

Sunday, May 1, 2022 @ 10:00 AM
God Calls Us Together
Worship Service In-Person and Via Zoom
3rd Sunday of Easter

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.

WELCOME BACK!

St. Timothy's has resumed its in-person 10AM Worship. Praise the Lord!

So that all may remain comfortable and safe as you are welcomed back to in-person worship, we will continue to require self-assessment for COVID symptoms, hand sanitizing, masks, and physical distancing. No proof of vaccination is required but all are encouraged to become fully vaccinated. Stay tuned for future Coffee Hour fellowship after church.

The COVID-19 Committee will continue to review the guidelines from Provincial and Ottawa Public Health authorities and make recommendations to Session accordingly.

St. Timothy's Worship Services will continue on ZOOM with the link + ID and Passcode sent out each Friday. **Please take note of the new meeting link below:**

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89683275601?pwd=VjdSbzV6NGovMTJiWm9VeURQZUZ3dz09> Meeting ID: **896 8327 5601** Passcode: **423374**

ST. TIMOTHY'S VIRTUAL WORSHIP SERVICES: Each Friday morning, an email invitation is sent to all members of the congregation providing the Worship Service zoom link, a list of the Scripture Readings and the title of the Minister's Message for the upcoming Sunday. Everyone is invited to open their camera so that other participants can feel your presence. Please mute your microphones. Newcomers are welcome to join!



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
Tuesday, Thursday and Friday
from 9:00 am – noon.

MINISTER OFFICE HOURS:

Rev. Reine welcomes in person or virtual visits. Please call her at

613-255-6787 or send an e-mail to reineboghos@gmail.com to make an appointment.

Upcoming Events

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. DONATE NOW button on our website at www.sttimsottawa.com

Contact our Office if you need any further assistance.

GENERAL ACCOUNCEMENTS

WORSHIP ELDER: The Worship Elder for this Sunday is **Michael Powell**.

BIBLE STUDY - THE WAY OF FORGIVENESS: St Tim's has signed up for another online study presented by the Presbyterian College, and has again made it available at no cost to all members of the congregation. This study is presented by the Rev. Dr. Roland De Vries and takes place Thursday nights on zoom, running from May 12th to June 23rd. The theme of the study is The Way of Forgiveness. Please contact Kelvin Lee if you would like to join or have any questions.

More information can be found here: <https://www.presbyteriancollege.ca/2022/03/20/way-of-forgiveness/>

UKRAINE SUPPORT: St Timothy's is not collectively launching a campaign in support of Ukraine. For those who wish to donate aid to Ukraine; the following contacts are a means to do so.

To donate through the Red Cross: <https://www.redcross.ca>

Through Presbyterian World Service and Development: <https://presbyterianca/donate/donate-to-pwsd/>

Through the Ukrainian Canadian Congress: <https://www.cufoundation.ca>

MISSION AND OUTREACH PROJECT: SEMOH-EMPOWERING WOMEN IN CAMEROON: One of our own members presented an opportunity to us to support women in his home church in Cameroon and we are tying this into Mother's Day. To this end we are endeavoring to provide 50 women with \$55 each so they might build a business to support their families. These women have no means of financial support, so by supplying them with the initial sum of money we would be enabling them to start a business and build on it to become providers for their families. Donations will be received until the end of May through the usual ways of contributing found weekly on the announcement page. Contribution envelopes are on the table in the Narthex. Let's share our many blessings with these mothers!

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=SW5jRWFmbXVOaVpCZnpuRDdOVVF6Zz09>

Meeting ID: **868 2656 8027** Passcode: **508632**

ST. TIMOTHY'S YOUTH CORNER

BEDTIME WITH JESUS: Every **Sat at 7pm** Rev. Reine will read a Bible story appropriate for children up to age 8, but older brothers, sisters, and parents, are 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 will be provided by Rev. Reine.

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

GRACEFIELD CHRISTIAN CAMP AND RETREAT CENTRE: is hosting a Spring Plant Sale and Camp Registration.

Get a jump start on purchasing your summer hanging baskets for home, church or commercial locations by pre-ordering a beautiful summer standing or hanging basket created and supplied by Richmond Nurseries. Simply use this link to view, order and pay for your plant purchase: <https://gccrc-fundraising-event.square.site/>

All plant purchases can be picked up on Saturday, May 7th at the Richmond Nurseries location - 5740 Old Richmond Rd, Richmond, ON K0A 2Z0 (corner of Richmond and Fallowfield) between 10am and 2pm. This makes it perfect timing to pick up a thoughtful and fantastic Mother's Day gift!!

This fun Spring event is also an opportunity to meet our summer counselors and staff, and sign your children, friends, grandchildren up for camp this summer! Bring the kids, as there will be face painting and camp song sing-alongs!