



SEASON OF CREATION

Kitchissippi
UNITED CHURCH

Sunday, September 25, 2022
Creation Time – *Orange Shirt Sunday*

SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP at 10 AM LIVE STREAM

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<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCwATU1rozB1PIlaRmr2teVA>

A MESSAGE FROM REV. JENNI



Hello all,

I hope this finds you well!

TONIGHT! We will be returning to Zoom Trivia Night once a month and tonight is the night! I read out questions from both Canadian and generational trivia (from the game "Mind the Gap") and folks answer as the answers are known. We also tell stories from our experience with the answers/topics. All are welcome! We

start at 7pm and end at 9pm. Here is the zoom link: <https://uso2web.zoom.us/j/82250633588> (Future nights: October 21st and November 18th.)

Sunday is Orange Shirt Sunday within the United Church and we will be learning more about Residential schools, their policies around Indigenous children and about the Truth and Reconciliation Commission's calls to the church. This will be a learning Sunday, so please come with your questions and your inquisitive minds. Some questions we will ask you to ponder are:

- * What did you learn about SJAM (Sir John A. MacDonald) in your life.. .as a child? in school? What were you taught about his life/work represented?
 - * What do you think SJAM might mean to Indigenous folks?
 - * How do you feel about calls to change names when the context is learned?
 - * What do you feel you can do personally, and that Canadians as a whole, can do to build trust between Indigenous peoples in Canada and those of us whose ancestors did not come from here?
 - * How will you individually ensure that every child matters: how do we/will you hear, listen, and act?
- Please wear your orange shirts!

TUESDAY September 27th, the **Book Study** will resume its meetings online - every Tuesday from 1-3pm. This group has studied many books over the last decade and we have, most recently, been a Broadview Magazine (the United Church's National magazine) reading group. Because I like to keep things interesting, I'm going to be using a PowerPoint presentation each week by the Cobb Institute on Process Theology. This is the first time I've offered something like this, but I think it will be very enlightening. This week we will start with **20 key ideas of Process Thought**. The PowerPoint can be found here: <https://cobb.institute/educators-toolbox/what-is-process-thought-20-key-ideas/> For example: "#18. Religion and Science: Religion and Science are both human activities, evolving over time, which can be attuned to the depths of reality. Science

focuses on forms of energy which are subject to replicable experiments, and which can be rendered into mathematical terms; religion begins with awe at the beauty of the universe, awakens to the interconnections of things, and helps people discover the norms which are part of the very make-up of the universe itself."

Hope you have a wonderful Autumn weekend!
Blessings,
Jenni

OUTREACH

REFUGEE SUPPORT

We may hear very soon that our Burundian family has approval to travel to Ottawa! They have been living in Rwanda as refugees and we need to be ready to greet and settle this family: Illuminee (the mother) and her children Key Kenta (F -19), Yan Owen (M- 13) and Chekna Charlie (F - almost 12). We are looking at longer term accommodation in Ottawa but with short notice being very likely, does anyone have or know of a temporary furnished space for perhaps a couple of weeks or so when they arrive? The Syrian family several years ago was very fortunate to have a "soft landing space" for a short time till they moved into an apartment. Please ask family and friends if they know of available short-term space and notify the church at 613-722-7254 if you have suggestions. Once the family is here, we will collect needed items but not until then.

Thanks to KUC and friends for your ongoing support!

UPCOMING MEETINGS AND EVENTS

KUC Walkers Team in the Grand Parade – Marion Reid thanks all of you who walked on behalf of OWSS last Saturday. The crowd was amazing; the conversation enlightening, the niblets fattening, the walk exhilarating, lunch was eaten quickly, surprise gifts given out--- at least 2 to KUC members ---and the wasps proved they were not an endangered species. Best of all, my team of 12 showed up and I didn't have to walk. Thanks to everyone--on my team or not.

