



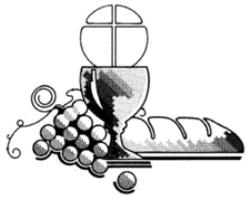
## Trinity Presbyterian Church Weekly Newsletter

August 10, 2022

### SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE – AUGUST 14, 2022

Sermon – “Cycles of New Life” (Rev. Meghan Brown Saavedra)

Scripture – [Isaiah 43:18-19](#); [Ecclesiastes 3:9-14](#)



Sunday’s worship service will include the celebration of Communion. Rev. Meghan Brown Saavedra, a former Minister of Youth & Discipleship at Trinity, will give the sermon and will lead the Communion portion of Sunday’s service via Zoom.

For those attending the service in person, prepackaged Communion supplies (which are not gluten-free) will be available.

For those who are joining the service through Zoom, please feel free to use whatever you might have on hand at home ... water, wine, or juice and a cracker, a piece of bread, or a roll.

*Trinity’s sanctuary is open for in-person worship, and worship services will continue to be offered via Zoom. The link to Sunday’s service will be sent out from the Church Office on Thursday.*

***Note: as of August 7, there will no longer be an opportunity for pre-service fellowship on Zoom. A time of fellowship after the service – on Zoom as well as in person – will continue.***



Our services are recorded and made available on Trinity’s YouTube channel: <https://bit.ly/3u7717U>. (Older services remain accessible from Trinity’s website.)

Jennifer has resumed office hours (9 AM – 3 PM) at the Church on Thursdays. She continues to work from her home office on Tuesdays and Wednesdays. In the event of an emergency, contact the Church Office (613-836-1429), or Trinity’s Clerk of Session, Marg Connelly.

### TRINITY’S CALENDAR

#### Sunday, August 14

10:00 am Worship Service & Communion (in person & Zoom)

#### Saturday, August 20

3:30 pm “Meet & Greet” with pastoral candidate,  
Rev. Dave Whitecross

#### Sunday, August 21

10:00 am Call Weekend Worship Service (in person & Zoom)

#### Tuesday, August 30

7:00 pm Congregational Meeting (in person & Zoom)

### OUR COMMUNITY IN ACTION

Trinity’s Search Committee invites you to a **“Meet & Greet”** with **pastoral candidate Rev. Dave Whitecross** on Saturday, August 20, from 3:30 PM – 5:30 PM.

Rev. Whitecross will be preaching in Trinity’s sanctuary on Sunday, August 21 at 10 AM. We hope that you will be able to attend the service in person! If you can’t worship in person, you may opt to join via Zoom. As always, a recording of the worship service will be available on Trinity’s YouTube channel.

A reminder that there will be a congregational meeting at 7 PM on Tuesday, August 30 to vote on whether to extend the call to Rev. Whitecross. We hope you will plan to attend in person!

A package, containing details about the call weekend, was emailed from the Church Office last Sunday. Contact Jennifer in the Office ([info.trinity.kanata@gmail.com](mailto:info.trinity.kanata@gmail.com)) if you did not receive it.



**Grocery Card Reminder:** Cards for Loblaws, Metro, Sobeys, Farm Boy, and Food Basics will be available by ordering them in advance and they can be picked up at the church.

If you wish to place an order, please contact **Bob or Marg Connelly** by the end of the day on **Sunday, August 21**. Cards can be picked up at the church on **Thursday, August 25** from 1:30 pm – 3:00 pm.



Now is the perfect time to make jam, jelly, pickles, and other preserves while farm-fresh Ontario fruits and veggies are in season!

And why not make a few extra jars to donate to Trinity's Holly Berry Bazaar?

Save the date ... this year's bazaar is planned for Saturday, November 19, 2022!

Do you have a grandchild who is giving their parents a really difficult time? Maybe the parents are at their wits' end and you are really worried about the situation. If you're feeling stressed and would like a listening ear, please call or email Muriel as the Pastoral Care Team can provide that.



Have you always dreamed that you'd like to have a piano? You may be in luck! Dianna McCormick has a piano that is looking for a temporary home. The piano would be dropped off and picked up free of charge. Contact Dianna for more details.

## BEYOND TRINITY



We are once again collecting food and school supplies for the **Kanata Food Cupboard**. With rising inflation, many families cannot make ends meet, and the need is great. Collection is ongoing to September 4.

You can deliver your items to the church during office hours on Thursdays, or on Sunday mornings, or to Susan Hahn's house anytime. Much needed items include crackers, lunch snacks, dried beans and lentils, cooking oil, flour, sugar, canned fruit. Financial donations are also appreciated, and can be given through the church (put 'Kanata Food Cupboard' on your envelope, cheque, or eTransfer note).

*~ Thank you, on behalf of the Mission Committee*



**Matthew House Ottawa** has an urgent need for the following kitchen items:

- pots and pans
- mugs
- cutting knives
- glasses
- cutting board
- bowls
- microwave (x2)
- cutlery

Donations can be dropped off at the church during office hours on Thursdays, or on Sunday mornings. Contact Susan Hahn for more info.

Trinity will be contributing baked goods for the displaced Ukrainians participating in the language classes at the Woodroffe Campus of Algonquin College. We are looking to supply 20 dozen baked cookies, loaves, or squares for next week.

Can you help us? Contact Muriel Laughton for more information or to confirm your participation! Muriel will do a delivery on the morning of August 16. Please drop your contributions off in the freezer at the church ... *but be sure your contributions are labelled!*

The language classes at Algonquin have attracted approximately 500 registrations this summer! The program has become a hub of help and support and spiritual care to many Ukrainians. Thank you for your generosity in helping to support this community effort.



The Campus Ministry at Algonquin College is looking to house a number of Ukrainian families and individual students this fall. If you are willing to host a family or a student for one month or longer, please contact Algonquin's Campus Minister, Yuriy Derkach (613-727-4723, ext. 5341; [derkacy@algonquincollege.com](mailto:derkacy@algonquincollege.com)).

## DONATIONS, OFFERINGS & FINANCIAL UPDATE

Thank you for your continued generosity to Trinity. Donations can be made via eTransfer, credit card (via CanadaHelps – note that Trinity incurs a fee for this service), PAR donations, or cheque.

Offerings can be dropped off at the church when Marilyn O'Brien is selling grocery cards, and they will be counted by Marilyn O'Brien and Terry Bishop. For the month of August, that will be on Thursday, August 25 from 1:30 pm until 3:00 pm.

Please do *not* send cheques to the church by mail at the present time. The mailbox at the road is not very secure and we are unable to check it on a daily basis. If you choose to mail a cheque, please send it to Bob & Margaret Connelly's home address.

## TRINITY'S UPDATED COVID PROTOCOLS – JUNE 19, 2022

Beginning on June 19<sup>th</sup>, 2022, Trinity's Session has approved the following:

### **COVID Protocols Lifted**

**Masks** are welcome, but not mandatory.

Proof of **vaccination** is no longer required.

**Children** are invited to remain in the Sanctuary with their parents as there will not be Sunday School at present.

For those who are **uncomfortable or unable** to attend church in person, the service will continue to be on Zoom.

**If you are unwell**, please stay home  
and join us on Zoom.

**Coffee** and a time of fellowship will be available after the service.