

Trinity Presbyterian Church Weekly Newsletter October 11, 2023

SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE - OCTOBER 15, 2023

Sermon – "New Priorities" (Pastor Dave Whitecross) Scripture – <u>Matthew 6:25-34</u>; John 14:8-21

Trinity's sanctuary is open for in-person worship. Our service continues to be available virtually for those who are unable or uncomfortable to attend in person. Our services will be available via YouTube (and no longer via Zoom). Go to <u>https://bit.ly/3u7717U</u> to join Sunday's service at 10 AM (and also to access past services).

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Dave's regular office hours will be 9 AM – 12 Noon, Tuesday to Friday. Jennifer will be in the church office from 9 AM – 3 PM on Wednesdays and Thursdays.



Seniors' Fellowship Group Lunch will meet on Sunday, October 22 at 12 Noon at The Heart & Soul Café (2741 Dunrobin Road, Dunrobin)

If you're interested in participating, please RSVP to Fran Cordukes by Friday, October 20!



Grocery Card Reminder: Cards for Loblaws, Metro, Sobeys, Farm Boy, and Food Basics can be ordered by contacting Wayne Levere by the end of the day on Sunday, October 22. Cards can be picked up at the church on Thursday, October 26 from 1:00 pm – 2:30 pm. (Note the earlier time!)

TRINITY'S CALENDAR

Wednesday, October 11 10:00 am Walking Group (499 Terry Fox Drive, Kanata) **Bible Study** 7:15 pm Thursday, October 12 6:30 pm Choir Practice Saturday, October 14 8:30 am Trinity Women's Day Retreat Sunday, October 15 10:00 am Worship Service (in person & YouTube) Monday, October 16 6:30 pm Trinity Hilltop Ringers Practice Wednesday, October 18 7:15 pm Bible Study Sunday, October 22 12:00 pm Seniors' Fellowship Group Lunch [Heart & Soul Café, 2741 Dunrobin Road, Dunrobin]

OUR COMMUNITY IN ACTION



God's Message to the 7 Churches of Revelation

Wednesday Bible Study 7:15 PM – 8:45 PM led by Pastor Dave

Stay tuned ... a new Wednesday night Bible Study series will begin next week!

Women's Day Retreat – Saturday, October 14, 8:30 am to 2:30 pm

What does God's word teach us about living a healthy and balanced life? In this busy world where we can feel pulled in many directions, how do we manage to take care of ourselves and find balance in our days?

Participants are encouraged to wear a mask for the retreat, given the respiratory bugs that are not at all shy about circulating these days!



Noticing extra space in your kitchen cupboards where something used to be? Perhaps you are missing a container or two? Trinity's Kitchen seems to have collected a few extra items recently!

Have a look on the table outside the library ... and please reclaim anything that belongs to you!



Weekly Walkers' Group has resumed on Wednesday mornings at 10 AM! Please join us – the walking path is on the north side of Farm Boy (499 Terry Fox Drive). Just park at the Signature Centre and we'll meet at the beginning of the path.

INTRODUCTION TO THE NEW TESTAMENT

 every Thursday morning 9:30 AM – 11 AM at Trinity Presbyterian Church

• starting Thursday, November 2 for 12 weeks (with a Christmas break)

Ever wondered what's in the New Testament, how it got there, why it still matters, and what it all means for you today? Come join us on this 12-week introduction course to the New Testament that will give you a broad overview of the whole New Testament to serve as a foundation of knowledge and understanding for all your other New Testament readings and studies in all the years to come.

No previous Bible Study experience required!

Since resources will be prepared and handed out each week, you will need to sign up for this course by calling the church office, or signing up on the roster at the reception table on Sunday morning.

All welcome from any church or religious background.



We are in need of a few extra helpers for Sunday School on Sunday mornings! Can you help us?! There is a sign up sheet on the back table ... please choose a Sunday that works with your schedule and add your name to the list. It's a great opportunity to get involved and to get to know the children in our congregation. Questions? Contact Carol Sanders.

> 2023 Holly Berry Bazaar Saturday, November 18 9 AM – 1 PM

We are looking for many volunteers ... if you can help, Rhonna Levere would love to hear from you!



Do you have attic treasures or crafts to contribute? Donations can now be accepted and will be collected in the spare office!

DONATIONS, OFFERINGS & FINANCIAL UPDATE

Thank you for your continued generosity to Trinity. Session has decided to resume collecting offerings during the Sunday morning service by passing the collection plates. It is understood that many will still prefer to make their donations via eTransfer, credit card (via CanadaHelps – note that Trinity incurs a fee for this service), PAR donations, or cheque.

Offerings can still be dropped off at the church when grocery cards are being sold. The next grocery card day will be Thursday, October 26 from 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm.

Please do <u>*not*</u> 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.



November 5 – All Saints Sunday November 12 – Remembrance Day Service November 26 – Trinity Anniversary Sunday