

## St. Timothy's Presbyterian Church

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

### PWS&D SUNDAY – FEBRUARY 04, 2018

**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. Your visit would be welcomed

### **OUR THANKS TODAY** to the following volunteers

<b>Ushering Convener</b>	Usaha Ginting	<b>Greeting</b>	Phoebe Gowdy
<b>Worship Elder</b>	Hector Allan	<b>Banking</b>	Usaha Ginting & Shirley Norris
<b>Hosting coffee</b>	Joanne & Bob Payne	<b>Worship Assistants</b>	Matthew McPhee & Palmer Patterson

**PASTORAL CARE TEAM MEMBER** on duty for February: 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.**

### **GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**CONGRATULATIONS** to Ruth Toller! Ruth submitted an article entitled "Thanks to my Father's Advice, Heaven Doesn't Seem so Lonely any More" to the Globe and Mail and it was published in the January 17th, 2018 edition. A copy of the article is on the bulletin board near the office for those who wish to read this lovely submission.

**INCOME TAX RECEIPTS AND YEAR-END STATEMENTS** are available from the mail slots at the entrance for everyone who used envelopes in 2017 or who were on PAR. Please pick them up today to save on postage.

**OFFERING ENVELOPES:** Offering Envelopes for 2018 are available for pick up this morning for everyone who USED envelopes this year or who recently requested envelopes. If there is not a box there for you and you wish to use envelopes, please leave your name (and address and phone number if you are new to our congregation) on the sheet provided and a box will be there for you next Sunday. **Those who have signed up for the PAR programme are asked to pick up their box of envelopes as usual as there are special envelopes enclosed that you may wish to use during the year.**

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**SCHOOL KITS FOR KIDS:** Mission and Outreach would like St. Tim's to **support 100 children** in the region of Kananga City in the home country of our Rev. Albert Tambwe, the Democratic Republic of Congo. Rev. Tambwe reports that the area is rebuilding following a recent war and due to economic difficulties, 70% of the children cannot afford to go to school. **For \$20, you can give a child a school kit**, (writing books, pens, pencils, school bag, etc.) which goes a long way to making school more affordable. We would be working with Diku-Dilenga ([www.diku-dilenga.org](http://www.diku-dilenga.org)), a non-governmental organisation, founded and directed by Rev. Albert Twambe and the Tshitoko Presbytery in Kananga City (Rev. Tambwe's home church in D.R. of Congo). The fundraising for this effort will run during Lent, **beginning February 18 and ending March 25**. Mission & Outreach will **soon provide envelopes** with which you can make your donations, please make cheques payable to St. Timothy's. The total fundraising goal is therefore \$2000. Thank you for your support.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**CHILI LUNCH:** In support of the Heron Emergency Food Centre, our young Christians will be serving a chili lunch in the downstairs hall **following the service on February 11<sup>th</sup>**. The money raised will help Heron Emergency Food Centre to provide a nutritious emergency supply of food to our neighbours in need. Join us for some fellowship and good food served with a smile. Free will offering.

**ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE AND COMMUNION: February 14<sup>th</sup>, 7pm**

**ANNUAL MEETING:** The Annual Meeting is planned for **Sunday, March 11th**, after the morning worship. Please submit Committee Reports to the Church Office by Sunday, February 4th.

## CHURCH GROUPS

**AFTERNOON CIRCLE** will meet on **Wednesday, February 14th at 1:30pm**, in the Goforth Room. Work schedule permitting, **Palmer Patterson** will talk about fall prevention, posture and more. Please plan to join us for an enjoyable and informative afternoon.

**AFTERNOON CRAFT GROUP:** Meetings have resumed on **Mondays at 2p.m.**

**BIBLE STUDY:** You are invited to the Bible studies on PRAYER: An Adventure with God, led by Mike Powell:

**February 7:** Praying Together: The Early Church - Acts 4:23-31

**February 14:** Praying with Confidence: Jesus - Luke 11:1-13

**JOY GROUP:** Your conveners hope everyone enjoyed a Blessed Christmas, and we send our best wishes to all for a peaceful and prosperous New Year. Our next meeting is scheduled for **20th February**. The format remains the same, with a **movie at 10:00am followed by a hot lunch served after 12:00pm**. A free-will offering is gratefully accepted. For food planning purposes, knowing in advance if you and any friends are planning to attend is much appreciated. Look forward to seeing our regular participants and welcoming new friends. Shirley Norris, Ann-Louise Stevens, Molly Olshefsky or Jen Cranston.

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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)

**February 4**

Sunday School Classes

**February 11**

Mission Chilli Lunch Prep

#### JUNIOR YOUTH (12-16)

**February 4**

Lunch & Games

**February 11**

Mission Chilli Lunch

#### SENIOR YOUTH (16-22)

**February 25**

Bible Study Breakfast

### COMMUNITY CALENDAR

See Bulletin Board for more information

**CHOOSING A HIGH SCHOOL?** Learn how Redeemer Christian High School can provide your teen with a solid foundation. Come to our Open House on Thursday, February 8th at 7p.m. For more information visit [rchs.on.ca](http://rchs.on.ca) or call Cathy at 613-723-9262.

**WHERE SHOULD YOU SEND YOUR CHILD TO SCHOOL?** What do you wish your child to learn? What makes a classical and Christian education at St. Timothy's so unique? We are an elementary, interdenominational school, SK - Grade 8. We teach great ideas to young minds, just as the apostle Paul urged Christians to meditate on the things that are true, honourable, pure and just ( Philippians 4:8-9). Come to our Information Evening on Thursday, February 8th at 7:30p.m., or our Open House on Tuesday, March 7th at 8:30am. Our address is 1061 Pinecrest (on the corner of Pinecrest and the 417). For more information visit: [st-timothys.ca](http://st-timothys.ca). St. Timothy's: Leading students to Reverence Truth, Desire Goodness, and Rejoice in Beauty.

**OTTAWA LIFE LONG LEARNING** meeting on Tuesday, February 13th at 10am. Seminars are interesting, thought provoking, entertaining for the 55+ group. Come and check us out. email Ann Coolen, President , [anncoolen@rogers.com](mailto:anncoolen@rogers.com) (613-749-0704) for information.

**THE OTTAWA MISSION - The Coldest Night of the Year - February 24th.** is a 2km, 5km or 10km walk that in some small way symbolizes what it would be like to live on the streets in the dead of winter. The walking routes begin and end at City Hall, making their way through downtown, including a refreshment station at the Ottawa Mission. Please consider joining us for the walk this year. If you are interested in participating, please contact Leila Jakubinek. email [ljakubinek@ottawamission.com](mailto:ljakubinek@ottawamission.com) or by phone 613-234-1144 ext.236. For more information see letter on bulletin board.