



**Trinity Presbyterian Church**  
**Weekly Newsletter**  
**October 30, 2024**

**SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE – NOVEMBER 3, 2024**

Sermon – “Made to Belong” (Pastor Dave Whitecross)

Scripture – [Acts 2:42-47](#); [Ephesians 2:19-20](#); [John 19:25-27](#)

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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](mailto: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.



**DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME ends this weekend!**

Remember to turn your clock back one hour before you go to bed on Saturday!

**TRINITY’S CALENDAR**

**Wednesday, October 30**

10:00 am Walking Group  
 7:15 pm Bible Study (Nursery)

**Thursday, October 31**

6:30 pm Choir Practice

**Sunday, November 3**

10:00 am Worship Service

**Monday, November 4**

1:00 pm Holly Berry Bazaar Craft Workshop (Nursery)  
 6:30 pm Trinity Hilltop Ringers Practice (Room 4/5)

**Tuesday, November 5**

9:00 am Trinity Men’s Group

**Sunday, November 10**

10:00 am Remembrance Day Worship Service



During Sunday’s service, we will remember, with thanksgiving to God, those people in our lives who were pillars of faith and love, and who have passed away to be with the Lord.

You are invited to bring a picture (in a self-standing frame) of a loved one (or a few) from your own life whom you would like to remember before God and give thanks for.

**OUR COMMUNITY IN ACTION**



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

Loose offering collected at Sunday’s service will go to support Kanata Food Cupboard.



**Did you order grocery cards this month?**

Marilyn will be at the church tomorrow – **Thursday, October 31** – for the sale/pickup of the cards between 1:00 pm and 2:30 pm.

Join us for a fall Bible study on the book of 1 Peter.  
 Wednesday evenings 7:15 pm – 8:45 pm at the church





## Trinity is celebrating ...

- ~ a 47<sup>th</sup> anniversary this fall
- ~ a 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary of moving into our new building

To celebrate these milestones, the Fellowship Committee has organized an **Anniversary Hot & Cold Buffet Dinner!**

**Date:** Sunday, November 24 at 5:00 pm

**Tickets:** \$32.00 each (half price for children ages 5 to 12)

Tickets will be available through the Church Office and can be paid by e-transfer (stating Anniversary Dinner), or by cash.

**DEADLINE for ticket sales is November 18!**

Please share with any former members of Trinity that you may be in touch with. Tickets will also be available through Rhonna Levere on Sundays.

The Elder nomination period will close on Sunday, November 10, 2024. Paper copies of the nomination forms are available at the church.



Trinity will mark Remembrance Day at our worship service next week on Sunday, November 10. The Trinity Hilltop Ringers will be featured in the service, along with guest trumpeter, Sarah Devlin.

Have you or a loved one served in the armed forces? If so, please bring a picture or mementos to church next Sunday as we honour those who have contributed to the freedom that we all enjoy today.

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>.



## HOLLY BERRY Bazaar

### SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 2024

It's time to bring in your puzzles, games, Christmas decorations, Attic Treasures, craft items, and preserves for the bake table! Fresh-baked goods will be accepted the day before the big day. Room 3 has been designated as the drop-off space.

We're looking for greeters to welcome guests to our bazaar. Can you help? Sign up in the sign up binder or contact Barb Kyd-Strickland or Rhonna Levere.

## Accessories & Jewels



The Holly Berry Bazaar is fast approaching and we are staging the best of accessories and jewels for keen shoppers at the Trinity Accessories Shop. Prices will be right for your budget. Please go through your drawers and jewellery boxes and donate sassy woollen hats, scarves, leather gloves, once-loved earrings, brooches, and necklaces.

Please bring to Trinity or contact Sheila Brady and your items will be picked up. An early thank you for your generosity!



## Craft Workshop



We are having an additional workshop on **Monday, November 4 at 1:00 pm** at the church to make gnome centrepieces for the café tables at the bazaar. Please come and join us!

Questions? Contact Mattie Montgomery.

## Nativity Exhibit



We hope that everyone has been unpacking their Nativity sets from amongst their Christmas decorations and are ready to drop off at Trinity for our big bazaar day Nativity exhibit. We hope, too, that we can depend on all who so faithfully supported us in the past as well as many new attractions.

Please be sure to label well all boxes with your name and include any interesting history with each treasured set. Sets, which will be stored in Room 4/5 under lock and key, may be dropped off during the following times:

- any Sunday, before or after church services, up to and including November 10.
- Tuesdays, Wednesdays & Thursdays when Jennifer is in the office to unlock doors to Rm 4/5 up to and including November 12, which is the cut-off day.
- Monday, November 11 from 11:30 am to 2 pm

We appreciate your participation in this endeavour and hope you will share the Nativity sets that you enjoy with the congregation, friends, and visitors to our church as a reminder of *"The Reason for the Season"*.

For any queries, please contact Mattie Montgomery or Bette Maidment.

With many thanks for sharing and supporting this endeavour.

~ Mattie and Bette

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

### TRINITY FINANCIAL REPORT

as of August 31, 2024

	ACTUAL	BUDGET
<b>INCOME:</b>		
Offerings*	\$ 149,917	\$ 162,987
Presbyterians sharing (PS)**	\$ 15,123	\$ 10,400
Rental	\$ 26,496	\$ 24,000
Other***	\$ 11,055	\$ 11,734
<b>TOTAL INCOME:</b>	\$ 202,591	\$ 209,121
<b>EXPENSES:</b>	\$ 203,781	\$ 209,121
<b>NET INCOME:</b>	-\$ 1,190	\$ -

**\*Offerings:** We have a small deficit of \$1,190 as of Aug 31. While our offerings are below budget, our expenses are lower than budgeted

**\*\*Presbyterians Sharing:** is \$4,723 above budget and close to the \$15,600 committed in the budget for the year

**Please consider reallocating future givings for Presbyterians Sharing to Local Ministry (Operations budget) to ensure we do not have a deficit at year end**

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

## BEYOND TRINITY

REMINDER: Zoom Trivia Night (multiple choice questions!) to support Campus Ministry at Algonquin College: Friday, November 1, 7:00 PM. Freewill donation (all donations are tax-receiptable).

The Zoom link (below) will be live at 6:45 PM on Friday, November 1:  
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89961654578?pwd=4twFimYpqsIOFpbzlf8ETizSIHcO4.1> or  
 donate at: <https://www.canadahelps.org/en/charities/algonquin-college-campus-ministry/>

Westminster Presbyterian Church is seeking a Community Care Worker. This position involves pastoral care work, primarily in service to older church members, support for children's programs, and small group ministry. We seek a person for this to help us provide a more holistic care network for the congregation. Your role will be instrumental in shaping the future of our church community. An applicant must have a clear expression of reformed Christian faith, a high degree of comfort in home, hospital, and retirement community environments and a vehicle and valid driver's license. This role requires of 20-24 hours per week of work on a flexible schedule, including some evening and weekend time. Follow this link for the full job description: <https://presbyterian.ca/job/community-care-worker/>. To apply, please email your resume and cover letter to [admin@mywestminster.ca](mailto:admin@mywestminster.ca)

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The Goulbourn Male Chorus is pleased to present their annual Christmas Concert at Trinity on Sunday, December 1 at 3:00 pm. Tickets will soon be available from Laurisse Huijer for \$25 each. There will also be a food bank fundraising concert on Saturday, December 14, 2024 at the Glen Cairn United Church (140 Abbeyhill Drive) with four choirs performing.