



Kitchissippi
UNITED CHURCH



NOVEMBER 2023
Season of Creation – Reformation Sunday

SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP at 10 AM LIVE STREAM

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

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



Friday Greetings!

TONIGHT, we welcome Heather Menzies, author of the book **TAKING THE RECONCILIATION CHALLENGE: MEETING MY TREATY KIN**. This is a joint venture with First United, as Heather was their Chair of Council for several years. Join us at Kitchissippi for a 7pm start (or livestream it on Youtube). Please see the poster attached. **LINK TO HEATHER MENZIES EVENT**

LIVESTREAM <https://youtube.com/live/moV11e0XhKw?feature=share>

TOMORROW, we Celebrate the life of Bruce Chapman at 11am in the sanctuary. Bruce was a longtime member of Kitchissippi and before that Northwestern. **LINK TO BRUCE CHAPMAN'S CELEBRATION OF LIFE**

LIVESTREAM <https://youtube.com/live/5ZAbH3pySal?feature=share>

ON SUNDAY, we will look at Remembrance Day. Last year, we looked at Remembrance Day through a lens that highlighted Indigenous soldiers. This year, we are looking through a lens of LGBTQ+ soldiers. If you missed last year, here is a beautiful film by the National Film Board:

https://www.nfb.ca/film/forgotten_warriors/?_gl=1*11ygl23*_ga*ODQ3NjgxOTcwLjE2OTg3NzAxNjk.*_ga_oC_LQ31X8KS*MTY5ODc3MDE2OC4xLjEuMTY5ODc3MjE1NC4yMi4wLjA.*_ga_EP6WV87GNV*MTY5ODc3MDE2OC4xLjEuMTY5ODc3MjE1NC4yMi4wLjA.*_ga_EFC1FZYCYZ*MTY5ODc3MDE2OC4xLjEuMTY5ODc3MjE1NC4yMi4wLjA.

While I can't show this movie, I do think it is important to our understanding of the treatment of LGBTQ+ folks in the military. <https://www.tv.org/video/documentaries/the-fruit-machine-feature-version>

NEXT WEEK:

WEDNESDAY evening at 7:45pm, come to Southminster United for a Covenanting Service with Dr. Frank Emanuel, me (as his Educational Supervisor) and Southminster. All are welcome!

SUNDAY NOVEMBER 12: Children's and Learning Sunday. I've learned that the children have some very good plans for the first part of the service, which may or may not see me acting out certain parts, as there are 'too many words'. It will also be Muffin Sunday, so bring in some muffins for Carlington Community Chaplaincy if you are able. ALSO, please plan to stay after for the lunch and learn based on The Rev. Dr. Michael Blair's 6

Practices of Courageous Communities. We will be looking at the last 2: Courageous Communities Thrive at risk taking and they Ignite leadership.

We continue to pray for Gaza and especially for a ceasefire. The United Church has set up a page of actions: <https://united-church.ca/social-action/act-now/humanitarian-crisis-middle-east#newmode-embed-57740-61149>

We are also in the 40 days of Engagement in Anti-racism: <https://united-church.ca/social-action/justice-initiatives/anti-racism/40-days-engagement-anti-racism>

I hope you all have a good, restful, peaceful weekend!

Take good care,
Blessings,
Jenni

RIGHT RELATIONS - SPECIAL EVENT TONIGHT

Meeting My Treaty Kin: A Journey Toward Reconciliation with Heather Menzies
FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3rd at 7:00 PM
Kitchissippi United Church 630 Island Park Road, Ottawa

United Church member Heather Menzies will lead a conversation about her new book, *Meeting My Treaty Kin: A Journey Toward Reconciliation*, an intimate memoir of how she took on the reconciliation challenge herself and learned to change her thinking. Heather will read from her book and talk about the promise that listening with respect holds for healing relations between settler and Indigenous communities.

LINK TO HEATHER MENZIES EVENT LIVESTREAM <https://youtube.com/live/moV11e0XhKw?feature=share>

UPCOMING WORSHIP SERVICES AND SOCIAL EVENTS

OCTOBER and NOVEMBER

Sunday, November 5 – Remembrance Sunday

FOOD BANK SUNDAY- Please bring non-perishable food items for the Parkdale Food Centre. PFC's numbers are way up as their costs feeding hungry neighbours. Thanks for your donations!

Sunday, November 12 – Season of Creation- 12th after Pentecost – Muffin making for the Chaplaincy

Sunday, November 19 – Season of Creation- Children's Sunday

Sunday, November 26 – Season of Creation- Reign of Christ – Guest Rev. Anne Montgomery

CARLINGTON CHAPLAINCY FUNDRAISER

Join the Nepean Choir for a special seasonal musical presentation!

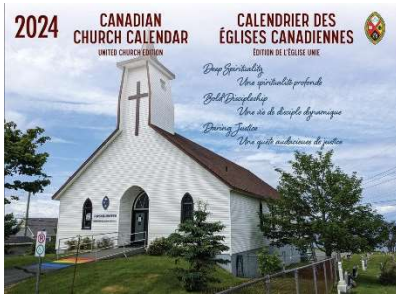
At Kitchissippi United Church 2:00 p.m. Sunday, November 19th.

630 Island Park Drive.

Tickets are \$10 each from Dave Hall or Norah Patriquin on Sunday or email Dave at davidottysc@gmail.com

Proceeds will support the outreach work of the Carlington Community Chaplaincy.





**United Church 2024 Calendars are now available.
Cost is \$10.00**

Please contact the office kgracequist@kitchissippiuc.com to purchase one. They will also be available after the service in the office on Sunday.

CAMP KALALLA HONEY IS BACK

Camp Kalalla Honeython

The Honeython, in support of Camp Kalalla, a CGIT camp for young girls, is on for the next couple of weeks. However, this year there will not be a co-ordinated Church group order. You can still place individual honey orders using the attached order form. (Please ignore the last page of the order form which contains instructions for group orders). Instructions for individual payment and pick up are on the form. I have also left some blank order forms at the back of the church. Sorry for this year's inconvenience in ordering. If you have any questions, contact Mary Laidlaw at laidlawb@rogers.com.

<http://kalalla.com/wp-content/uploads/2023/10/CGIT-2023-fundraiser.pdf>

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