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Rain Barrel Pickup:

Reminder to pick up your pre-ordered rain barrels & accessories Friday June 9th from 6 to 8 pm. We didn't order any extras so if you missed out, you need to wait until next year. Thank you for your support.



Youth Group reminder:

All youth grade 6 and up are invited to join Rev. Molly and Drew Corley on Sunday June 11 from 5 to 7 pm in the Lounge for Pizza and shenanigans as we plan for an amazing year next year!



Our choir will be taking its summer break between mid-June and September. We are looking for volunteers to offer special musical selections on those summer Sundays. This could take the form of vocal solos, duets, ensembles, or solo instrumental pieces. We are happy to have volunteers who can accompany themselves on piano or guitar, but Scott is ready to act as accompanist on the weeks when he is present. If you are interested in offering up your talents, please e-mail Scott at cscottrichardson@rogers.com.



Rev. Michael Blair, General Secretary of

KITCHEN RENO PARTY

THIS SUNDAY, JUNE 11th!

2:00 pm - 5:00 pm @ Taproom260

<https://fb.me/e/1coJrMrBY>

There's still time to join in the fun this Sunday! Tickets are available on Sunday after worship and through the church office. Tickets will also be available at the door on Sunday. You can pay with cash, cheque,

the United Church gave the following inspirational Theme Presentation to the Annual Meeting of Friday and Saturday, May 26/27. The links are below.

Friday: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iixlvFOK2z0&t=223s>

Saturday: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rKFdg_pHTRc

David Clemis has added a video to his **"One in the Spirit"** series, this time an interview with Rev. Mike Perreault. Click on the link to watch the video:

<https://youtu.be/OSzr-35lnms>

Summer Nursery and Sunday School

In the summertime we love to give our hardworking teachers and nursery volunteers a well-deserved break....AND we love to have activities to offer our children!

As always children are welcome in our worship services.

The Nursery will be open for parents to use with their children and the service can be heard through the PA system.

We would be delighted for volunteers to sign up for one Sunday of Summer Sunday school - come and do a craft, play a game, sing songs, read books, go outside and play, teach a skill, whatever your heart desires. This is a low-tech, all ages time with children. An opportunity for you to have fun with a group of exceptional kids doing something that you feel confident and comfortable doing (and with tons of support from Rev. Molly). All we ask is you have an open heart, a sense of humour, and a willingness to have fun for one hour. You can sign up on the bulletin board in the hall, or with Rev. Molly, or by sending a note to the office. This is a tremendous gift you could offer this summer to our families. If you have any questions, please talk to Rev. Molly.

Teen help is ALWAYS welcome - Molly provides volunteer hours, candy, and eternal gratitude!!!

e-transfer, or the Plentty app.

The show starts at 2 pm sharp with our very own Scott Richardson performing. We suggest arriving a bit early to grab a seat and get comfortable. We have the front part of the restaurant and the bar reserved for this event. Please sit together so that there is room for all! ☺

Tickets prices: \$25.00 for adults / \$5.00 for kids 17 and under.

We look forward to celebrating with you on Sunday!

Looking for help serving Communion



If you would be interested in helping serve communion during worship on June 11, July 30, or during future worship services, we would welcome your participation! Rev. Molly will be spending a few minutes going over the basics with people interested after worship next Sunday (June 4). Please let Rev Molly know if you would like to share God's love in this meaningful way!

Sit Down Young Stranger - An Evening of Gordon Lightfoot



The singing duo of Robin Guy and Scott Richardson, aka 100 Floors Above, present an evening of their favourite Gordon Lightfoot songs. The event is in support of the refugee sponsorship work of the Interchurch Refugee Group, with a portion of proceeds going to the IRG. Tuesday, June 13 at 7:00 p.m. at Orleans United Church, 1111 Orleans Boulevard. Admission by donation (\$15 suggested).

Here is the link to the Facebook event page: <https://www.facebook.com/events/3080309212274187>

SAVE THE DATE



—The OUC **Fun Golf and BBQ** at the Gray's is being planned for Sunday, June 25th, 2023 - Save the Date.

Non-golfers are very much invited to the BBQ. This is a fun, fellowship event for all.





KEEP CALM

At Last!

After having a "tiny" offsite wedding in 2020, Jane Hillman and Dave Eagles would be thrilled if you could join us as we renew our wedding vows at Orleans United Church! (Yes this has been a long time coming...)

