

Welcome to St. Timothy's, 2400 Alta Vista Drive

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WELCOME to all who join with us today and a special welcome if you are 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.

Our service this morning will be conducted by Rev. Reine Boghos.

OUR THANKS TODAY to the following :

Ushering Convener: Joanne Payne Greeting: Shirley Joseph Worship Elder: Joanne Payne

Banking: Jasmes Douglas & Norah Heggie Worship Assistants:: Sam As0mani & Mike Powell

Hosting Coffee: Libby Staveley & Phoebe Gowdy

Pastoral Care Team Member on duty for January: Molly Olshevsky (613-521-3070)

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

FOR PICK UP FROM THE FRONT ENTRANCE: Offering Envelopes for 2019 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 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.**

HOW CAN YOU HELP? Please look at the notice board in the Narthex, which lists the various and many ways in which you might contribute to the well being of St. Timothy's. There is something at St. Timothy's for everyone, and you may find something for which you can sign up and which matches your talents. For information about the various listed committees and activities, contact the person whose name accompanies activity in which you are interested. Look around you. St. Timothy's is thriving, so for the Glory of God let each of us find ways to give it an extra push.

WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY: The next meeting is Wednesday, January 9th at 10am. We are studying "Christian Beliefs". All are welcome.

EVENING BIBLE STUDY: The next meeting is January 14th at 7pm. We are studying Evangelism: A Way of Life. You are most welcome to join us.

AFTERNOON CRAFT GROUP will be meeting on Monday, January 7th. Please plan to join us then.

BIBLE CHALLENGE CONTEST & POT LUCK: We need two teams to compete for a prize in a Bible Challenge Contest on March 30, 2019. Feel up to the challenge? You have from now till March to bone up on the following books: Genesis, Jonah, Ruth, Matthew, Philippians and James. Sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board across from the church administrator's office. The challenge is open to all ages from 6 to 96! Teams will be formed based on the sign-up sheet to ensure intergenerational content. The congregation is invited to watch the competition, even pick sides and cheer on your team. A pot luck supper will follow the contest.

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. Rocking chairs are available for nursing parents in the Toddler Room; a change table is available in the Youth Room.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

January 6

Video Sunday School

January 13

Sunday School Classes

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January 26

Fun Day

January 27

Selling Muffins

SENIOR YOUTH

January 7

Bible Study

THANK YOU FROM HEFC: The last Reverse Offering brought in \$1520 in non-perishable food! These contributions greatly assist Heron Emergency Food Centre to lessen the hardships felt by our neighbours with food insecurities. **A reminder that food donations can be made on any Sunday;** the food cart in the Narthex is always available to accept non-perishable foods such as canned chick peas, pasta and tomato sauce, soups, tuna and salmon, dry pasta and rice. Also needed are empty egg cartons and grocery bags. Thank you, St. Timothy's, your donations are greatly appreciated.

Program/Events in other churches and the community: (See Bulletin Board for more information)

- South-East Ottawa Community Health Centre is looking for Volunteer Drivers to drive senior clients living in Ottawa South to medical appointments in the city. They also have a need for visits to newcomers. Training and Program support provided. Volunteers are also needed to reduce isolation and help with grocery shopping.
- Gracefield Christian Camp and Retreat Centre is looking for first aid attendants for next summer. Camp weeks run Sunday to Friday during the months of July and August. We ask that anyone interested have a minimum of standard first aid and be willing to complete a criminal record check. A discount can be offered to a camper attending the camp being volunteered for. For more information, please contact director @ gracefieldcamp.ca
- Ottawa School of Theology and Spirituality: Classes open to all. Registration for winter term, Monday, January 7, 7pm. Dominican University College, 96 Empress Ave. Once weekly classes on topics such as our current spiritual crisis, Christian art, world Christianity, and more. www.osts.ca