

**St. Timothy's Presbyterian Church**

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Minister            Reverend Doctor Floyd McPhee  
Music Director & Organist    Louise Thompson  
Church Administrator    Norah Heggie

**OCTOBER 15, 2017**

**WELCOME** We gladly welcome all who share in our worship this morning and a special welcome if you are a visiting St. Timothy's. New friends are asked to sign our guest book at the front entrance and/or fill out one of the **"We would like"** sheets which may be found at the back of the Red Psalm books and place on the plate or give to the minister. If you are new to our area we invite you to worship with us regularly. Following the service all present are invite to the lower hall for tea, coffee, juice and conversation.

Rev. Floyd will be in his study on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 9:00am to 12 noon. He would welcome your visit.

**OUR THANKS TODAY** to the following volunteers

<b>Ushering Convener</b>	Michael Orock	<b>Greeting</b>	Phoebe Gowdy
<b>Worship Elder</b>	George McCully	<b>Banking</b>	Bill McColm & Roselyn Teka
<b>Hosting coffee</b>	The Olshefskys	<b>Worship Assistants</b>	George McCully & Andrew Lenz

**PASTORAL CARE TEAM MEMBER** on duty for September: Molly Olshefsky

**If you know of anyone in the congregation who is ill or in need of a visit, please let the Pastoral Care Team member named in the bulletin know.**

**CLERK OF SESSION:** George McCully, long time member of the Session of St. Timothy's, has resigned as Clerk of Session as of December 31, 2017. The Session has appointed Kenneth Saah Fon as its new Clerk as of January 1, 2018. Please keep both George and Ken in your prayers.

**BAGS & EGG CARTONS NEEDED!** Heron Emergency Food Centre is in need of **grocery bags** and **empty egg cartons!** Please bring your grocery bags and empty egg cartons and place them in the grocery cart in the Narthex. Thank you for your assistance!

**BOOK OF PSALMS:** The CE Committee is re-starting a project begun in celebration of our 50th Anniversary ten years ago. Now that we have celebrated 60 years of worship at St. Timothy's and have many new people in our congregation, it would be nice to have your contributions too in order to complete our hand-written Book of Psalms. (If you would like to write another Psalm ten years after your first one, please do so!) There is a list of Psalms yet to be written or however you like: by hand, by computer, by adults or young people, in whatever language you like, illustrated or not, perhaps in memory of an event, group or loved one. The necessary paper to write on will be supplied so that a uniformity is maintained. **Please see Juliet Bosompen or Phoebe Gowdie** after the Service to view our present Book of Psalms and to select the Psalm you would like to contribute. We have 46 to go!

**PRESBYTERIAN CALENDARS FOR 2018:** A limited number are now available in the narthex. The cost per calendar is \$5.00 and you are asked to leave this in the box provided.

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### UP-COMING EVENTS

**YOUTH MISSION WALK-A-THON: Collecting pledges today.** Youth will walk today to raise funds for Heron Emergency Food Centre. Today, youth and children will collect donations during coffee hour. Thank you for your continued support of our youth and their mission project.

**E-WASTE FUNDRAISER AND USED CLOTHING DRIVE - OCTOBER 14 & 15:** Have you ever heard of Ontario Electronic Stewardship (OES)? OES collects old electronics and recycles them for the purpose of preventing them from being illegally exported or handled by irresponsible recyclers. OES helps recover valuable resources that can be put back into the manufacturing supply chain. Used clothing is passed on in aid of Cerebral Palsy. St. Tim's can help in this worthwhile project and be paid for it. Last year's event was welcomed by members of St. Tim's and our neighbours in Alta Vista. This is an opportunity to safely dispose of: computers, desk tops and laptops; TV's; audio/video systems; monitors; and photocopiers. Please let your friends and neighbours know in advance. Pick up a list of What's Accepted in the Narthex. Unfortunately, we can only accept items the weekend of the event. We haven't storage earlier. St. Tim's is organizing an E-Waste collection & Fund raiser **today, after 12:00 until 3:30pm.**

**CANDY CANE BAZAAR MEETING: Today,** immediately following the Worship Service, Ernie McArthur will be holding a meeting in the Goforth Room of all "Leads" for the Candy Cane Bazaar, and other persons involved directly, to discuss its progress and organization. Bring your coffee or tea. Among other things, "Leads" will be asked to advise on who they might recommend as backup persons for their respective sections.

**AUTUMN FELLOWSHIP LUNCHEON:** You are cordially invited to celebrate autumn with a social outing. On **Tuesday, October 17<sup>th</sup> at 11am,** let's get together in the Goforth Room and join our voices in a Hymn Sing followed by Communion. Afterwards, share a light lunch in fellowship. Those interested please **RSVP by October 11<sup>th</sup>** to Clara Stel 613-731-3985 or Phoebe Gowdy 613-526-3559.

**CELEBRATORY POT LUCK SUPPER:** A Pot Luck supper will be held on **Saturday, October 28<sup>th</sup>** to celebrate any and all matters relating to our St. Timothy's Church. Bread rolls and butter will be provided by St. Timothy's. Hot food must be brought hot to the Church. **Seating at 5pm for supper at 5:30pm.** Supper will be followed by some light entertainment, and a live auction will be held to raise money for the Church's slate roof repair. We are looking to the congregation for suggestions and contributions on three matters: what it is you wish to celebrate; the nature of the entertainment; and items for the auction. On any of these three matters please speak with Rev. Floyd McPhee, Lois Hope, Joanne Payne or Ernie McArthur.

### CHURCH GROUPS

**BIBLE STUDY:** You are invited to a series of Bible Studies entitled "**Prayer – An Adventure with God**" led by Mike Powell; **Wednesday 10:00am to 11:00am from November 1 to December 6.**

**CRAFT GROUP** has resumed **Monday afternoon** meetings at **2:00pm.** Please feel free to join us as we work on items for the fall bazaar. Any craft of your choosing is welcome. Our activities are enlivened with conversation and a cup of tea. Contact Charlotte Craig or Helen Lee.

**JOY GROUP:** Just a reminder that we will **NOT meet this month** (17 October); the Autumn Fellowship Luncheon is being held on that day (see in announcements). We are planning for the next JOY group get-together to take place on **21 November** at our usual time.

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### YOUTH CORNER

#### TODDLERS & BABIES

Toddler Care is provided for children aged 1(walking) to 3, in the Toddler Room during the Worship Service following Children's Time. The Nursery is open during the worship service but is not staffed.

#### SUNDAY SCHOOL (4-17)

**October 15**

Youth Walkathon

#### JUNIOR YOUTH (12-16)

**October 29**

Lunch & Games

#### SENIOR YOUTH (16-22)

**October 22**

Bible Study Breakfast

### COMMUNITY CALENDAR

**See Bulletin Board for more information**

**Celebrating 500 years of Reformation Heritage** with vocal, choral and instrumental music, hymns and audience participation. **October 21 at 7pm at St. Andrew's Ottawa** (82 Kent St.). No cost, freewill offering will be taken for the Centretown Emergency Food Bank.

**Harvest Home Supper, Friday, October 20, 6:30pm:** Come and enjoy a traditional turkey dinner with all the fixings, dessert, juice, tea and coffee at St Giles Presbyterian Church, 729 Bank St at First Avenue. The tickets are available from the office or from Jean at 613-233-0538. Adults \$20, children and students \$10, preschoolers free. Be sure to get your tickets in advance.