

Sunday, February 9 2020 @ 10:00 AM
God Calls Us Together

St. Timothy's

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WELCOME to all who share in our worship this morning! New friends and visitors are invited to sign our guest book at the front entrance. **COFFEE HOUR** immediately following the worship service; **all are welcome!**

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING: The date for the 2020 Annual Congregational Meeting has been set for Sun, Mar 8, after the morning Worship service.

BLACK HISTORY MONTH WORSHIP SERVICE: The African Chorus is pleased to be holding this year's Black History Service on Sun, Feb 16. All are invited to join us in a worship service with an African touch, and a celebration of Black History Month. As usual, after the worship service there will be a get-together in the main hall featuring exotic cuisine from the native countries of members of the Africa Chorus. PLEASE INVITE YOUR FRIENDS AND ACQUAINTANCES TO COME WORSHIP GOD WITH US THE AFRICAN WAY AND GET A TASTE OF AFRICA.

VEGETABLE GARDEN PLOTS TO LET: Five vegetable garden plots are available to let for \$35; this includes tilling and water. You will be responsible for any composting, planting, weeding, watering, harvesting and putting the garden to bed in the fall. If interested, please contact Nic Larouche before March 15 after which time we will advertise into the community.

E-WASTE COLLECTION: Please start putting aside your e-waste for a fund-raising collection on Sat and Sun May 23 and 24.

SPRING SALE: Please start putting aside clothes, books, small and large items for the St. Timothy's Spring Sale to be held on Sat May 9. Baked goods will be welcomed closer to the sale date. Details to follow.

UPCOMING EVENTS

BIBLE CHALLENGE CONTEST & POTLUCK: Sat, Mar 28, 2020, This year's challenge is on Esther, Daniel, Zephaniah, 1 Corinthians, 1 Thessalonians, 1 Peter. Submit your team name to Nic Larouche (individuals will be added to a team). The congregation is invited to watch the competition. A potluck supper will follow the contest.



OUR THANKS TODAY

Worship Elder:

Ernie McArthur

Scripture Reader:

John Wambombo

Usher:

Joanne Payne

Greeter:

Kenneth Sahnfon

Banking:

Bob Payne/Joel Kolle

Coffee:

Linda Walker/The Bedells

Pastoral Care:

Molly Olshefsky (613-521-3070)

(If you know of anyone in the congregation who is ill or in need of a visit, please let Molly know).

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS:

Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays
9:00am to 12 noon.

MINISTER OFFICE HOURS:

Tuesdays and Fridays. Rev. Reine will welcome your visit! Please call her at **613-255-6787** to make an appointment.

YOUTH CORNER

BABIES: Rocking chairs for nursing in the Toddler Room, change tables in the Youth Room.

TODDLERS: Care available for children aged 1 (walking) to 3 in the Toddler Room.

SUNDAY SCHOOL:

Today – Sunday School Classes

Feb 9 – Youth Mission Chili Lunch

JUNIOR YOUTH:

Feb 2 – Lunch & Game

Feb 9 – Youth Mission Chili Lunch

SENIOR YOUTH:

Feb 17: Pizza & Devotions

CHILI LUNCH: In support of Heron Emergency Food Centre, our young Christians will be serving a chili lunch **Feb 9 following the worship service.** Join us for some fellowship and good food served with a smile. Free will offering.

FISH FRY COMMUNITY SUPPER: Please set aside Sat, Apr 25 for a fish-fry community supper/fundraiser, at St. Timothy's from 5-7pm. Tickets are available for sale through Shirley Norris and Joanne Payne, and also in the Church Office. Tickets are \$15 for adults and \$8 for children 12 and younger. It is important that we involve the community and that we purchase tickets well in advance. Details to follow.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

GRACEFIELD CHRISTIAN CAMP & RETREAT CENTRE: Gracefield Camp is looking for a new permanent Managing Director to start as soon as possible. The Managing Director has overall responsibility for running the Camp with a focus on program activities. For a complete job description please visit the Camp website at www.gracefieldcamp.ca. Applications may be submitted to info@gracefieldcamp.ca. Please spread the word to people who you think might be good candidates for this crucial, mission-filled role! Further descriptions are also listed on the church bulletin board.

SPIRITUAL & SOCIAL GROUPS:

AFRICAN CHORUS: Singers of African spirituals, sing during worship service on the 2nd Sunday of the month. **Practice 1st Sunday of the month, 11am.**

AFTERNOON CRAFT GROUP: Enjoy knitting, crocheting, or other crafts? Join us **Mondays, 2pm.** For more information, contact Charlotte Craig or Helen Lee.

JOY GROUP: Tuesday Feb 18, 10am. Join us for a movie and a wonderful home cooked lunch served at noon. Free will offering. RSVP: Ann-Louise Stevens 613-521-4286 or Church Office at 613-733-0131

JOYFUL NOISE: A self-directed group of singers and musicians who sing and play during some of the worship services. All skill levels are welcome. Contact Palmer Patterson. **Practice Sundays following the worship service.**

NOT SO YOUNG ADULT GROUP: Sunday, Feb 9, 11am. For ages 20 to 40. Join us for a time of fellowship, devotion, praise and a light lunch.

ST. TIMOTHY'S CHOIR: Under the direction of our Music Director, we lead our congregation in singing hymns and praise songs for Worship Services. **Practice Sun 9am.** We'd love to have you share your gift of music with us.

WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY: 10am. Led by Mike Powell. Currently studying Jesus' Final Week. All are welcome!

MISSION STATEMENT:

St. Timothy's Presbyterian Church is a welcoming, Bible based, Christ centred worshipping community committed to loving God, loving one another, and loving the world to which He sends us.

WORSHIP SERVICES

Sunday Worship, 10am

Upcoming Special Services:

- Black History Service Feb 16, 10am
- Mission Awareness Service, Feb 23 10am

SESSION & COMMITTEE MEETINGS:

Board of Managers:

Chair – David Gowdy
Tue Feb 4, 7pm

Christian Education:

Chair – Nic Larouche
Wed Feb 5, 6:30pm

Fellowship:

Chair- Phoebe Gowdy
Tue Feb 11, 1pm

Session:

Clerk - Ken Saah FON
Tue Feb 11, 7pm

Worship:

Chair- Asliena Ginting
Tue Feb 25, 1pm

Stewardship:

Chair- Ernest McArthur
Tue Feb 25, 1:30pm

Mission & Outreach:

Chair- Nic Larouche
Thu Feb 27, 6:30pm