



# Trinity Presbyterian Church Weekly Newsletter

February 12, 2025

## SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE – FEBRUARY 16, 2025

Sermon – “Alien Invasion: Not of this World” (Pastor Dave Whitecross)

Scripture – [John 17:1-19](#); [I Peter 2:11-12](#); [Romans 12:1-2](#)

### 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](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.



## Save the Date

FOR TRINITY’S ANNUAL MEETING

Sunday, March 2, 2025

Bring something to share for the finger food potluck!

## TRINITY’S CALENDAR

### Wednesday, February 12

10:00 am Walking Group

7:15 pm Bible Study **CANCELLED!**

### Thursday, February 13

6:30 pm Choir Practice

### Sunday, February 16

10:00 am Worship Service

11:45 am W&M Committee Meeting (Library)

### Monday, February 17

6:30 pm Trinity Hilltop Ringers Practice

### Monday, February 24

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

### Sunday, March 2

10:00 am Worship Service

followed by finger food potluck & Annual General Meeting

### Tuesday, March 4

5:00 pm Shrove Tuesday Pancake Dinner

### Wednesday, March 5

7:00 pm Ash Wednesday Service

## OUR COMMUNITY IN ACTION

The current Bible Study is looking at the book of 1 John.  
Usually held Wednesday evenings at the church  
starting at 7:15 pm – but **CANCELLED FOR TONIGHT!**



## SHROVE TUESDAY Pancake Dinner

TUESDAY, MARCH 4, 2025

If you are available to help, please sign up in the Sign Up Binder. More details to follow!



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

Are you new to Trinity? Have you considered getting a Trinity name tag? Name tags are available as pins (~\$12) or magnets (~\$15). Add your name to the Sign Up Binder if you're interested. Contact Muriel Laughton for more info.



Many people in our online directory either have an outdated photo or no photo at all! If you are interested, Muriel Laughton will be in the office after church on Sunday, February 16 to take photos.

Tax receipts for 2024 offerings were distributed last Sunday. If you haven't picked yours up yet, it will be in your family folder. If you don't have a family folder, then you will receive it in the mail in the next few days. If you are not sure you have a family folder, please check the next time you're at Church – they are in the metal box on wheels, in the coat room closest to the office.

If you discover that you do not have a family folder, contact Jennifer in the Church Office and she would be happy to create one for you!

## CRAFT WORKSHOPS *for the* HOLLY BERRY BAZAAR



Mark these dates in your calendar (the last Monday afternoon of the month), so you don't miss the fun and fellowship!

February 24	Black canvas with painted stars
March 31	Christmas decorations
April 28	Gift tags
May 26	Christmas cards
September 29	Paper cut-out stars
October 27	Table centrepieces

For further information or questions, please contact Mattie Montgomery.

## TRINITY MISSION ACTIVITIES

Volunteers needed to serve at "In From the Cold" Saturday, March 1, 2025 (3:00 pm – 5:30 pm) Parkdale United Church (429 Parkdale Avenue) Sign up in the Sign Up Binder if you can help.



## 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.

## BEYOND TRINITY

Registration is now open for the Breakaway March Break Camp at Gracefield which runs March 9 – March 14. Don't delay; register today at [www.gracefieldcamp.ca](http://www.gracefieldcamp.ca)

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>.



It was snowy outside, but sweet smelling inside Trinity's kitchen Monday afternoon when Chef Melanie Rock and several keen helpers made 45 jars of yummy Apple Jalapeño Jelly for the 2025 Holly Berry Bazaar. There was lots of laughter between the helpings of cranberries, chopped apples, jalapeños, and the promise of future cooking sessions for the bazaar. Stay tuned if you would like to get cooking!