

Sunday, Oct 24, 2021 @ 10:00 AM
God Calls Us Together
Twenty second Sunday after Pentecost
Student and Colleges Sunday

St. Timothy's

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Thank you to our singers today, Helen O. Bertha N. and Mike P.

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.

St. Timothy's Presbyterian Church will continue with in-person Worship Services in the Sanctuary and simultaneously livestream the Worship Service via Zoom. In addition, preparations have been made to welcome the children into the Sanctuary and to their Sunday School classes following story time. Moreover, we are encouraging "safe-singing" by the congregation with masks on to enhance our Worship Service experience. Inside the church, masking and physical distancing will be required; it is our hope that all people attending will be fully vaccinated. Guidance received from Ottawa Public Health and the Ontario Ministry of Health will be followed.

Each Friday an email invitation containing the Worship Service Zoom link will be circulated to the congregation for those who wish to continue joining the Worship Service virtually. Everyone is invited to open their camera so that other participants can feel your presence. Please mute your microphones. Newcomers are welcome to join!

The weekly Sunday Worship Service Zoom link is:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82857108790?pwd=WnBWdDdFMXNaRlh6Y2FoVWhvYUUVzZz09> Meeting ID: 828 5710 8790 Passcode: 933308

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

WORSHIP ELDER: This Sunday's Worship Elder is Sam Asomani.

WE WANT YOU BACK: *However*, we require helpers to assist with Sunday services in our sanctuary. It takes more than just Rev. Reine to lead us in worship during this pandemic.

If you are available and willing to help during this time, we, especially the Worship Committee, would be very appreciative. For us to be able to worship together during this pandemic we must take specific precautions and that takes some added effort. We need people to greet us and, yes, take our temperature, people to record our attendance in case anyone becomes sick, and last, but not least, we need people to clean the sanctuary before and after our service to ensure we don't pick up any germs or leave any behind. Remember, we can carry the COVID-19 infection for 4 or 5 days before any symptoms appear.



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:

The Church Office is open on Thursdays from **10-11 am** and can be reached by telephone, email and general mail.

MINISTER OFFICE HOURS:

Rev. Reine welcomes in-person or virtual visits. Please call her at **613-255-6787** or send an email to reineboghos@gmail.com to make an appointment.

Upcoming Special Services

Oct 31 – Reformation Sunday

Nov 7 – Remembrance Sunday

Sunday School

Children are invited to join Sunday school classes during the worship service when story time is over.

The **Faith group** (grades 8-12) will meet this Sunday after the service for a time of fellowship and fun.

Ways to Donate:

1. Interac Electronic bank transfer using sttimsoffice@on.aibn.com;
2. Numbered Donation Envelopes;
3. Enrollment in PAR (Pre-Authorized Remittance); or
4. On our website at www.sttimsottawa.com using the DONATE NOW button.

Banking continues to be done weekly. Please contact our Office if you need any further assistance.

If you can help, please contact Doug Simpson, Chair of the Worship Committee at dougsimpson9@gmail.com or at 613-823-0228.

ST. STEPHEN'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH: The Mission and Outreach Committee has agreed to donate \$2000.00 to support the St Stephen's Refugee Sponsorship. Your generosity so far has helped us raise a good portion of this amount. However, since we have been unable to hold any fundraising activities, we still have a way to go to reach our goal. Envelopes have been placed in the pews for any support you might be able to provide. Thank you very much!

FRIDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY: Please join us with Mike Powell at **7pm on Fridays** to reflect upon the scripture readings from the previous Sunday's service and discuss any ideas and questions they may have inspired. If you are interested in joining but unable to attend due to scheduling, please contact Kelvin Lee.

The weekly Zoom link is: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85460709353?pwd=SjhmNC83UUt2VDRIZnc2Rk5ka1NXQT09>
Meeting ID: **854 6070 9353** Passcode: **799119**

JOYFUL NOISE: Rev. Reine is hoping to meet with anyone who might be interested in joining our Joyful Noise team. Our first meeting will take place on **Sun Oct 31** after the worship service in the Goforth Room.

ST. TIMOTHY'S BAKE SALE FUNDRAISER: We are hosting a Bake Sale Fundraiser where all proceeds will be for St. Timothy's Project Fund. The baked goods will be made by our very own church members and the menu will include a variety of sweet treats (apple pies, lemon squares, coconut squares, frozen cookies, rum cake, fruit cake and more). To get more details about the menu and pricing, or to place an order please contact Wendy Batson by Sun **Nov 14** via email at wenbatson@rogers.com or by phone at 613-866-5972. All orders are to be picked up at the church on Sun **Nov 28** from 11am to 12pm. If you are unable to pick-up your order, a special delivery can be arranged. Please note we will be adhering to Covid-19 safety protocols as dictated by provincial and local health authorities.

VIRTUAL CAFÉ CONNECTIONS: Join us with your coffee or tea for a time of fellowship on **Fridays 10 to 11am**. Gatherings are conducted via Zoom; the link to join is sent out the day prior to the meeting.

The weekly Café Connections Zoom link is:
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86826568027?pwd=SW5jRWFmbXVOaVpCZnprRDdOVVF6Zz09>
Meeting ID: **868 2656 8027** Passcode: **508632**

ST. TIMOTHY'S YOUTH CORNER

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES: Children are invited to join Sunday school classes during the worship service when 'story time' is over.

BEDTIME WITH JESUS: Sat and Sun evenings at 7pm Rev. Reine will read a Bible story appropriate for children up to age 8, but older brothers, sisters, and parents, are always welcome to listen in. What a wonderful way to end the day. Parents are asked to teach their children how to mute/unmute.

The Zoom link for Saturdays is: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81391233003?pwd=Z2VFTjVJLzJDQnowaVVFYIRmMIR0Zz09>
Meeting ID: **813 9123 3003** Passcode: **351834**
And for Sundays is: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82772748737?pwd=NnNGUnFUcjBvL0NESkITcXh0NW5tdz09>
Meeting ID: **827 7274 8737** Passcode: **683000**

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

OTTAWA CIVIC PRAYER BREAKFAST: Fri **Oct 29** 7:15-8:45am. The featured speaker will be [Garth Steele](#). For more information and to register please go to <https://ottawacivicprayerbreakfast.com/>

THE JOY SMITH FOUNDATION: An online event on **Oct 28** as the Joy Smith Foundation proudly opens Canada's first and only National Human Trafficking Education Centre. Register for your free ticket [here](#) and save the date in your calendar.

OTTAWA INNERCITY MINISTRIES: The OIM Thanksgiving Meal serves our street friends and those in need of a delicious take-away Thanksgiving meal with dessert. It will be taking place on **Tues Nov 2** at Knox Presbyterian Church at 120 Lisgar Street in Ottawa. For more information on how you can help with the preparations, please go to <https://www.ottawainnercityministries.ca/meals>.