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Beginning this SUNDAY: We start a new three-part series on the virtues of **Forgiveness - Gratitude - Altruism.**

These three form their own Trinity and are an integral part of the Christian faith. Find out how incorporating these virtues can improve your life.

Be blessed, be a blessing

Rev. Eric

Changes to Mask-Wearing Policy

The wearing of masks in the Sanctuary during worship services is no longer mandatory.

Coincident with the above change, **the pews on the far left-hand side of the Sanctuary will be designated as an area where masks MUST be worn.** This is being done to accommodate those individuals who wish to be physically distant from people who are not wearing masks. We recognize that each person has their own circumstances and comfort level.

We also know that Ottawa Public Health continues to recommend the wearing of masks in crowded, indoor venues. It is understood that we as individuals have to decide what we will do in crowded, indoor environments.

Some members of the congregation may choose to continue to wear their masks and sit in areas of the Sanctuary where others are not wearing masks. That is OK.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you require further information.

Blessings!

Ron Hunt, Chair of Council

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New Storage Cabinets in West Entrance

Many thanks to **Bob Kilpatrick**, who spent many hours on the construction of the new bank of storage cabinets, situated in the West Entrance to the church. The twelve cabinets provide shelves for 30 totes or other storage containers. These cabinets provide much needed storage space for the crafters and others working on products to sell at the upcoming Bazaar. Many volunteers, who have been storing supplies at home, can now keep them at the church.



INTERCHURCH REFUGEE GROUP NEWS

The Interchurch Refugee Group (IRG) will be welcoming a new family of five in the next few weeks. The family consists of parents with a 22 and 14 year old son and 19 year old

daughter. We are looking for donations of living room furniture and lamps, and two single or bunk beds. Also needed are cleaning tools such as a vacuum, mop and broom as well as basic tools such as hammer and screwdrivers.

We have been blessed to have already received many donations. We have enough bedding, towels and most kitchen essentials. If you feel you have something the family could use, please contact us, Lynne and Rick, at rick.lynn@outlook.com.

SAVE THE DATE - NOVEMBER 19TH OUC CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

Save your books, puzzles etc. Continue making preserves. Keep on sewing, knitting, woodworking and crafting. Ideas and suggestions are always welcome. Volunteers always needed. For more information contact Lorna Hobbs at 613-824-5805/lornahobbs52@yahoo.com or



Eastern Ontario Outaouais
Regional Council
Youth and Young Adults Ministry

YAYA RETREAT & SLEEPOVER

FRI. NOV 4 - 6PM

Kanata United Church (*sleepover location*)

- Dinner
- Activities and Games (*Hungry Hungry Humans!*)
- Midnight Candlelight Worship
- Sleep (LOL!)
- Breakfast

SAT. NOV 5 - 9AM

Bell's Corner's United Church

- Madahoki Indigenous Experience
- Lunch
- Self-Care Workshop

Cost \$20 per person*

Reg:
<https://forms.gle/Wu4qAicHu96u4y2n9>

Contract: Dana Ducette
dducette@united-church.ca



Visit <https://forms.gle/xKuSnSnsyGvrnEqVA> to register.

A Celebration of Life for Norman Baines

will be held on October 22nd at Manotick United Church, 5567 Manotick Main St., 2 - 4 pm. We will gather to share some of our favourite memories, our stories, to laugh and remember a wonderful person greatly missed.

Fall Clean-up

The OUC gardens and grounds need to be put to bed for the winter! So we are planning a Fall Clean-up day Saturday, 29 October from 10 AM until noon. Coffee and donuts will be available, please bring your own rakes and gardening gloves along. To make sure we have enough goodies, please let Shirley Holt shirleyholt@outlook.com, or (613) 841-5143 know if you will be coming out to join the clean-up party!





OUC Bazaar - Silent Auction

Looking for items, large and small that can be donated for the Silent Auction.

You could also help out by distributing the Silent Auction donation request letter to Orleans area businesses that you frequent such hair salons, pizza shops, pet supply store to name a few. OUC Silent Auction letters to help you ask for a possible donation are available through the church office.



HELP Hints

World Compassionate Communities Day - Sunday October 30, 2022

Your HELP team will be offering a remembrance ceremony during worship on Sunday October 30th. We will be lighting candles on your behalf in memory of loved ones who have died this past year. If there is someone you would like remembered, you are invited to email Cheryl Marvin at kenmarvin@gmail.com or Ruth Fox at ruthfox21@gmail.com with their name(s) and date of death before October 24th. Note that the remembrance ceremony is not restricted to members of OUC, therefore we would be honoured to remember with you anyone in your circle.

