



Trinity Presbyterian Church Weekly Newsletter

June 19, 2024

SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE – JUNE 23, 2024

Sermon – “Moving Mountains” (Pastor Dave Whitecross)

Scripture – [Matthew 10:1](#); [Matthew 17:14-20](#); [Psalm 121](#)

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.



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.

If you would appreciate home cooked meals during an illness or a ride to an appointment, please reach out to Sheila Brady.

If you would like prayers said for you, your family, or a friend, please reach out to our Prayer Team coordinator, Jean Gallant.



STEM Camp is returning to Trinity this summer! Camp leaders will be at Trinity in late June, and campers will arrive in July. Day camps will run from Monday to Friday each week. We expect approximately 30 to 40 children to be enrolled in the program. Information on the camp can be found at <https://stemcamp.ca/>

TRINITY’S CALENDAR

Wednesday, June 19

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

Thursday, June 20

10:00 am Pastoral Care Team Meeting (Nursery)

6:30 pm Choir Practice

Sunday, June 23

10:00 am Worship Service

11:59 pm Grocery card orders due to Marilyn O’Brien

Tuesday, June 25

9:00 am Trinity Men’s Group

Thursday, June 27

1:00 pm Grocery card pickup at the church

Sunday, June 30

11:30 am Picnic in the Orchard!



On behalf of Cheryl’s mother and sister, my family and all our relatives, I would like to thank Dave, David, Bette, and everyone else who helped and participated in making Cheryl’s Celebration of Life such a memorable occasion.

~ Guy Dalbec

Best wishes to Andy & Lorna Lee who celebrated their 63rd wedding anniversary on Monday, June 17! Congratulations!

OUR COMMUNITY IN ACTION

The Pastoral Care Team will meet on Thursday, June 20 at 10 AM in the church nursery.



Grocery card orders are due to Marilyn O’Brien by the end of the day on Sunday, June 23. Card pickup will be at the church on Thursday, June 27 from 1:00 pm – 2:30 pm.

Walking group meets this week and next, and then will take a break for summer, resuming in early September.

Shepherd's Staff & Friends ... The sad occasion of Cheryl's Celebration of Life brought the Shepherd's Staff Team together again after a lengthy break due to COVID and other unavoidable factors. No names mentioned in fear of missing someone, but how well it all fell into place. The team and many new friends and volunteers worked so efficiently and well together. I personally want to thank you all for being the great friends and the reliable team I remember. Many of us now have issues that slow us down, but we got the work done nonetheless. So again, thanks to the old team, the ones who readily helped with pre-set up, the new volunteers who hopefully will join up permanently, the food donors, and those who faithfully checked in to ensure we were not needing extra support. Great working with you. Blessings to all.

Thanks!

~ Bette

PS: We missed you, Marg.



We want your feedback on our website!

Trinity is reviewing our online presence and we'd like your feedback to know which aspects of our current website might benefit from revision efforts.

Please help us by completing the online survey at:

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdGCbKf14Ska3ZuzZ8cOyjk7p03c-61oWdlktU2IXKcQKbsOw/viewform?usp=sharing>

You do not need a gmail account to do the survey and all information will be collected anonymously. If you choose, you may reveal a little or a lot about yourself at the end of the survey! The survey should not take more than 5 minutes. Responses are requested by June 30.

On **Sunday, June 30** we will gather outside after Church for a time of fellowship over a **picnic lunch**. Please bring your own lunch, lawn chairs, bug spray, and sunscreen and we will gather out near the orchard (weather permitting).



If you plan to join us, please add your name to the list in the sign up binder.



We're looking forward to an afternoon game on Sunday, August 11 to see the Ottawa Titans baseball team.

Tickets may be purchased through Hadiya Huijjer and they are \$16 each.

Please reserve your seat with Hadiya before August 1.

It's not too early ... to start thinking about what we will be providing at our annual Holly Berry Bazaar!

If you are into making preserves, please set aside a few jars to be donated in the fall.



ALSO – throughout the summer, we will be collecting donated items (such as coffee, tea, mugs, wine glasses, wine, bath products, etc., etc.) to make our gift baskets. If you are willing to donate items, please place them on the top shelf in the cloakroom throughout the summer months and mark the bag or box for Rhonna. We plan to assemble the baskets sometime in September so as not to be rushed closer to November.

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

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>.

BEYOND TRINITY

The Ottawa Pastoral Care Training Program is pleased to announce that early-bird registration is now on for the Basic Training Course. The course will be offered in person (afternoons) and online by Zoom (evenings) on Mondays, beginning September 16. Register early to confirm your space!

The OPCTP fall continuing education event will happen on Tuesday, November 5 (7 PM – 9 PM) via Zoom. The session is called “A Pastoral Response to the Challenges of MAID” and focuses on how pastoral care volunteers can journey with patients around life and death issues.

Further information is available at <http://www.ottawapastoralcare.com/> or by contacting Muriel Laughton.



We are looking for volunteers who would be willing to take a shift working at a table during Capital Pride on the last weekend in August.

If you are interested in getting involved, please contact Jennifer in the Trinity office (info.trinity.kanata@gmail.com; 613-836-1429).

Gracefield will be hosting its annual Canada Day celebrations! Activities include canoeing, archery, ropes course, slip 'n slide, a community potluck meal, and fireworks. Sign up for the potluck to indicate if you would prefer a hamburger, hot dog, or pulled pork sandwich, and to indicate whether you will bring a side dish or a dessert. The link to sign up is:

<https://gracefieldcamp.us9.list-manage.com/track/click?u=80a93a7db03d0dbe898a4cb12&id=ce43ac6edb&e=be6foo47d4>