

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

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FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT - APRIL 7, 2019

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. If you are new to our area we invite you to worship with us regularly. Following the service all present are invited to the lower hall for tea, coffee, juice and conversation.

OUR THANKS TODAY to the following :

Ushering Convener: James Douglas Greeting: Doug Simpsons Banking: Bob Payne & David Gowdy

Hosting Coffee: E.MbockIV & C&M Mvolo Worship Assistants: Ken SaahFON & Aurelie Kolle

Worship Elder: Ken SaahFON

Pastoral Team Member on duty for April: Shirley MacLeod (613-612-7167)

(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.

Reverend Reine Boghos' Office Hours: Reverend Reine Boghos will be in her Office on Tuesdays and Fridays and, of course, will be in the building on Sundays. She will welcome your visit, so if you wish to meet with her please call her at 613-870-2179 to make an appointment.

Do you play an instrument, any kind – a banjo. A flute, violin, woodwind, trumpet, trombone, harmonica. Drums or sing? Then your Worship Committee wants you to contact Rev. Reine and help us make A Joyful Noise at the beginning of our worship services. It is intended to have you play and lead us in song to start our worship. If you play, or a friend of yours plays, or your son or daughter plays, please have them contact Rev. Reine so we may enhance our time of worship.

EASTER FELLOWSHIP LUNCHEON: You are cordially invited to join us in the Goforth Room on Tuesday, April 23rd at 11:00am to join our voices in a Hymn Sing followed by Communion. Afterwards, we share a light lunch in fellowship. To help with our planning. Those interested to attend please contact the following by April 17th: Clara Stel 613-731-3985 or Phoebe Gowdy 613-526-3559.

EASTER FLOWERS: On Easter Sunday we will be decorating the Church with lilies, potted mums and cut flowers. If you would like to give a donation to help with this project (approximate cost of a plant is \$10) there is a box at the entrance with envelopes where you may leave your name and donation. If you wish to donate in memory of a loved one there will be a space for this name. The person named will be listed in the Easter bulletin. Donors may take the plants home with them following the service on Easter Sunday.

CHILDREN'S SUMMER CAMP AT GRACEFIELD – FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Gracefield Christian Camp offers summer camps for children and youth. Located on Lac du Castor Blanc in Gracefield Quebec, Gracefield Christian Camp welcomes everyone and treats each individual as a precious, unique and loved child of God. Campers explore the wonder of nature through rope challenges, archery, hiking and swimming and canoeing and begin to understand the characters of God the creator. Visit www.gracefieldcamp.ca for more information. **Financial assistance is available through St. Timothy's Campership Fund; contact Nic Larouche or Rev. Reine Boghos.**

SCHOOL KITS FOR KIDS: Last year's Lenten Mission Project, School Kits for Kids, was so successful, we decided to repeat it: provide school supplies to **100 children** in the region of Kananga City in the Democratic Republic of Congo. **For \$20, you can give a child a school kit.** We would again be working with Diku-Dilenga (www.diku-dilenga.org), a non-governmental organization, founded and directed by our very own Rev. Albert Tambwe, 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 **March 10 and ending April 14. Envelopes marked "School Kits for Kids" are available in the pews and in the Narthex** and can be placed in the collection plate when making your donations. Please make cheques payable to St. Timothy's. The total fundraising goal is \$2000.

SPRING SALE, SATURDAY MAY 11: It is time to start putting aside items for the fast approaching Spring Sale: clothes, books, treasures (large and small), jewelry, toys and games. And of course, to start thinking about what you might bake for the very popular bake table. Items are to be delivered during Office hours Tuesday to Friday 9am to noon when the Church building is open, and only on the Sunday and in the week before the Sale. More information on the Section Leads, their contact information, and the need for volunteers will follow.

