

OCTOBER 26, 2018

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Kitchissippi
UNITED CHURCH

Sunday, October 28th – Peace Sunday

Calendar of Events – Church Life

OCTOBER

Sun 28	10:00 am	Guest Rev. Shaun Seaman/ Guest Music with Julia Gordon. Soloist - Michelle Rempel, flute - Liz Snelling
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NOVEMBER

Mon 29	1:30 pm	Book Study in the Boardroom
Sun 4	10:00 am	Blessing of the Pets
Mon 5	1:30 pm	Book Study in the Boardroom
Tues 6	7:00 pm	Evening UCW meeting in the Parlour- Natasha Lelievre will be presenting on her trip to Korea. Natasha is the youth representative for the Canada/Caribbean Area of our International Y Service Organization.
Wed 7	1:00 pm	Pastoral Care Meeting in the Boardroom
Thus 8	4:00 pm	Men's Book Club in the Parlour
Sun 11	10:00 am	Remembrance Day Sunday
Mon 12	1:30 pm	Book Study in the Boardroom
Sun 18	10:00 am	Children's Sunday
Mon 19	1:30 pm	Book Study in the Boardroom
Tues 20	8:30 am	Men's Breakfast in the Hall
Sun 25	10:00 am	Reign of Christ
Mon 26	1:30 pm	Book Study in the Boardroom

Music Program

October 28: Guest Music Director Julia Gordon. **Soloist - Michelle Rempel, flute - Liz Snelling**

November 11: Guest Percussionist Owen Knudsen for Remembrance Day

Diana Brushey on Maternity leave – Baby Shower

Please note that our Faith Formation Leader- Diana Brushey is now officially on Maternity leave. More information about her replacement will be available soon!



Kitchissippi UC is organizing a baby shower for her on **Sunday, November 18th** (after the service) in the hall during the coffee hour. If you would like to make a financial contribution towards a gift card please see Mary Laidlaw or Peggy Clarke after church, drop by the office or feel free to bring of your own gift for Diana on November 18th. Questions? Please contact Kirsten in the office 613-722-7254.

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Book Study

Kitchissippi offers a good number of events where you might enrich your faith and the Book Study is one of them. We will meet every week, on a Thursday, from now until Christmas. The book we are studying is Brian McLaren's "**We Make the Road by Walking: A year-long quest for spiritual formation, reorientation and activation**". Please see Rev. Jenni this Sunday for a copy. \$20.00

NEW DATES AND TIMES - Book Study- every **Monday afternoons 1:30-3:00 pm**

Mondays: Oct 29 Nov 5, 12, 19, 26 Dec 3, 10, 17

Faith Conversations and Make a Difference Sunday

FAITH CONVERSATIONS - Out of the Survey we did during our Visioning, we heard folks say that they don't feel they are able to articulate their faith. We'd like to provide some more opportunities for this, besides what is already offered (book study, Eco Christianity Circle, men's breakfast, UCW and others). Join us for a combo of film study, storytelling and sermon extension conversations, where you bring your experiences and we discuss how God is at work in our lives and the world.

Faith conversations in the fall: **November 4th, November 25th, December 16th.** (After church in the hall.)

MAKE A DIFFERENCE SUNDAY - we will explore aspects of our faith in relation to justice issues happening in our world right now. Approximately every 6-8 weeks, we will learn together how Jesus' radical message of healing, justice for all, challenging systems of oppression, and love for neighbour can be lived out today, by us. How do we make a difference in our church, our community, our country and the world? Come, find out. **Make a difference Sunday for the fall: November 4** (After church in the hall.) If you have any questions, please contact Rev. Jenni.

UCW

The next UCW meeting will be on Tuesday Nov 6th at 7PM in the Parlour- Natasha Lelievre will be presenting on her trip to Korea. Natasha is the youth representative for the Canada/Caribbean Area of our International Y Service Organization.

Camp Kalalla Honeython

Camp Kalalla Honeython in Back – LAST SUNDAY Order forms will be available in the hall after church. Money raised is support of Camp Kalalla, a CGIT camp for girls. Honey will be delivered in late November in time for Christmas Completed forms can be dropped off at the office – attention Mary. Thank you for your continued support to camping.

Chaplaincy Dinner 2018

CARLINGTON COMMUNITY CHAPLAINCY 2018 Fund Raising Dinner

Saturday, November 24 at 6 p.m.

Kitchissippi United Church (630 Island Park Drive)

The whole family is invited. If you cannot attend, you can donate a ticket for someone from the Carlington community.

Tickets: Adults \$60, \$30 for children under 15, with receipts for tax purposes of \$40 and \$20.00.

Available from your Chaplaincy representative or by ordering at 613-728-9933

chaplain@carlingtonchaplaincy.com

WIDER CHURCH

Dunrobin Tornado relief UPDATE

Thank you to all who expressed an interest in helping a Dunrobin family (see letter below). If anyone else wants to know more about how Kitchissippi United can help, please contact Mary Laidlaw at (laidlawb@rogers.com.)