Trivia is Back – Friday, September 23rd from 7-9pm on Zoom. Generational and Canadian trivia will be experienced. Plus, personal stories! Zoom link <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82250633588>

NO Fall Rummage Sale - there will **not** be a fall rummage sale this year. We are concerned about the public health issues around a big event and the availability of volunteer help, among other issues. We do think it is an ideal time to perhaps rethink our semi-annual fundraiser sales. If you have any ideas, please talk to the UCW members. Thank you for your support over these many years of rummage sales. Please don't bring any rummage to the church until we advise you if we are going to continue these types of sales in the future.

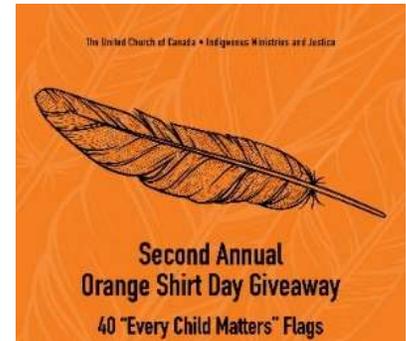
The Men's Book Club is moving BACK indoors. This club is tailored to retired male participants who enjoy discussing books. It is NOT a traditional book club but rather a "Book Report Club." Each participant reads what they want to read and gives a short dissertation of the book which is intended to spark conversation. **Next meeting is Tuesday, September 20th** at 3:30PM in the KUC Parlour. This group will meet once a month at the church, however, you do not need to be a church member to join in - some are not. If you think this could be of interest, please contact me (Rob Harcourt) AT Robertharcourt360@gmail.com.

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA ESSENTIALS

Kwey / Greetings,

You are invited to a very special Indigenous led “Every Child Matters” Walk event on September 30, the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation. This is your opportunity to make a difference as we join together to change the name of the Sir John A MacDonald Parkway in Ottawa.

This peaceful, family-oriented public Walk honours all of the Indigenous children who died in residential schools, and their families and communities that continue to suffer from this unspeakable tragedy.



Come walk with other individuals, children, families, and representatives of various groups from our communities. Wheelchairs, strollers, bicycles, roller skates, skateboards all welcome!!! We will Walk at a pace that suits everyone!!!

By simply joining the Walk you will support this campaign led by Spiritual Advisor of the Algonquin Nation, Artist and Human Rights activist Albert Dumont, as we Walk the parkway with optimism and confidence in the NCC (National Capital Commission) to announce this change! Let’s Walk together in memory of the children who didn’t survive MacDonald’s Residential Schools.

All we ask is that you come with a good heart and with a vision that MacDonald’s name will be removed from the parkway because you took part in this Walk.

There will be Indigenous drumming and singing and educational offerings about the issue suitable for all ages and levels of knowledge.

Logistics

The Walk’s participants will gather at 8:30 A.M. EST in front of the Canadian War Museum at 1 Vimy Place in Ottawa, rain or shine. (We have obtained a permit for this walk).

After a greeting and welcome and Indigenous drumming and song, the Walk will proceed west along the Westbound Parkway for one hour, and then return to 1 Vimy Place via the Eastbound Parkway.

For more information

- Albert Dumont’s piece on the campaign: [Let’s Shut Down the John A. Macdonald Parkway on September 30, 2022 | Albert Dumont](#)
- National Post piece: [Here is what Sir John A. Macdonald did to Indigenous people | National Post](#)

Background

Sir John A MacDonald (SJAM) set out to commit genocide against Indigenous peoples who had done no harm to him nor to his loved ones. He believed that by erasing the culture and spiritual purpose of this resource-rich country’s original inhabitants, he would forevermore be regarded as a hero to Canada’s future generations of white-skinned citizens. You will have the opportunity to learn much about this dark chapter of Canadian history and the leadership role Sir John A MacDonald played. There will be educational materials and interactions appropriate for all ages. On this National Day for Truth and Reconciliation, a move to rename the parkway will go a long way to recognize the Truth of history and will be a meaningful step toward Reconciliation.

