



Thanksgiving Sunday Sunday, October 10th, 2021

SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP at 10 AM LIVESTREAM GO TO WWW.KITCHISSISSIPPIUC.COM

MESSAGE FROM REV. JENNI!

How are you doing?

Our theme this month is connections and accordingly, I'm making connections with you through this Friday file, but also personal phone calls and emails to say hello. I'm making pastoral visits as I am fully vaccinated to those who are also vaccinated. Sitting outside or going for a walk would also work well during this beautiful fall we are having!

What connections do you make during the day? Do you connect with your spouse in a meaningful way? Do you connect with nature regularly? Do you seek out connections with your neighbours? Do you take time to connect with God (through any one of the ways above, or through prayer, poetry or just listening)?

I hope you have a lovely Thanksgiving weekend, making connections with loved ones!

Blessings, all, Jenni



THIS SUNDY- Thanksgiving collection for the Parkdale Food Centre

THIS SUNDAY, Please bring fresh produce in family or individual-sized bags that we can add to the PFC's new **outdoor fridge**. Kitchissippi can make a fresh re-start with donated fresh veggies and fruit on Thanksgiving Sunday. We'll get them to the fridge after the service. And in case you'd like to add to the fridge from your own garden or from your shopping basket, you can do so

anytime. - it's outside the Parkdale Food Centre on Rosemount Avenue. People are allowed to take what they need and donate what they can. Thanks for helping out!

NEXT WEEK- World food Sunday (October 17) - Claire Savage will be our guest preacher

NEWS FROM THE REOPENING COMMITTEE

In keeping with the new provincial standards for indoor gatherings the Reopening Circle has decided to revise our Reopening Protocol to require proof of vaccination prior to attending ANY indoor gatherings including worship, at Kitchissippiuc United Church.

We are developing a form for recording "proof", so that participants do not have to show their documents each time they register. Ensuring vaccination will make us more confident that everyone is as safe as possible and transmission is kept to a minimum.

Also, please dress warmly for worship in the Sanctuary as windows and doors are being left open to ensure adequate ventilation. Fans are not being used in the Sanctuary because they interfere with the livestreaming sound.

UPCOMING EVENTS AND MEETINGS

Tuesday, October 12, 19, 26 - Broadview Reading Group continues is working it's way through the September issue and the articles we will be discussing are on pages 41-46 and 52-53.

to meet on Tuesdays via Zoom at 1pm- pages 14/15, 54 and 64.

Zoom link: https://uso2web.zoom.us/j/89093844185.

Wednesday, October 20 - KUC Council will meet at 7pm. Via Zoom. Link will se sent our prior to the meeting.

OUTREACH

Kitchissippi's new Social Action Program: PARTAGE-SHARE OTTAWA

PARTAGE SHARE will focus on the Carlington area, volunteers will help find contributions, and the Carlington Chaplaincy will be the "Social Connector" between recipients and donors. Volunteering in the program is open to members of KUC, other churches and the broader community....it's neighbours helping neighbours.

We'll have training sessions to help interested people get started on this new community sharing initiative. Please join us for a virtual info session on Tuesday October 5th, 7:00 – 8:30pm. Zoom link: https://carleton-ca.zoom.us/j/96302905201 Meeting ID: 963 0290 520

Also visit our new website: https://www.partageshare.org for more info, or contact me, Norah Patriquin, at patriquinfam@sympatico.ca.



MOON SISTERS OF ONTARIO

For the month of October Moon Sisters Ontario will be collecting period products for Indigenous Northern Communities in Ontario, Quebec and Nunavut. All items are purchased and sent free of charge to the communities and paid for by monetary donations.

Kitchissippi UCW is contributing to this project. For more information on Moon Sisters or to make a personal donation please visit https://truenorthaid.ca/moon-time-sisters/. This is an official charity so donations are eligible for tax receipts.

WIDER CHURCH

Camp Kalalla Honey-thon is back - This is an annual fundraiser in support of Camp Kallala a CGIT camp in the Ottawa - Gatineau area. If you are interested, please see the attached forms. Completed order forms and exact payment can be dropped off at the church office (put them in an envelope and through the outside mail box) or sent to me electronically at laidlawb@rogers.com. If paying by cheque please make it out to Mary Laidlaw. I will pay for the all orders via e-transfer to the treasurer of Ottawa CGIT. Completed order forms would be appreciated by October 22, 2021. I will arrange for delivery and/or pick up at the church when the honey arrives. If you have any questions please contact me (Mary Laidlaw) at 613-829-0274 or at laidlawb@rogers.com. Thank you in advance for your support.

KUC – RETURN TO WORSHIP AT KITCHISISSIPPI

YOU ARE INVITED!

We have returned to worship services in the building at Kitchissippi United Church – 630 Island Park Drive. Please RSVP through our online **registration link below** (maximum 50 people). Deadline to register is Saturday(s) at 6PM https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/sunday-services-tickets-174190447317

WE ARE LIVE LIVESTREAMING ON SUNDAY TOO at 10 AM!

This YOUTUBE channel features live streams of our Sunday services for those who are unable to attend during the COVID19 pandemic, as well as miscellaneous videos produced by KUC staff and volunteers featuring the choir, special KUC events, and more. Even if you can't join us in person, we hope this channel will help you worship from home!



HERE IS THE LINK TO VIEW THE KUC YOUTUBE CHANNEL ON SUNDAYS

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCwATU1rozB1PIIaRmr2teVA

KUC USHER SCHEDULE

TEAM 1	TEAM 2	TEAM 3	TEAM 4
Marilyn Sierolaski	Marilyn Sierolaski	Marilyn Sierolaski	Marilyn Sierolaski
Richard Christie	Nancy Brodie	Jane Craig	Lary Laidlaw
Jane Christie	Narah Patriquin	Bruce Chapman	Anne Fraser
Helen Witkowski			Bruce Fraser

TEAM 1 OCT 10, NOV 7, DEC 5 **TEAM 2** OCT 17, NOV 14, DEC 12 **TEAM 3** OCT 24, NOV 21, DEC 19

TEAM 4 OCT 31, NOV 28, DEC 26

WE ARE HERE FOR YOU - PLEASE REACH OUT

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