Greetings,

Thank-you so very much for the prayers and support which you have been offering for the people of Dunrobin. Your care has been most appreciated as the community pulls together to find a way forward. The photo at the top of the page is a photo taken just after the tornado and seems to be a wonderful metaphor for the love that has found a way through even in the midst of devastation.

As some wait for houses to be repaired and others for houses to be built, there will continue to be a long road ahead. Whether directly or indirectly affected by the tornado many are coping with emotions that are outside of our idea of normalcy. There is recognition that healing will take time, yet in the midst of all that needs doing, time is a precious commodity.

This brings us to why we are writing to you. We are hoping that you have within your faith communities' folks who are willing to help. Many Dunrobin families and individuals are being housed in hotels. While they are safe and warm, their quality of life is at risk. Some folks have excellent insurance policies and have already had a response; others are waiting to see what their insurance company will cover, while still others are without any type of insurance. This has resulted in a vast array of needs. Potentially 60 families are in need of practical help and/or may benefit from spending time with a Spiritual Care Director or Pastoral Care Worker. The families themselves are the ones who will know best what is needed.

Potential areas where volunteers may help may include but are not limited to:

- Assistance with completing forms
- Providing respite care
- Homemade hot meals
- Homework support
- Childcare or recreation activities
- Volunteer drives
- Church space for families to prepare meals or host family dinners/event
- Spiritual Care



In the next few days a letter will be sent to 60 families inviting them to partner with faith communities. The letter has not yet been sent but through initial discussions there are five families who have already asked to partner. If your faith family would like to partner with a Dunrobin Family, we would love to hear from you as soon as possible via email or phone call to: Rev. Debbie Roi or revdebbiero@gmail.com 613-808-7087

We also invite a representative from your church to attend a meeting with us on Oct 23rd at 10:00 at St. Paul's United Church Carp. (3760 Carp Road) RSVP to Debbie (see above contact info).

We recognize that there may be some faith communities who want to help but distance makes this difficult. We invite you to be in touch as there are other ways that you can help including the offering of grocery cards. We are blessed with a shared faith that assures us of the promise of new life. We hope that you will join with us in this opportunity to be the hands of Christ in our community.

Peace and Blessings,

The Family Promise Group An Interfaith Hospitality Network

Fundraiser for Debra Dynes Family House

"Soupalicious" a fundraiser for the Debra Dynes Family House - Sip, Slurp and Savour!

Sunday October 28, 2018 (4:30 pm - 7:00 pm)

Carleton Heights Community Centre 1665 Apeldoorn Ave.

Adults: \$20.00 in advance or \$25 at the door Families: (2 adults, up to 2 children): \$40 in advance or \$45 at the door Children (12 and under): \$5.00

"Soupalicious" a fundraiser for the Debra Dynes Family House that provides services and programs for financially challenged families. It's a tasty event and we endeavour to make this a zero waste event as we have compostable soup cups provided by our partner, *Plant. Grow. Share a Row* which supports environmentally conscious fundraisers that help to support community. Children have a great time. Tickets are \$20.00 Please see the website for more information <http://debradynes.ncf.ca/>

WIDER CHURCH - OYP

Ontario Youth Parliament (OYP) is a youth-run, for youth, Ontario wide Organization and registered charity. **This February 15th-19th 2019**, OYP will be hosted at Rideau Park United church and they are looking for billets from the Ottawa community to host at least 2 delegates over the 3 nights. They are also in need of billets on November 17th during their planning meeting. To learn more, or to get involved with OYP, further information can be found at oyp.on.ca/billeting or through email at billets@oyp.on.ca.

Affirming Celebration

Affirming Ministry Celebration at Carleton Memorial UC

In June 2018, the congregation of Carleton Memorial United Church voted unanimously to become an Affirming Congregation — so now it's time to celebrate! Please join us on **Sunday, 2 December at 10:30 am** for the service **followed by a celebration at 11:45 am in Morgan Hall** (740 Melfa Crescent, Ottawa). For this celebration, we would like to invite members of your congregation to join our congregation and friends from the wider community. There will be great music, special guests and awesome food! Please visit our website at www.cmuc.ca for more information or contact Kirsten Gracequist, Coordinator of Carleton Memorial's Affirm Ministry, at 613-715-2294 or e-mail kmgracequist@gmail.com.



Usher List

Team 1	Jane Christie, Richard Christie, Marilyn Sierolaski, Helen Witkowski	Nov 4
Team 2	Nancy Brodie, Janet Balcome, Norah Patriquin, Doug Brooks	Nov 11
Team 3	Mike Jones, Marion Reid, Frank Chapman, Gweneth Gowanlock	Nov 18
Team 4	Jane Craig, Scott MacCrimmon, Alayne Current, Barbara Nunn	Oct 21
Team 5	Nancy LeBlanc, Bruce Chapman, Mary Laidlaw, Anne Fraser	Oct 28

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Sunday Worship

10:00 am

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Monday through Friday
9:30 am -4:30 pm

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Celebrating
10 Years
In The Community

Come make a difference!