E-WASTE COLLECTION: Saturday May 25th and Sunday May 26th: As a fund raising project for the Main Hall Re-flooring. The Stewardship Committee will be organizing in the St. Timothy's parking lot an E-waste collection. Ontario Electronic Stewardship (OES) pays by the tonne and recycles the used home electronics. On the two days allocated please bring old TV's, DVD's, phones, cameras, computers, laptops, speakers, etc. Clothes will also be collected. Spread the word to neighbours and friends. Several volunteers will be needed to load the truck and sign-up sheets will be available in due course.

TELEPHONE DIRECTORY: Those wishing a copy can obtain one through the Church Office. Digital copies are available by contacting Joanne Payne at 613-834-1179. **One copy per household, please.**

DIRECTORY CONNECTION: It has been brought to our attention that the email address for the Church and Envelope Secretary on the cover page of St. Timothy's Telephone Directory (January 2019) is incorrect. It should read sttimsoffice@on.aibn.com. The email address under the entry for Norah Heggie (Church Administrator) should also be corrected to sttimsoffice@on.aibn.com. We regret this error and hope that all changes needed will continue to be forwarded to us as a new Directory will be coming out in the summer-fall season. Please contact Joanne Payne, Clara Stel or Phoebe Gowdy with changes and they will be incorporated in our next Directory.

PLANNED GIVING: Have you sometimes wondered if, and how, you might contribute to the St. Timothy's legacy by making a long term gift? The Stewardship Committee has been given several papers by Jeffrey McCully on "Planned Giving", before and after death. A Summary of these papers will be left in the Narthex, and the Committee asks that you take it home and read it, with the future stability and welfare of St. Timothy's in mind. If you find yourself interested in one or more of these vehicles for "Planned Giving", the more complete paper on that vehicle or vehicles can be obtained from Joanne Payne or Ernie McArthur.

EVENING BIBLE STUDY: The Evening Bible study meets every second Monday. The next meeting is April 8 at 7pm. We are studying: Abiding in Christ. You are most welcome to join us.

WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY: The Wednesday Bible study group meets every Wednesday at 10am. We are studying "Christian Beliefs". All are welcome.

ST. TIMOTHY'S NEEDS YOUR TALENTS: The Stewardship Committee is asking each of you to consider prayerfully how you might contribute to the life of St. Timothy's as a volunteer. To search out the many talents of our members, the notice board will remain in the Narthex, a Time and Talents Survey will be made available for pick-up in the Narthex, Committee Chairs will speak to you from the lectern, and on the Sundays of April 7 and April 14, 2019, immediately after the Worship Service, each of the Committees will have a representative at a table in the Main Hall to answer your questions. **Please return the completed Time and Talents Survey to Joanne Payne or Ernie McArthur.**

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 April 07

Sunday School classes

April 14

Easter Garden

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Lunch & Games

April 20

Fun Day

SENIOR YOUTH TBD

BIBLE CHALLENGE RESULT: The competition was fierce but one team came out victorious! Congratulations to the team, "Little & Wise": Mike Powell, Ann-Louise Stephens, Ruth Toller and Joyce McKenzie. The teams, "The Timotites" and "Pelicans" came in a close second and third. All teams demonstrated a strong knowledge of the Books of Genesis, Ruth, Jonah, Matthew, Philippians and James. The audience enjoyed the competition as they cheered on their teams and some even kept score as they played along at their tables. Following the Bible Challenge, the fellowship of a pot-luck supper was enjoyed by all.

..... Youville Centre, in partnership with Shepherd's Trainyards, is hosting our annual Fashion Show FUNraiser on Tuesday, May 7th from 6-9pm. In addition to the exclusive fashion show, there will be wine, appetizers, silent auction items, raffle prizes, and an opportunity to shop until you drop! Tickets are 1 for \$65 (\$45 tax receipt) or 2 for \$100 (60 tax receipt) All ticket proceeds as well as 10% of all Shepherd's sales that evening will go directly to assist the clients of Youville Centre. To purchase tickets please click on the following link:
<https://www.canadahelps.org/en/charities/118848456ROOO1-youville-centre/events/fashionnight/>

