

Sunday services are also available online At 10 am on Zoom

# **Dayspring Weekly News**

April 10, 2022

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Our services are ... Faith filled, Inspiring and Joyful!

### MISSION MOMENTS

Penjani Sichinga holds a special place in his heart for the David Gordon Memorial Hospital (DGMH) in northern Malawi, where he has worked since 2004, though not everyone shares his passion. DGMH is a rural mission that serves a population of 120,000; and due to its remote location, poor accommodation and few incentives, the hospital sees a high staff turnover rate, especially among doctors. Penjani received encouragement and support from the Synod of Livingstonia Health Department to pursue medical studies to become a certified doctor. He finished his studies in 2021, and thanks to support from Presbyterians Sharing, is now working on completing an internship at the Livingstonia University Teaching Hospital in Zambia.

We could do with your help in coving off vacation time for our Media Booth people, please offer to help right away so training can happen before they are away, thanks. They are also looking for a Zoom 'HOST' on a regular basis to take a turn. See Marc J.

After Penjani completes his final medical

training requirement, he will return to work at DGMH—but this time as a fully certified doctor!

From our Clerk of Session, Gina

We still recommend masking and social distancing while in the church.

2022 Tax Season is here! The M&O ministry team is again organizing the tax preparation assistance program "Make Tax Time Pay". If you are willing to volunteer as a tax preparer, please contact Sam M at 780-893-7635 or email him at sism8388@gmail.com Training is offered

Minister: (TBA) Interim Moderator Rev. William Ball mobile 780 266-6528 or wk 780 462-2446

**Church School Coordinator:** Lynn Vaughan ChurchSchool@dayspringchurch.ca Office Hours: postponed indefinitely

**Youth Coordinator:** Fionna McCrostie Youth@dayspringchurch.ca Office Hours: postponed indefinitely

Music Director: Binu Kapadia

Music@DayspringChurch.ca

Custodian: Jim Matthew

#### Further news about the CALL

The Westminster Presbytery meeting was held March 30 and the call was approved. Brad has accepted the call. He and his family's arrival in Edmonton is yet to be determined.



We Encourage and Invite everyone to join us IN the sanctuary rather than Zoom if at all possible for these 3 special services.

Dayspring will be holding a Good Friday Service April 15 at 11:am and of course Palm/Passion April 10 and Easter Sunday April 17at 10am



# Fellowship is providing an Easter treat for our congregation!

To help celebrate this special time, come to the church on Saturday, April 16 from 10:30am to 12:30pm to collect your treat. Please join us and pick up your treat as well as enjoy a cup of coffee, tea and cookies. To help us organize, please let Laura know via email at

I.pattersonfortin@gmail.com if vou will be able to pick up your treat. If your unable to, we will make arrangements to deliver it.

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envsecy@dayspringchurch.ca **Dayspring Weekly News & Event Calendar:** 

Announcements need to be in to the office by Tuesdays at **5pm** in order for them to be in the Sunday NEWS.

**Volunteer Centre:** Located in the Great Room. **Postings Wall:** The west wall of the Great Room.

# **Revised Common Lectionary Readings**

(not necessarily Sunday's chosen readings) **April 10**, Liturgy of the Palms: Psalm 118:1–2, 19–29; Luke 19:28–40. Liturgy of the Passion: Isaiah 50:4–9a; Psalm 31:9–16; Philippians 2:5-11; Luke 22:14-23:56 OR Luke 23:1-49 **April 14**, Maundy Thursday: Exodus 12:1–4. (5-10), 11-14; Psalm 116:1-2, 12-19; 1 Corinthians 11:23–26: John 13:1–17. 31b–35 **April 15**. Good Friday: Isaiah 52:13–53:12: Psalm 22; Hebrews 10:16–250R Hebrews 4:14–16; 5:7–9; John 18:1-19:42

## **ZOOM-connect @DPC**

Look for information about how to join Dayspring Worship and other Activities at our website on the ZOOM Connect page of our website or go to

https://dayspringchurch.ca/activities/zoom-connect/

Bible Study—Wednesday 10:30 am DPC Coffee Hour—Thursday 10 - 11 am Come & go as you'd like! Bible Bedtime Stories-First and Third Sundays 6:30-7pm Geared toward school-aged children, but everyone is welcome. To join us, please go to the Dayspring website and click on the BBS link on the Zoom Connect page.



Continue to pray for the many workers on the frontlines as they keep fighting against the spread of covid. Note: Besides deaths and births, names are not included on this prayer list unless explicit permission is given.

# **Stewardship Moment**

Do your little bit of good where you are; it's those little bits of good put together that overwhelm the world. *Desmond Tutu – cleric*, theologian, human rights activist

Refresh & Renew your marriage from the comfort of your home. Worldwide Marriage Encounter - Live via Zoom May 13-15, 2022. For more info or to register www.eame.ca If you have any questions, contact Heather or Garry Tansem tansemgh@telus. net "The weekend was paced just right for us. Each session took us into a new topic to explore. When it was all over, we both felt closer; and we had some new tools in our toolbox. It took our relationship to a new level.'



The Design Team of the General Assembly of The Presbyterian Church in Canada is looking to gather music |

videos in a variety of sounds and styles from Presbyterian choirs, bands, ensembles and soloists from across the country to be presented to the pcoming Assembly as part of morning worship or during break times. We hope to receive videos that connect with the theme of this year's Assembly: Refuge, Peace, Strength. Submission due date is April 20. Go to:

https://presbyterian.ca/2022/03/01/music-ga2022/ for submission guidelines.

If you don't have a computer, you can phone in to listen to the worship service on Sundays. The phone number is (587) 328-1099, and once you reach that number, the meeting ID for the service is 214-107-800.

### Our Garden...

Applications for spots in our Garden are now being received. Interested? please contact Herbert Munde at (587)710-2210 or email hmunde@yahoo.com for details. First ten (10)

applicants will be considered on a first come first served basis. There is a **\$20 fee** to participate to **offset** water and maintenance costs.



For all pastoral concerns, please contact Rev. William Ball at his mobile 780 266 6528 or revballedmonton@gmail.com

## **Ways to Donate at Dayspring**

- -E-transfer to dpc.edmonton.treasurer@gmail.com through your bank's website
- -Set up a monthly pre-authorized remittance by emailing this completed form

https://presbyterian.ca/downloads/55721/ to

#### EnvSecy@DayspringChurch.ca

- -Mail a cheque to the church at 11445 40 Ave NW, Edmonton, AB T6J 0R4
- -Donate using a credit card at

https://www.canadahelps.org/en/dn/16490

Dayspring is planning to host our Gigantic Yard Sale again this year - May 13&14. On those same dates, we will be accepting SOFT (clothing, bedding, shoes) items for donation to Value Village. More details will be coming soon, but start setting things aside now as you begin your spring cleaning!! If you would like to

volunteer to help with setup or sales, please contact Lynn at

(780) 955-8811 or churchschool@dayspringchurch.ca

