



Trinity Presbyterian Church
Weekly Newsletter
November 15, 2023

SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE – NOVEMBER 19, 2023

Sermon – “Long Term Investments” (Pastor Dave Whitecross)
 Scripture – [Matthew 6:19-21](#); [Matthew 25:31-46](#); [Luke 12:13-21](#)

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 <https://bit.ly/3u7717U> 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.



The days are getting shorter and colder. Stave off the November blues with a good supply of coffee! Steve Gillett will be ordering Equator coffee and would love to hear from you. *Orders are due to Steve by 7:00 pm tomorrow – Thursday, November 16.*

And the answer is *yes*, there will likely be one more coffee order before Christmas!

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

TRINITY’S CALENDAR

Wednesday, November 15

10:00 am Walking Group (499 Terry Fox Drive, Kanata)
 7:15 pm ~~Bible Study~~ **CANCELLED!**

Thursday, November 16

9:30 am ~~Introduction to the New Testament Study~~ **CANCELLED!**
 6:30 pm Choir Practice

Saturday, November 18

9:00 am Holly Berry Bazaar

Sunday, November 19

10:00 am Worship Service (in person & YouTube)

Monday, November 20

6:30 pm Trinity Hilltop Ringers Practice

Wednesday, November 22

7:15 pm Bible Study

Sunday, November 26

10:00 am Trinity Anniversary Sunday Worship Service with potluck lunch to follow

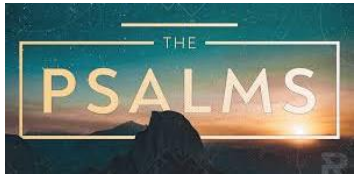
Holly Berry Bazaar
Saturday, November 18, 2023
 9^{AM} - 1^{PM} Trinity Presbyterian Church
 1817 Richardson Side Road, Carp, ON

Bake & Gourmet Table, Unique Crafts & Attic Treasures
Café, Puzzles, Pearls & Stylish Accessories
Something for everyone on your Christmas list!

*Non-perishable food donations graciously accepted
 for the Kanata Food Cupboard.*

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OUR COMMUNITY IN ACTION



“Song Book of the Saints”

A study of The Psalms

Wednesday Bible Study

7:15 PM – 8:45 PM

led by Pastor Dave

Snacks and fellowship will follow – we hope you will join us!

(NOTE: Bible Study is cancelled on November 15,
but resumes November 22!)

INTRODUCTION TO THE NEW TESTAMENT

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

There will be no class this week – but we'll resume on Thursday,
November 23!



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.



Travelogue Night

December 3, 2023

7:00 pm

Linda, Muriel, Mattie, and Hugh would like to invite you to the
sanctuary at 7:00 pm on Sunday, December 3 when they will give
presentations on the Portuguese Camino and Medical Mission to
Egypt in which they participated this fall. Come and BYOD(essert) to
share. A freewill offering will be taken for the health items in the
Gifts of Change catalogues available in the lobby.



In preparation for our Anniversary Sunday, please write down a
short paragraph of how you personally have seen, heard, or
experienced God's obvious involvement in the building, rebuilding,
or the on-going ministry of Trinity Presbyterian Church across the
years. It just needs to be a few lines or, at most, a paragraph. These
stories will be read on Anniversary Sunday.

If you have a story to share, write it down and give it to Pastor Dave
by Sunday, November 19, 2023.



You're invited ...
to
**Trinity's Anniversary
Potluck Lunch**

November 26
following worship

Please bring cold finger food
to share.
Dessert provided!

Trinity's Holly Berry Bazaar

Saturday, November 18, 2023

Donations

Kindly bring your donations to the church and put into the spare office ...



- Attic Treasures -- collectibles, dishes, ornaments, etc, etc.
- jigsaw puzzles & board games
- craft items
- Christmas ornaments & decorations
- new gift basket items, i.e. soaps, tea, coffee, etc.

Please deliver your items to church by tomorrow – Thursday, November 16!

Bake Table



We would very much appreciate donations of Christmas cookies, pies, cakes, fudge, preserves, and other goodies that we can sell.

Donations can be dropped off at the church on Friday, November 17 between 12 Noon and 6:30 pm, and on Saturday morning, November 18.

Please contact Jean Gallant with any questions, or to volunteer to help. Thanks!

Christmas Centerpieces



Orders for large and small floral arrangements will be taken at the bazaar, with delivery in time for Christmas. Please contact Mattie Montgomery if you have any questions about the arrangements.

Trinity Boutique

The Trinity Bazaar will be featuring a treasure trove of jewellery and clothing to help add a dash of glamour to your holidays and beyond. We need your help in assembling the boutique collection for bazaar shoppers. Search through the corners of your jewellery boxes and closets and consider donating your previously loved baubles & pearls or loved clothing that deserves a new home.



Contact Sheila Brady. Be sure to label items clearly when dropping off, so they are not confused for attic treasures!

Logistical Details



After the bazaar on Saturday we will need to clean up the sanctuary and place all of the chairs back in their places. Hoping that a few men might show up between 1:30 pm and 2:00 pm to help with this major task.

The bazaar ends at 1:00 pm and last year it only took us about half an hour to pack up so tables to be put away, floor vacuumed, and ready for the chairs to be put back in place. Thanks in advance for any help you can provide.



GRACEFIELD

Fundraising Concert for Gracefield Christian Camp & Retreat Centre – Saturday, November 18 at 7 PM
St. Stephen's Presbyterian Church (579 Parkdale Avenue)

March Break Camp returns to Gracefield in 2024

After a COVID enforced pause for three years, the much loved (by working parents and grandsitting grandparents as well as the campers). What a great Christmas gift for your hard-working children parents but to pay for one of their children to go to enjoy the winter wonders of Gracefield. Check out the details at [March Break Camp – Gracefield Camp](https://gracefieldcamp.ca/march-break-camp) (gracefieldcamp.ca/march-break-camp); the photos tell it all!

BEYOND TRINITY



Goulbourn Male Chorus

presents

“A Christmas Choral Celebration”

Saturday, December 2, 2023 at 7:00 pm

Trinity Presbyterian Church

Tickets (\$20; students - \$15; under 10 – free) can be obtained from Laurisse Huijer, at the door, or from <https://ticketsplease.ca/>

“A Banquet of Song” – Sunday, November 19 at 4 PM
St. Barnabas Anglican Church (70 James Street at Kent)
In support of Cornerstone Housing for Women; admission by donation.

DONATIONS, OFFERINGS & FINANCIAL UPDATE

Thank you for your continued generosity to Trinity. Collection plates are passed during the Sunday morning worship service, although many may 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, November 30 from 1:00 pm – 2:30 pm.