Sunday, March 9, 2025 @ 10:00 AM
God Calls Us Together
First Sunday in Lent
Worship Service In-Person and on 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.

ST. TIMOTHY'S VIRTUAL WORSHIP SERVICES: Each Friday morning, an email invitation, outlining the Order of Service, is sent to all members of the congregation. It provides a list of the Scripture readings and the title of the Minister's Message for the upcoming Sunday and can be reached at the zoom link below.

https://us06web.zoom.us/j/82769159293?pwd=s9oeCO2MY7BELXLx-teND0LVVSDhaD6.1

Meeting ID: 827 6915 9293

Passcode: 928871

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GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

WORSHIP ELDER: The Worship Elder for this Sunday is **Phoebe Gowdy**

TAX RECEIPTS: The office has prepared the Individual Tax Receipts for 2024. They are ready to pick up. Please look for them in the "lettered boxes" in the Narthex.

ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING: The date for the Annual Congregational Meeting has been set for Sunday, March 23, 2025, after the morning Worship Service in the Sanctuary.

SINGERS AND INSTRUMENTALISTS are needed to join our choir and/or play your instruments in our worship services. We'd love you to join us after church in the Goforth room on **MARCH 16TH** for a short meeting.

BIBLE QUIZ: A Bible Quiz will be held after church during coffee time on March 30th. More information will be coming soon.

St. Timothy' Resources

Pastoral Care:

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

613 521-3070

CHURCH OFFICE:

The Church Office is open Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday from 9:00 – 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

<u>reineboghos@gmail.com</u> to make an appointment.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Communion Service: Sunday, March 9, 2025. First Sunday in Lent.

Café Connections: Friday, March 14, 2025, at 10:30 p.m.

Presbytery Youth Event: Friday, March 28, 2025, 7:00 p.m. at St. Timonthy's.

Annual Congregational Meeting: SUNDAY, MARCH 23, 2025

Craft Group: Mondays, 1-3 p.m.

Bible Study: We are studying Colossians and Philemon, and continuing every Wednesday at 10 a.m.

Ways to Donate:

- 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.

MISSION AND OUTREACH: The church sends mass mailouts to the congregation regarding services, announcements, Timothy Topics and special events. If you would like to receive these messages, please make certain the office has your email address so you can be informed of our activities. It is important that you receive messages as part of our church family. St. Timothy's email is sttimsoffice@on.aibn.com

St Timothy's website needs to be updated, so we are asking committee chairs to arrange a Sunday for all their committee to be available to have a picture taken of their members.

HEFC: Though donations are received on a regular basis, it is the custom at St Timothy's to make a special effort to provide food for our local food bank on Communion Sunday, March 9, 2025. Nonperishable foods such as cereals, canned goods, juice and children's snacks are always welcomed. Thanks for your continuing support to HEFC.

ST. TIMOTHY'S YOUTH CORNER

ST. ANDREWS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH: St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Richmond is inviting you to a fun evening, March 21. Test your trivia knowledge, win prizes, and support the mission work of the church

PRESBYTERY YOUTH EVENT: The next event for youth in the presbytery will take place on Friday, March 28th at 7 p.m. Youth in all of the churches in the presbytery are invited to meet at St. Timothy's Presbyterian Church, 2400 Alta Vista Drive, Ottawa. The evening will consist of fellowship, worship, activities, discussion and snacks.

Our mission project for the event will be writing encouraging notes to university students who will be writing their final exams. Hope to see you there! If you have any questions, please email Sunjay at prezminanimator@gmail.com

PRESBYTERY'S 150TH ANNIVERSARY: Calling ALL youth! As part of the Presbytery's 150th anniversary celebration on Sunday May 4th, the planning committee has invited youth to join the celebration and has suggested the following areas for participation: reading Scripture, ushering (welcoming people and helping them find a seat as well as helping with the offering), or serving refreshments. This event will take place at St. Paul's on Woodroffe Ave.

If any of these areas interest you, please reach out to Sunjay Henry via email at prezminanimator@gmail.com or on Instagram @prezzyyouthonfire by April 1.

GRACEFIELD CHRISTIAN CAMP: Information and applications for Gracefield children's camps this summer can be found on the Gracefield Christian camp and Conference centre website at https://gracefieldcamp.ca. Information about camperships can also be found on the website or see Kirsty for more information.