
Sunday, November 29, 2020 @ 10:00 AM
God Calls Us Together
Worship Service Via Zoom

St. Timothy's

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WELCOME to all who share in our worship!

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.

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

VIRTUAL WORSHIP SERVICES: A Zoom meeting invitation is sent to members of the congregation on the Friday before the Sunday service. Having everyone join a live service at the same time will add a personal touch and closeness to our gathering. If you are able, you are invited to open your camera so that other participants can feel your presence. Please mute your microphones. The link is also available from the website under Coming Events (<https://sttimsottawa.com/coming-events-2/>). Newcomers are welcome to join!

HOLY COMMUNION: This Sunday's worship service, **Nov 29**, will be celebrating Holy Communion. Please have bread and wine (or juice) available so you can participate virtually.

REVERSE OFFERING FOR HEFC: Our next reverse offering for Heron Emergency Food Centre is scheduled for this Sunday, **Nov 29**. If you have been unable to drop your donation at the church, you can make a monetary donation via our **Donation Button** on our website at sttimsottawa.com and by selecting the fund HEFC. If you would rather **send in a cheque**, please make cheque payable to St Timothy's and clearly mark HEFC on the envelope and cheque. Our local food bank needs canned pasta sauce, tomato sauce, soups, tuna and beans as well as pasta and peanut butter. Thank you for supporting Heron Emergency Food Centre.

MISSION BASKET: Throughout December we will be collecting items for The Ottawa Mission. You can **call Nic Larouche** to arrange a drop off time; or, items can be dropped off at the church on **Fridays between 10-11am**. Items needed include: gently used men's winter coats, winter boots, steel toed work boots, shoes and bath towels; new men's underwear, winter hats, gloves and socks; shoe laces, bus tickets and men's toiletries.



St. Timothy's Resources

Pastoral Care:

Molly Olshefsky

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

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS THIS WEEK:

Friday Nov. 27, 2020

10:00am to 11:00am

MINISTER OFFICE HOURS:

On Tuesdays Rev. Reine will welcome virtual visits. Please call her at **613-255-6787** to make an appointment.

Upcoming Special Services

Dec 6: 2nd Sunday in Advent

Dec 13: 3rd Sunday in Advent

Dec 20: 4th Sunday in Advent

DID YOU KNOW THERE ARE THREE WAYS TO DONATE?

1. Numbered Donation Envelopes
2. On-line at www.sttimsottawa.com and press the DONATE NOW button OR
3. Enroll in PAR (Pre-Authorized Remittance): contact our Office Administrator and she will assist you with your registration.

VIRTUAL ADVENT DEVOTIONALS: Turn your heart and soul towards Christmas. Come for a time of prayer, praise, Scripture reading and sharing. This weekly, half-hour, Advent Devotional will occur **on Fridays from 7-7:30 pm**. The zoom link will be emailed to congregants on the Friday morning. You will be encouraged to participate, or just come and partake of The Good News!

TONIGHT Nov 27 Hope – Romans 4:16-23

Dec 4

Peace - Mark 4:35-41

Dec 11 Joy - Philippians 4:4-7

Dec 18

Love - 1 Corinthians 13: 1-13

CHRISTMAS BASKETS: St. Timothy's will be providing Christmas Baskets again this year. Arrangements have been made with Wilson's Independent to assemble and package the hampers for us. Our pickup and delivery date will be Saturday, Dec. 19, 2020. There are usually community requests made to the church for assistance and there may be members of our congregation who could use our help. Elders are asked to identify members of their flock who could benefit from a hamper and advise Shirley Norris as soon as possible. The "Caring and Sharing Exchange" will be the recipient of any remaining hampers.

NEW MAIN HALL HEATING SYSTEM: The Main Hall needs a new heating system. To-date, we have raised \$3,400 towards the \$12,000 that is needed. A St. Timothy's family has generously offered to match every dollar donated to this fund, to a maximum of \$5,000, which is a wonderful way to begin! You can mail or hand deliver your donations to St. Timothy's or donate on-line via the website (under "Fund", select Main Hall Heating Fund). We are aware of the COVID-19 hardships which many are experiencing but ask that you prayerfully consider contributing to the new heating system.

CHEESE AND HONEY: Cheese and Honey can be collected from the Goforth Room on Friday December 4th between 11 am and 3 pm. For those unable to collect their purchases at that time, please advise Shirley Norris at sa.norris512@gmail.com or 613 523 1091. On behalf of St. Timothy's, the Stewardship Committee thanks those many people who participated.

VIRTUAL CAFÉ CONNECTIONS: Join us with your coffee or tea for a time of fellowship. Gatherings are conducted via Zoom; Rev. Reine emails the link to connect the day prior to the meeting. **Fridays 10 to 11am**. If you have questions about Zoom, please contact Rev. Reine at 613-225-6787.

SPIRITUAL & SOCIAL GROUPS: All groups are suspended until further notice.