



Trinity Presbyterian Church Weekly Newsletter

April 30, 2025

SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE — MAY 4, 2025

Sermon – “Humility and Wisdom: Embracing Poverty of Spirit”
(Mark Hamilton)

Scripture – [Job 12:7-12](#)



We look forward to welcoming Mark Hamilton to Trinity on Sunday. Mark is the Managing Director at Gracefield Christian Camp and Retreat Centre. He will be preaching during the worship service and will update us on what is happening at Gracefield!

Trinity Presbyterian Church

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Pastor: Rev. Dave Whitecross (davewhitecross@hotmail.com; 519-843-1505)

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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, Tuesday to Thursday.



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.

TRINITY'S CALENDAR

Wednesday, April 30

10:00 am Walking Group

7:15 pm Bible Study

Thursday, May 1

6:30 pm Choir Practice

Sunday, May 4

10:00 am Worship Service

Saturday, May 10

9:00 am Spring Yard Clean Up at the church



Sunday will be the first Sunday of the month, so please remember to bring your loose offering!

Loose offering collected at Sunday's service will go to Gracefield Christian Camp and Retreat Centre.

OUR COMMUNITY IN ACTION

Join us for weekly Bible Study.
Wednesday evenings at the church starting at 7:15 pm.
All are welcome!



The weather is warming up, and the flower beds and yard will soon need some attention! Our spring yard clean up is scheduled for Saturday, May 10, beginning at 9 AM. We are hoping to have many volunteers to help with the work – and also to partake of the fresh cinnamon buns and coffee afterwards!

If you are planning to come, please let Bob Connelly know.

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>.

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.

TRINITY MISSION ACTIVITIES



On Saturday, June 7, Trinity will be taking part in The Big Give – we are hosting a free garage sale with coffee, breakfast snacks, and live music by our own “Frozen Chosen” band!

Don't forget ... this year's Holly Berry Bazaar will include “Collectibles”, but no “Attic Treasures”! With that in mind as you spring clean, please set aside items that would be appropriate for The Big Give.

We will need volunteers to help set up in the week prior to the event as well as volunteers to help on the day of the event. We will also need volunteers to bring baking. Please consider how you can help and add your name to the list in the Sign Up Binder.

BEYOND TRINITY



The Presbytery of Ottawa is organizing a special service of worship on Sunday, May 4, 2025 at 3 PM.

The service will be held at St. Paul's Presbyterian Church (971 Woodroffe Avenue) to celebrate and give thanks for 150 years of The Presbyterian Church in Canada.

Goulbourn Male Chorus presents ...

Favourite Oldies

Sunday, May 4, 2025 at 3:00 pm

Trinity Presbyterian Church (1817 Richardson Side Road)

Enjoy songs by The Beatles, Les Misérables, The Mamas & The Papas, Gordon Lightfoot, Kermit the Frog, etc. Tickets are \$25 each; see James McIntosh or Laurisse Huijser.

Bells in Spring

Sunday, May 4, 2025 at 7 PM



Rideau Park United Church (2203 Alta Vista Drive)
~ featuring bell choirs from Rideau Park United, Emmanuel United, St. Andrew's Presbyterian, and Trinity's own Hilltop Ringers!

Bells Corners United Church (3955 Old Richmond Road) is holding a **FREE Spring Music Concert** on Sunday, May 4 at 7:00 pm. Admission is free. Refreshments will follow. All are welcome.

Fundraiser Concert for Gracefield Christian Camp and Retreat Centre
Sunday, June 1, 2025 at 7 PM
St. Stephen's Presbyterian Church (579 Parkdale Avenue)

There is something for everyone on Saturday, May 3 at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church in Stittsville! A yard sale, BBQ, bake sale, ice cream stand, and local authors ... it's “A Happening Day”! Drop by between 10 AM and 2 PM. <https://standrews-stittsville.ca/>



Don't miss the Kanata United Church Annual Book Fair!

May 8 (2 pm – 9 pm)

May 9 (3 pm – 8 pm)

May 10 (9 am – 2 pm)

Sale will be held at Kanata United Church (33 Leacock Drive); visit www.kuc.ca for more information.

Kanata Symphony Orchestra Concert

“Water” (final concert in The Elements concert series)

Saturday, May 10 at 7:30 pm

Trinity Presbyterian Church (1817 Richardson Side Road)

See <https://www.kanatasymphony.ca/home> for details.