Meegwetch / Thank you

CAMP KALALLA HONEY IS BACK

Camp Kalalla Honey – it is time to order Honey in support of Camp Kalalla, a local CGIT camp for young girls. Order forms will be available at the back of the church or thru the Friday file. Deadline for ordering is October 15, 2022. Delivery will be in mid to late November. Payment on ordering would be appreciated. Please contact Mary Laidlaw at 613-829-0274 or at laidlawb@rogers.com if you have any questions.

Bens BBQ Sauce Honey Garlic		354 ml	\$ 13.00		
Bens BBQ Sauce Hot Honey		354 ml	\$ 13.00		
Smyth's Crabapple Jelly		250 ml	\$ 7.75		
Smyth's Sparkling Apple Cider		750ml	\$ 13.00		
Smyth's Sparkling Cranberry Apple Cider		750 ml	\$ 13.00		
BEE BY THE SEA NATURAL PRODUCTS- Eczema, dry skin, psoriasis, scars, age spots. Once you try you'll never use anything else for skin care needs!					
BBTS - BODY CREAM natural skin cream		7.5 oz	\$ 29.00		
BBTS- BODY BUTTER natural body butter		6 oz	\$ 29.00		
BBTS - FACE CREAM skin perfecting and rejuvenating cream		2 oz	\$ 35.00		
BBTS - BODY CREAM TUBE natural skin cream		2.5 oz	\$ 13.00		
BBTS - SHAMPOO all hair types for soft silky sweet hair		10 oz	\$ 14.00		
BBTS - CONDITIONER all hair types for soft silky sweet hair		10 oz	\$ 14.00		
BBTS - LIP BALM - BEESWAX soothing for chapped and cracked lips		4.25 g	\$ 6.75		
BBTS - BAR SOAP	HONEY ALMOND	4 oz	\$ 12.00		
	HONEY CITRUS	4 oz	\$ 12.00		
BBTS- HAND CREAM	HONEY ALMOND	60 ml	\$ 13.00		
purse size and portable	HONEY CITRUS	60 ml	\$13.00		
BEE POLLEN- a teaspoon a day! Helps allergies, energy booster & thinking abilities		250 gr	\$ 23.75		
Canadiana Pure Beeswax Pillar Candle		320 g	\$ 22.00		
Honey Nut Bars cranberry quinoa		40g	\$ 2.25		
HONEY Nut Bars trail mix		40g	\$ 2.25		
Honey Nut Bars sweet n salty		40g	\$ 2.25		
Honey Nut Bars almond salted caramel		40g	\$ 2.25		
TOTAL		PGS1&2			

DONATIONS	
DONATIONS receipt	please X if receipt needed
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PAYMENT METHODS

Cash
 Cheque payable to Ottawa CGIT Committee-mail to 100 Pond St. Ottawa, Ontario K1L 8J3
 Etransfers to treasurer@kalalla.com
 Password used- [redacted]
 If using etransfer method please indicate name/church so payment can be applied to each order

<i>East end orders pick up will be at 100 Pond Street</i>		please X
<i>West end orders pick up will be 41 McIntosh Way Kanata</i>		pick up choice
If another option has been arranged for delivery please indicate here-		

OTTAWA Y-SERVICE CLUB PLANT SALE

Potted flowering plants for Thanksgiving are now available to order from the Ottawa Y Service club. Proceeds support programs such as the Carlington Community Chaplaincy, scholarships for students in the Kibera YMCA Primary School in Nairobi, and assisting 119 single-parent families in Burundi, left destitute by flooding last year. You can order and pay online with pickup available at our sale at the Y, October 4 - 6th. Please order by September 25th. After this date, we may not be able to guarantee your choice of plant or colour. Posters with photos and order forms and prices are attached. We also have Cocoa Camino Fair Trade chocolate and sugar products available to order as well as sets of our 5 Jamaica-themed greeting cards. Thanks for your continuing support. Dave Hall.

WE ARE HERE FOR YOU - PLEASE REACH OUT

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