

Ralph Connor United Church Photo Album 100th Anniversary



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MEMORIAL

UNITED CHURCH

100TH ANNIVERSARY- 1891-1991



JANUARY PLAY JAN. 27/91







JOHN RAVEN
LAURA DRACCO
BEULAH GREENHUGH
DEN WEST
GUD WIGNALL
JOHN GREENHUGH
WAYNE PELTON
VIC LEWIS
BRUCE MCINTYRE
COLIN SMITH



BEN WEST
GUD WIGNALL
JOHN GREENHUGH
WAYNE PELTON
VIC LEWIS
SID BRASS
BRUCE MCINTYRE





Laura Brace
 Beulah Greenough
 Ben West
 John Greenough
 Wayne Peller
 Bruce & C. Dwyer (Misses)



JOHN BRACE COLIN SMITH

COLIN &
HELEN
SMITH
PAINTING
CHURCH
FENCE
JUNE 8/91



BRUCE & JUNE MCINTYRE

JUNE 29/91



LAURA & JOHN BRACCO



LAURA BRACC
 JUNE MCINTYRE
 PAT CHAKOWSKI
 HELEN SMITH
 MARIE HANSON
 ANN WILSON
 HELEN BRASS
 JEAN ELLIOT
 BETTY ARNESON
 BIETTE HANNA
 JEAN SLAUGHT

JUNE 29/91 STRAWBERRY TEA



BIETTE HANNA & BETTY ARNESON



HELEN BASS, JEAN ELLIOT, GWEN McDONALD, HELEN SMITH



JENNY PALMER, JOHN BRACE, BRIAN LANKER



GWEN McDONALD, EVELYN LAKER

JUNE 30/91 SUNDAY SERVICE



REV. WALTER FARQUHARSON (MODERATOR)
 REV. DWIGHT POWELL (RETIRED) NANTON
 LOIS BIRNIE (CANDIDATE FOR MINISTRY)
 REV. BRUCE MCINTYRE (OUR MINISTER)
 REV. HELEN STOVER SCOTT (PRESIDENT OF ALTA. N.W. CONFERENCE)



ROY NASSETT, CORI FRASER
 BEN WEST, BRUCE MCINTYRE



HELEN DAVIS, REV. BRUCE MCINTYRE, WALTER FARQUHARSON
JUNE MCINTYRE, JAC SEGSTRO





JANE HOEPPNER
JEAN ELLIOTT
AL CLARK
REV. TOM JONES
(SEATED)
CORY VANDERLEES



PAINTING CHURCH STEEPLE
AL CLARK ON TOP OF STEEPLE



MARY SMITH
HELEN HOEPPNER
CAROLYN O'HEARN
JIM O'HEARN
LORRAINE FRASER
M. MALLEBONE
PAT LAWENCE
EV. WIGNALL

JULY 1/91 PARADE



LORRAINE FRASER HOLDING
TEMPERANCE LEAGUE SIGN



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Presbyterian 1891-1925 / United Church



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HELEN SMITH



END OF PARADE





FLOAT PASSING OUR CHURCH JULY 1/91

LAST COMMITTEE MEETING (100 ANN.) JAN. 21/92



COLIN SMITH, JOHN BRACCO
 HELEN SMITH, LAURA BRACCO, JUNE MCINTYRE, EVONNE LAKER,
 HELEN BRASS, SID BRASS, MARY SMITH, BRUCE MCINTYRE
 LORRAINE FRASER, DORIS Lyster

FEB. 2/92

POT LUCK SUPPER





COLIN & SID BRASS TAKING BANNER DOWN



COLIN & SID & LAURA & JOHN BRASS JAN. 23/92



UNITED CHURCH



APRIL 21/92

Our 100th Anniversary,
Has come and gone.
A wonderful success!
And loads of fun!

The cooperation and hard work,
Of many of you,
Helped make the dream,
Of a hundred years come true.

John and Laura Bracco,
Generously offered to be,
The co-chairpersons,
Of our anniversary committee.

The first order of business,
Was to recreate,
Those events that occurred,
On that memorable date.

Jan and Janice's song,
And "In The Pink".
Through their lovely music,
Made us stop and think,

Of what time was like,
A hundred years ago,
A church just beginning,
And starting to grow.

And Carolyn O'Hearn,
Surely did her part,
When she taught that long-ago Sunday School,
"Come Into My Heart".

And the first meeting of the board,
With all its laughter and fun,
Was enjoyed and appreciated,
By everyone.

On that first meeting,
Who would ever have "thunk",
That Judge John David Bracco,
Would make such a wonderful drunk!

A few tears were shed,
When we heard Bud Sing,
"Bless This House",
And made the rafters ring.

The Logo Contest,
Was drawn and won,
By Janice Raven,
A great job she has done!

Each Sunday, Mary Smith,
Took us back through the years,
As she read the vignettes,
And we relived their hopes and fears.

Donna Jo Massie,
In her generous and talented way,
Painted the beautiful picture,
We admire every day.

Wayne Pelton made the sign,
To tell one and all,
We're celebrating our 100th Anniversary.
We put it high upon our wall.

Maggie Dougan and Cindy Simpson,
Made the lovely banner with the dove,
That hangs in the sanctuary,
As we look on it with love!

A new flag pole was made,
By our own Ed Scott,
We all rejoiced
As it was raised on our lot.

Jim Birnie was in charge,
And declared the photo contest to begin,
We still think it strange,
That he happened to win!

Lorraine Fraser held a garage sale
And turned her junk and her treasures
Into a donation for the Committee
And we received this with pleasure!

Then the Observer announced
To one and to all
To come to Ralph Connor
For celebrations in our hall.

And finally our 100th,
Anniversary day was here,
Our guests had arrived,
There was nothing to fear.

The day was beautiful,
We surely were blessed,
As we received old acquaintances,
In our old time dress.

So many good people,
Have worked long and hard
To make 1991 a success
And we've all reaped the rewards.

But two special people,
Kept us all together,
As we worked through it all
In good and stormy weather.

Laura and John,
With love and determination,
Helped us realize,
Our 100th birthday celebration.

Their eyes on the future,
Their vision was keen,
As they helped us relive
The things that had been.

In the next 100 years,
Our church will surely be strong,
If we are lucky to have people,
Like Laura and John

So now a big thanks,
To everyone of you,
And may God bless our church
And those empowered,
To make the next 100th come true!

Author - Carole Kroll

UNITED CHURCH ANNIVERSARY SONG
ONE HUNDRED YEARS STRONG

VERSE: It all began back in eighteen ninety-one
Let's build a Church, one for all and all for one.
Money was scarce, but praise the Lord,
So many hands they made light of all demands.

CHORUS: It's time to sing our song. It's time to sing our song.
Ralph Connor Memorial United.
For we are now one hundred years strong.
For we are now one hundred years strong.

VERSE: Reverend Charles Gordon, a preacher Canmore bound
Alias Ralph Connor a pen name, world renowned.
A house of worship, of work and of play,
A place for all people to bow down and pray.

VERSE: We are all here, it is but a point in time,
To celebrate now what is yours and what is mine.
Historical yes, but so vital inside.
We pass to our children a legacy with pride.

Composed and written by:
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