HELP Advisory Council



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



Church Calendars

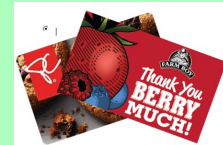
The 2023 United Church calendar is now available. The cost is \$11 each. Please contact the

office (613-837-4321, orleansunited@rogers.com) if you would like to purchase one.

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 or e-transfer. Please note there are **no Tim Horton** gift cards at this time. 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



Boston Pizza are 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:

- By cash or cheque to the main office
- 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>

Community Corner



OPEN HOUSE

October 26th, 2022
3:00pm-4:30pm
Orleans Health Hub
2225 Mer Bleue rd, Orleans

Please RSVP at
613-741-6025 ext. 323
css@eorc-creo.ca

COME MEET OTHER SENIORS, CAREGIVERS, OUR PARTNERS AND OUR TEAM IN OUR NEW SPACE AT THE ORLEANS HEALTH HUB.
*masks are required



Eastern Ontario Resource Centre, October 26, 3 - 4:30 pm at the Orleans Health Hub. RSVP at 613-741-6025 ext. 323 or css@eorc-creo.ca. Masks are required. Please email hmcgraths@gmail.com by October 21 if you would like to join our carpool. We will meet in the OUC parking lot at 2:30 pm. Please note that you do not have to be a caregiver or a senior to join us.

OUC has a Prayer Chain!



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.

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

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)

20TH ANNIVERSARY GALA

Presented by Canso Investment Counsel

17 NOV 2022



6:00 PM

Centurion Centre, 170 Colonnade Rd. S., Ottawa
"Celebrating 20 years of leading by doing"

We are excited to invite you to celebrate the past and the future work of Multifaith Housing Initiative. There will be dinner, short presentations and dancing. Tables of 8 will be set. When you order tickets you can indicate your table preference. If your congregation would like to make a table or join with another congregation just make those arrangements and name your table. Tickets are \$100 each (with a \$35 income tax receipt issued from MHI) and can be purchased at

<https://www.multifaithhousing.ca>

The proceeds from The Gala will be the Launch of Dream-LeBreton Capital Campaign for Indigenous families. It will be a \$1.5M campaign to build 30 units (out of 160 MHI units) that will be dedicated to indigenous families. We hope you will join us for this Gala evening!



Stittsville United Church Chili Cook Out

Dinner on Friday, Oct. 21st from 5:00-8:00 pm. Cost - \$15 per adult, \$10 for children 12 and under.

There will be several varieties of chili served along with corn bread, buns, green salad with choice of dressing, giant Rice Krispy squares, coffee, tea and hot chocolate with marshmallows. Takeout dinners will also be available. Plans are underway for fun galore! There will be organized games for the children with prizes, and a singalong around propane firepits with Allison Houston. A variety of pies will be for sale to take home - \$15 per pie. For more information or to purchase tickets, contact the church office at 613-836-4962. Tickets will also be available at the door. Hope you can join us for an evening of great food, games, music, fun and fellowship. *This is an outdoor event – please bring a lawn chair and dress for the weather – let's hope it's a warm evening.*



Thanksgiving at the Arcand/Braceland House



Annual Fall Bazaar – Saturday, October 29, 9:30 am – 2 pm

Carleton Memorial United Church's annual Fall Bazaar is on Saturday, October 29, 9:30 am to 2 pm! We will have jewelry, crafts, original art work, unique gifts, books, plants, a silent auction (closes at 1 pm), and much, much more! Stay for a delicious treat too, we will be serving coffee, tea, snacks, lunch, and desserts. All funds raised will benefit our continued work in the community through our church goals. Wheelchair accessible, free parking. www.cmuc.ca/event/annual-fall-bazaar/

This Week at OUC

Friday October 14: Orleans Noon - Chapel/Choir Room, 11:30 - 1:30

TOPS - Nursery/Kitchen, 5 pm

Saturday October 15: SDA - Sanctuary/Choir Room/Room 12, 8:30 - 1 pm

Scouts Sewing Bee - Hall, 8:30 - 2

Sunday October 16: Worship service, in person and live-streamed, 10 am

Monday October 17: Scouts - Hall/Library/Choir Room/Chapel

TOPS - Nursery, 6 pm

Bytown Beat - Sanctuary 7 pm

Tuesday October 18: Bazaar Crafting, Hall, 8:30 am - Noon

Kim John Tai Chi - Chapel 10 - 11 am

Scouts - Chapel/Hall/Choir Room

Coro Vivo - Sanctuary, 6:30 - 10 pm

Wednesday October 19: A'Chord - Sanctuary - 9:30 - 11:30 am

SDA - Chapel, 6 - 9 pm

Thursday October 20: TOPS - Chapel/Nursery, 8:30 am

Senior Choir - Sanctuary, 7:30

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