



Kitchissippi
UNITED CHURCH



Sunday, May 21th at 10am
Seventh Sunday after Easter

SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP at 10 AM LIVE STREAM

WWW.KITCHISSIPPIUC.COM

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

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

A SPECIAL CELEBRATION – SUNDAY JUNE 4th



Join us Sunday June 4th 2023 and as Kitchissippi United officially becomes an Affirming Congregation.

Plan on staying after the service for a light lunch and refreshments.

We welcome you in person and live streaming at 10 AM

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KITCHISSIPPI HOSTING A WORKSHOP

You're invited to a Workshop – Tuesday June 6, 2023 at Kitchissippi at 6:30pm (Sanctuary)

PRESENTER Rev. Dr. Junior Smith

Title: “Come and let’s talk about what it means to belong by engaging in your church: A Biblical exploration.”
Description: What does it mean to be a follower in the Way of Jesus the Christ? What does it mean to be a disciple of Jesus Christ? What does it mean to belong? What can we do in such a lonely time? A conversation that will help you to develop an action plan in your church that supports a sense of belonging. Come and engage with others in your community of faith.

Tuesday, June 6, 2023 (KUC Sanctuary)

Kitchissippi United Church

630 Island Park Drive, 613-722-7254

Gathering at 6:15 pm (drinks and snacks) Starts promptly at 6:30 pm

Presenter Rev. Dr. Junior Smith

To register for the workshop email Peggy Clarke at communications@kitchissippuc.com.

Wednesday, June 7th is the Kitchissippi Ladies Potluck Dinner in the hall at 6PM.

All Ladies of the church are welcome!

UPCOMING WORSHIP SERVICES and EVENTS

Sunday May 21 – Guest Rev. Shawn Yaskiw – Guest Music Director Stephanie Coward- Yaskiw
Sunday May 28 – Rev. Jenni and Gavan Quinn/ Pentecost/Kitchissippi United Church Annual
Sunday June 4 – Rev. Jenni and Gavan Quinn – Pride Sunday and Affirm celebration! All Welcome
Tuesday June 6 – Kitchissippi Hosts workshop with Rev. Dr. Junior Smith at 6:30pm in the Sanctuary
Wednesday June 7 – Ladies Potluck at 6PM – All ladies welcome
Sunday June 11 – Rev. Jenni – Second after Pentecost
Sunday June 18 – Rev. Jenni – Third After Pentecost
Sunday June 25 – Congregational picnic at Champlain Park - no livestreaming

KITCHISSIPPI'S ANNUAL MEETING

AGM- Annual Congregation/General Meeting – MAY 28, 2023

The Kitchissippi United Church Annual Congregational/General Meeting will be held on

Sunday, May 28th after the service. The Annual Report will be prepared for your review in advance of the Congregational meeting.

OUTREACH

HELP FOR MINWAASHIN LODGE

We're planning our annual collection of school supplies and backpacks for Minwaashin Lodge in May and June. Donations in specially marked envelopes would be greatly appreciated, or e transfers to KUC for **Outreach**. We purchase backpacks in bulk and some school supplies, however, additional donations of colored pencils, small calculators, pencil cases, etc will also be welcome. Dollar stores are great sources for low-cost items! Many thanks for your generosity in supporting MinLodge help needy indigenous families.

The Carlington Chaplaincy would be participating in the Tamarack Race Weekend to raise funds for the Chaplaincy. We are looking forward to May 27th and are hoping to raise **\$5000**.

Funds raised would be used to fund programs and events that benefit our neighbours in Carlington such as our beloved drop-in program where we serve bagged breakfast 5 times a week and our drop in art studio which is open and free to all community members and operates 3 times a week.

How can you help?

Go online at <https://raceroster.com/events/2023/64371/tamarack-ottawa-race-weekend-2023>

Click on View Teams. Under Search for a Team Name, type Carlington Community Chaplaincy and click on the magnifying glass. A box for the Chaplaincy should pop up. Click on Donate.

Wait a bit and another box should pop up with a bunch of faces, including mine. Click on the face of the person you would like to support.

Choose the amount you want to give and follow the instructions.

I hope this is helpful. And thanks for donating!

Wendy Warburton



WIDER CHURCH



Muffins for the Chaplaincy

The Cardington Chaplaincy is still looking for people to donate muffins on a regular basis for the breakfast program. We provide an average of 400 healthy bagged breakfasts every week to community neighbours. **Please Contact Shemi at programcoordinator@carlingtonchaplaincy.com**

WIDER CHURCH

Multifaith Housing Initiative and Tulipathon

To follow up on the May 7 Learning Time, the Multifaith Housing Initiative (MHI) exists to build affordable housing that helps fix Ottawa's housing crisis and gets at-risk people into secure, safe homes. Kitchissippi UC is one of the supporting faith groups. More information at <https://www.multifaithhousing.ca/>

MHI is a partner in Dream Lebreton Flats.

<https://www.multifaithhousing.ca/dream-lebreton-flats.html>



The Tulipathon on Sunday afternoon, May 28 is an annual MHI fundraiser in support of the tenants living in MHI communities. To join or support the Kitchissippi United Church Team (Nancy Brodie) go to! **DONATE HERE** <https://www.classy.org/team/487749>

CAMP AWESOME IS BACK (IN PERSON)

Hello Neighbouring United Churches,

First United is excited to be hosting Camp Awesome for the first time and wants to extend an invitation to the families in your community to join us. I also encourage you to promote other locations as well.



We are also still looking for some staff so if there are any high school, college or university students in your congregations that are looking for a fun summer job please encourage them to apply.

<https://camp-awesome.ca/staff/>

Please share the below social media posts and feel free to print the posters for your bulletin boards. With a grateful heart,

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WE ARE HERE FOR YOU - PLEASE REACH OUT

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