Saturday, 4:00 p.m., June 17, 2023

Guests are asked to be Covid vaccinated

Teaser--several organ and choral works by Dave will be performed too

Men's Retreat

September 8-10, 2023 at Rideau Hill Camp. Details to follow. For more information, contact Peter Holt (pjholt49@yahoo.ca).

Keep your 2023 grocery budget on track by using **GROCERY GIFT CARDS**.



The Grocery Gift

Card table is open in the hall after service. Purchases of gift cards for Metro, Basics, Independent, No frills, Loblaws, Sobeys, Farm Boy, and Shoppers Drug Mart will be available by cash, cheque, e-transfer, or debit. Gift cards are also available for purchase in the church office during regular business hours. Any questions regarding this long standing fundraiser (that costs you nothing extra) can be sent to: dianne.davis@bell.net.

Help Hints



Healing Pathway Phase 1 workshop. Friday Oct 13, 7-9 pm, Sat Oct 14, 9-5 pm, and Sunday Oct 15, 1-5 pm, Manotick United Church. \$250.00 before Sept 15. \$275.00 after Sept 15. Info at HealingPathwayEast@gmail.com



Check out supports in the community: <https://www.communityhomesupport.ca>



Boston Pizza is still giving us a percentage back from our receipts. Please remember to print Orleans United Church on your receipt and put it in the box each time you eat there. Every dollar helps the work of the church.

Ways to Give

WE ARE GRATEFUL FOR ALL THOSE WHO SUPPORT OUR CONGREGATION WITH THEIR TIME AND WITH THEIR FINANCIAL DONATIONS

If you would like to contribute financially, you can do so in a number of ways, including:

- By cash or cheque on Sunday morning in the collection plate, or deposited in the church mailbox
- After church in the Hall with your debit card
- By pre-authorized monthly donations (call office for information)
- Through your United Way contributions
- (simply choose OUC as the beneficiary)
- E-transfer to:

oucdonations@rogers.com

- Using a credit card Through Canada Helps: <https://www.canadahelps.org>
- Using either a debit or credit card through the pilot Pillenty App



Camp Awesome 2023 - July 10 - 14 and 24-28

We are so excited to have Camp Awesome back this year!!

For those who haven't attended before, this is a day camp for 4-12 year olds run out of our church, offered as a ministry of the United Church. It offers a fun, engaging program for children and a leadership opportunity for youth. It has proven to be a great "first day camp" experience for many of our children, a fun activity for children when visiting grandparents or for groups of friends/cousins to attend together, an affordable boredom-buster week, and an all-round AWESOME time!

For our returning families, a few wonderful changes to note:

- Camp will be an ALL DAY experience with camp running from 9:30-3:30 and before and after care at NO COST from 8:30-9:30 and 3:30-4:30
- CA Crew will be offered for ages 12-13
- LIT will be offered for ages 14-15
- registration will be done centrally and will be completely online (see information in the graphic)
- cost will be \$150 per camper

If you have questions, need assistance figuring out registration or need assistance covering the cost of registration, please contact Rev. Molly



Camp Awesome is hiring!

They are still looking for 4 to 6 camp counsellors, 1 or 2 senior staff and 1 coordinator. If you are interested (or know someone who might be) please see the poster in the Hall, or contact the Office (orleansunited@rogers.com)

Community Corner

News from Camp Kalalla:

Camper Registration is open! There are still spots available for overnight Camp (July 23-30). For girls aged 7-15 looking for a fun camp experience in a nurturing and empowering environment, or girls 16 (or 15 and done Grade 10) wanting to develop leadership skills. Email registrar@gmail.com for more info or visit <http://kalalla.com/register/> to register. Come join us!

Summer Retreat Days at Camp Kalalla!

Come to Kalalla for a Gong/Sound Bath and some time for reflection (either facilitated or on your own). Full Day option (July 15) and Half Day Options (July 16). Visit <http://kalalla.com/summer-retreat-full-day-or-half-day-in-nature-at-camp-kalalla/> for more information.



Trinity Presbyterian Church (1817 Richardson Side Road) will be hosting a Garage & Garden Sale on Saturday, June 10, 2023 from 8 AM - 2 PM. Hardy perennials, garage treasures, lemonade & cookies ... there is something for everyone! Hope to see you there.



