riceville-Pendleton Pastoral Charge and a 67 year member of Plantagenet Masonic Lodge No. 186 in Riceville. Lyal's knowledge of the area, and his love of history that he willingly shared, is missed.

Ray Lebeau's mother - **Irene Ivy Lebeau** died on February 27, 2011 died on February 27, 2011

June Johnston's mother – Dorothy Pollard died on October 10, 2011;
died on October 10, 2011;

Dona Pytel's mother – **Jean Cameron** died on November 8, 2011;

Mabel Robillard's mother -- **Grace Peever** died on November 12, 2011.

The **Fletcher family** suffered a great loss with the death of **Dianna**, on Sept. 14, 2010. Dianna fought bravely against the cancer that gradually took her life. We remember her children, brothers and sisters and all her extended family.

A former member of Riceville United Church and organist, **Lorraine Rowe** died in hospital in Ottawa on May 21, 2010. Our sympathies to her husband Gary, brother Doug and all family members.

Jim Fairnie who passed away 26 February 2010, at the age of 88. He was a Naval veteran of the Second World War, serving as a Chief Petty Officer. He was buried at the National Military Cemetery (NMC) of the Canadian Forces at Beechwood. Our sincere condolences go out to sisters Eleanor and Sally and all family members.

Gretta Elizabeth Fisher (Nee Clemens) passed peacefully at the Ottawa General Hospital on Thursday, January 15th, 2009 at the age of 86 years. She was the loving wife of the late John Fisher, dear sister of Harvey Clemens (Mary), Willis Clemens (late wife Rose), Enid L'Ecuyer (late husband Rod), Olive MacIntosh (late husband John) and the late Jim Clemens (surviving Mary). She was aunt to numerous nieces and nephews and a dear friend to many. Gretta was born, and spent the years of her youth in Riceville, but has lived in Ottawa most of her adult life. She was a regular visitor to the Clemens' farm, an active participant in various family events and remained a friend and supporter of the Riceville United Church.

On October 24, 2008, **Isabella Wilson** died peacefully in her sleep at the age of 92. Isabella was born and lived for many years in Riceville, moving to St. Catharines much later in life to be near her daughters. A talented musician, artist and all around great person. Isabella's last gesture was the donation of one of her beautiful paintings to Riceville United Church.

We lost **Joan Robillard** on August 29, 2008, when she died peacefully in her sleep. Joan supported Riceville-Pendleton United Church Charge since 1953. She served many years on the Pendleton Board of Managers, was a UCW member and co-ordinator for the Observer subscriptions. We remember her husband Warren, sons Wayne and Michael and her grandchildren.

On August 27, 2008, **George Wilson** passed away at his home in Orleans at the age of 62. George, son of Jim and Margaret Wilson, was born and raised in Riceville. Although he had endured some health problems, his death was unexpected. We think of his wife Lilianne, daughter Charlene, her husband Jammy and George's many relatives in our area.

On July 7, 2008, in her 95th year, a former Riceville resident and supporter of the Riceville United Church, **Ada Franklin** died at the West End Villa, in Ottawa. We remember how pleased she was when she was able to return for a Sunday service and meet old friends.

On May 4, 2008, **Jeannie Frigon-Dalrymple** lost her long and courageous battle with cancer. Jeannie's love of her family and her faith gave her the strength and determination to live life to the fullest to the very end. Our thoughts and prayers are with Serge, Reyanne, Katie and Jeannie's family.

On March 13, 2008, **Allan Alexander Presley** passed away at 89 years of age. He is sadly missed by his brother Willard, and the following family members -Reg, Heather and Sydney Presley, Carol Ann, Neil, Daniel, Mark and Samantha Scott, Douglas Presley, Donald Presley and Richard Presley. Allan was a loyal member and supporter of the Riceville-Pendleton United Church.

Our thoughts and prayers go out to all members of these families as they cherish their memories and value every precious day.