

Sunday, May 22, 2022 @ 10:00 AM
God Calls Us Together
Worship Service In-Person and on Zoom
6th Sunday of Easter, Healing and Reconciliation Sunday

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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.

TRANSITION DAYS!

So that all may remain comfortable and safe as we once again worship in-person at St. Timothy's, we will continue to require hand sanitizing, masking and physical distancing. As we are still in another COVID wave, all eligible are strongly encouraged to become fully vaccinated.

You are welcome to remain and greet each other outside after the Service. But... good news! As of 29 May, provided the weather cooperates, a juice box and wrapped cookie or square will be offered outdoors. Volunteers will be needed to provide and serve this little extra treat as we enjoy some time together.

The COVID-19 Committee thanks you for your compliance with restrictions over the past 2+ years and asks that you will continue to show understanding and patience as we go through this transition period towards regaining 'normalcy'. We will continue to assess the ongoing situation and make recommendations to Session accordingly.

St. Timothy's Worship Service will continue on Zoom with link and password sent out each Friday. Please see 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 Molly Olshefsky.

STUDY LEAVE – MAY 24 – 29: Rev. Reine will be away on a study leave from Tuesday 24th- Sunday 29th of May. Ken Saah Fon will lead the service on Sunday the 29th”.

For pastoral emergency please contact your elder and they will be in contact with Rev. Reine.

PRAYER OPPORTUNITY: Rev Reine or a member of the Pastoral Care Team invite you to a private prayer time to share your burdens and sorrows as well as your joys. All requests are held in confidence.

Please contact Rev Reine or Molly.

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/>

STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE: Garage Sale on June 11, 2022!!

St Timothy’s Presbyterian Church invites you to its summer garage sale.

Got items to sell? Tables are available starting at \$20 for 2 hours or \$40 for 5 hours

Date: June 11, 2022

Time: 10 AM - 3 PM

Address: 2400 Alta Vista Drive

Come one, come all! For more details please contact:

John Wambombo (jwamb073@gmail.com) and Isaiah Nkunda (nkundaisaiah@yahoo.com)

UKRAINE BENEFIT CONCERT: The concert at St. Stephens on May 27th has been cancelled.

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 and onwards. 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.

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81577206367?pwd=enliRlVQeVA3K3BPRTuRWRVanBsQT09>

Meeting ID: **815 7720 6367**

Passcode: **211284**

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

GREETINGS FROM CGIT CAMP KALALLA: Do you know a girl between the ages of 7 and 15? One who might enjoy meeting new friends, swimming, canoeing, singing, doing crafts and generally having a lot of fun with other girls her age? One who is looking for an overnight camp experience this summer?

Why not tell her about Camp Kalalla! We are a faith-based girls' camp, located 45 minutes north of Ottawa, near Alcouve, Quebec. Our dedicated and experienced staff works hard to make sure that our campers feel comfortable and have fun in our lovely, lake side setting in the Gatineau Hills. We have a camper program for girls from 7 to 14, and there is still space in our excellent leadership training program for girls who are finished Grade 10.

We are also accepting applications for staff positions!

See their website www.kalalla.com for more information about dates and registration, as well as applications to be a staff member.

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>

