



Trinity Presbyterian Church Weekly Newsletter

May 22, 2024

SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE – MAY 26, 2024

Sermon – “New in Spirit” (Jennifer Goodman)

Scripture – [Romans 8:12-17](#); [John 3:1-21](#)

Trinity Presbyterian Church

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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 Trinity Hilltop Ringers bell choir will be ringing during Sunday’s worship service. Come and enjoy the selections that they have prepared!



For all pastoral care needs, please do not hesitate to reach out to:

Pastor Dave Whitecross (519-843-1505; davewhitecross@hotmail.com),
Mattie Montgomery, or Muriel Laughton.

Summer Sunday School Teachers Needed!



Summer will soon be upon us, and we’re hoping for some help with teaching Sunday School. If you could make yourself available, even for one Sunday, that would be greatly appreciated. There is a sign-up sheet available in the binder on the back table.

Questions? Contact Carol Sanders.

TRINITY’S CALENDAR

Wednesday, May 22

10:00 am Walking Group (499 Terry Fox Drive, Kanata)

Thursday, May 23

6:30 pm Choir Practice

Sunday, May 26

10:00 am Worship Service

11:30 am Mully Children’s Family presentation (light lunch served)

Monday, May 27

1:00 pm Holly Berry Bazaar Craft Workshop (Nursery)

6:30 pm Trinity Hilltop Ringers Practice

Tuesday, May 28

9:00 am Trinity Men’s Group

7:00 pm Scott Woods Band in Concert



Pastor Dave will be away on holidays from May 20 – May 27.

OUR COMMUNITY IN ACTION



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, May 26.

Cards can be picked up at the church on Thursday, May 30 from 1:00 pm – 2:30 pm.



We will have a Mission Moment on Sunday, so please remember to bring your loose offering!

Loose offering collected at Sunday’s service will go to support Mully Children’s Family (MCF). Rev. George Zimmerman will be at Trinity on Sunday to share more about MCF during the service, and he will also give a short presentation following the worship service. (A light lunch will be served to those who stay.) For more information on MCF:

www.zimmytrip.ca

<https://georgezimmerman.substack.com/p/the-mully-narratives>

www.mullychildrensfamily.org

www.mcfcanada.org

www.mcfcanada.org/mully-movie



The next meeting of the Trinity's Men's group will be Tuesday, May 28. The group meets at 9:00 am, spends an hour working, and then has a social time with coffee and tea. For those who wish to join only for the social time, plan to arrive around 10:00 am.

Craft Workshop for the Holly Berry Bazaar 2024

Our next craft workshop is scheduled for **Monday, May 27 at 1:00 pm** at the church. We will be working on felted angels.

Questions? Contact Mattie Montgomery.



DONATIONS, OFFERINGS & FINANCIAL UPDATE

TRINITY FINANCIAL REPORT as of April 30, 2024

	ACTUAL	BUDGET
INCOME:		
Offerings*	\$ 73,492	\$ 81,494
Presbyterians sharing (PS)**	\$ 5,764	\$ 5,200
Rental	\$ 10,933	\$ 12,000
Other***	\$ 5,355	\$ 5,867
TOTAL INCOME:	\$ 95,544	\$ 104,561
EXPENSES:	\$ 103,632	\$ 104,561
NET INCOME:	-\$ 8,088	\$ -

*Offerings: are \$8,088 below budget

**Presbyterians Sharing: \$564 above budget

***Other: includes fund raising, missions other than PS, interest, & designated givings

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 (sent to info.trinity.kanata@gmail.com), credit card (via CanadaHelps – note that Trinity incurs a fee for this service), PAR donations, or cheque.

COMING SOON ...



Canadian Fiddle Champion Scott Woods & his multi-talented band are coming to Trinity for a good old-fashioned hoedown ...

Tuesday, May 28 at 7 PM

Tickets (\$45, cash only) available from the church office (Tuesday – Friday, 9 AM – 12:30 PM; Wednesdays 7 PM – 8:30 PM; Sundays after worship). Tickets may also be purchased online at www.scottwoods.ca or at the door.

Enjoy a family-friendly, fun, and fast-paced show of championship fiddling, country music, award-winning step dancing and humour! Proceeds will support Trinity Presbyterian Church.

BEYOND TRINITY

Summer Job Opportunity:

- Parkwood Presbyterian Church, Ottawa is seeking an enthusiastic, responsible, self-motivated young adult to serve as their Co-ordinator for Summer Programs for youth and others. The poster with more information is on our bulletin board, or you may contact the Parkwood Church Office (office@parkwoodchurch.ca). Deadline for applications is Friday, May 31 at 12 Noon.

Our worship services continue to be available virtually (via YouTube) for those who are unable or uncomfortable to attend in person. To join Sunday's service at 10 AM (and also to access past services), go to <https://bit.ly/3u7717U>.



This year, on Saturday June 1, Trinity is participating in **THE BIG GIVE!**

Since 2015, churches in Ottawa have participated in The Big Give on the first Saturday of June to build a bridge from the local church to their community. It is a way to show God's unconditional love to those in need in each neighbourhood. Trinity's event will happen from 9 am – 12 pm and we will have a:

- **FREE Garage Sale!**
- **FREE Hotdog and Lemonade Stand!**
- **FREE Entertainment by our own House Band!**

Please start gathering items you would be willing to give away, and also ask your friends and family! We will start to collect them at the church from May 21 – May 31. We would like any of your donations (gently used, clean, in working order) in the following categories:

- Housewares (kitchen, decorations [not Christmas], gifts, tools, etc.)
- Books, CDs, Kids' DVDs (no tapes please)
- Toys and Games (no playpens, car seats, bassinets, cribs, highchairs, etc.)
- Clothing & Shoes, purses, accessories, jewellery
- Gardening Supplies and Tools
- Small Furniture (indoor or outdoor)
- Sports Equipment (no helmets please)

The loose offering on May 5 will go to support this initiative, and we will be looking for volunteers to help on June 1 and the week leading up to it. What a great chance to make a difference in our community!

THE BIG GIVE DROP OFF TIMES

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
		9 AM - Noon	9 AM - 3 PM	9 AM - 3 PM 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM		
			29	30	31	
		9 AM - Noon	9 AM - 3 PM 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM	9 AM - 3 PM 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM	9 AM - Noon	
26	27	28				

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