Dear friends of Campus Ministry,
We are looking for volunteers to help us with baked goods for Wednesday workshops, 6-8 pm, to feed Ukrainian newcomers affected by war. Every Wednesday on average we have 30 participants attending the college campus, and each week welcome new arrivals to Ottawa. If you are willing to help and support this cause, please contact the chaplain, Yuriy, at derkacy@algonquincollege.com; or call at extension 5341. God bless you!

Take care

Jack Wilson, Chairperson

Campus Ministry at Algonquin College

Be in Touch!

We would love for you to reach out to us....
we are here for you!

Website: <http://orleansunitedchurch.com>

Email: orleansunited@rogers.com

OUC has a Prayer Chain!



Phone: 613-837-4321

If you know someone who would like to receive this newsletter, sign them up through the main office (call or email)

For many years now, OUC has offered a prayer ministry. You can request that the members of the prayer team pray for you, for your loved one, or for a particular local or global concern. All prayer requests are shared among the group confidentially. You are invited to send your prayer request directly to ouc.prayersforall@rogers.com, an email monitored by only one CST member. For more information, please contact the office.

Chamber Music Concert at OUC on Sunday June 25, 2023

The **5 at the First** chamber music group returns to OUC for a concert at Orleans United Church at 3:30 p.m. on Sunday June 25. Tickets are \$20 each for adults. Children accompanied by adults are admitted free of charge.

Tickets can be purchased by e-Transfer, credit card or cash. Please contact the church office at orleansunited@rogers.com or Ron Hunt at re.hunt@sympatico.ca for more information.

5 at the First presents

TRIO FEATURE



SUNDAY, JUNE 25 at 3.30pm

Hosted by Orleans United Church

1111 Orléans Blvd, Orléans, ON K1C 7C8
www.orleansunitedchurch.com

ANGELA PARK piano

JESSICA LINNEBACH violin

RACHEL MERCER cello

CARMEN BRADEN The Bedrock Cycles for Piano Trio

ZOLTAN KODALY Duo, Opus 7

JOHANNES BRAHMS Trio in C minor, Opus 101

For tickets (\$20): orleansunited@rogers.com or Ron Hunt at 613-298-1626 / re.hunt@sympatico.ca

For more information about 5 at the First, please visit: www.5attheFirst.com

Artist photos by David Leyes, Fred Cattroll & Bo Huang Photography



This Week at OUC

Friday June 9: Orleans Noon - Choir Room, 11:30 - 1:30

- TOPS - Nursery, 5 pm
- **Rain Barrel pick-up - Parking Lot, 6 - 8 pm ***
- Seventh-day Adventists - Sanctuary/Chapel, 7 - 9 pm

Saturday June 10: Seventh-day Adventists - Sanctuary/Choir Room/Room 12, 9 - 1

- Community Paper Crafting Garage Sale - Hall, 10 am - 4 pm
- Natalie Hoffman Harp Recital - Sanctuary, 2 - 5 pm
- Seventh-day Adventists - Hall, 6 - 9 pm

Sunday June 11: Sunday Worship Service - in person and live-streamed, 10 am

- Allegro Music Studios Recitals - Sanctuary, noon - 8 pm
- Youth Group - Lounge/Kitchen, 5 - 7 pm

Monday June 12: TOPS - Nursery/Lounge, 6 pm

- Scouts - Chapel/Library/Hall/Choir Room, 6 pm
- Bytown Beat - Sanctuary, 7 pm

Tuesday June 13: Craft Group - Hall/Library, 9 am - noon

- Tai Chi - Chapel, 10 am
- TOPS - Nursery, 6 pm
- Scouts - Library/Lounge/Hall, 6:30 - 8 pm
- **An Evening of Gordon Lightfoot concert - Sanctuary, 7 pm ***

Wednesday June 14: Men's Breakfast - Gabriel's, St. Joseph Blvd, 7:30 am

- A'Chord - Chapel, 9:30 - 11:30 am
- Orleans-Gloucester Christian Women's Club - Hall, 9:30 - 11:30
- Just Us - Chapel, 1 - 4 pm
- Senior Choir - Sanctuary/Choir Room, 7 pm
- Council - Library, 7 pm
- Seventh-day Adventists - Chapel, 7 - 9 pm

Thursday June 15: TOPS - Library/Lounge, 8:30 am

- Craft Group - Library, 9 - noon
- S-Anon - Lounge, 7 pm
- OUC Choir - Sanctuary, 7:30 pm
- Al-Anon - Chapel/Nursery, 7:30 pm

*** See announcement above for more information**

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