

Sunday services are also available online At 10 am on Zoom

Dayspring Weekly News

November 13, 2022

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

Mission Moments

Village Safe Motherhood Committees are a vital part of Presbyterian World Service & Development's maternal, newborn and child health programming in Malawi. The people who run the committees work tirelessly to ensure that pregnant women and their partners are informed about the community services available to them before, during and after the birth of their child, and why these services are so important. Committee staff advise women to attend check-ups and deliver at a health-care facility, as well as encourage partner participation. They also educate parents about the importance of vaccination and proper nutrition. This is life-saving work for many pregnant women and infants in Malawi.

Xmas Craft and Poinsettia sale and Community Event will be on Saturday Dec 03 from 11am-3pm. Fellowship is calling all bakers and crafters to help out please. More information to follow soon. The Poinsettias will need to be ordered by Nov 30. Everything is 'in-person' this year!

Our Mission and Outreach ministry team is organizing this years' tax preparation assistance program "Make Tax Time Pay"

Please consider volunteering as a tax preparer and contact either Sam Malayang at 780-893-7635/sjsm8388@gmail.com or Ali at ajac7373@gmail.com

Training and other resources are available. Depending on COVID-19 restrictions, tax preparation will either be done online or at Church on weekends or both. We are looking to **start at the end of February or early**March 2023. Once we have enough volunteers, we will spread the word that DPC can help prepare individual tax returns.

Minister: Rev. Bradley Childs 780 999-3005

Minister@DayspringChurch.ca

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

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Custodian: Jim Matthew

There is a saying that says, "we're better together," which basically means that even though each one of us is gifted in some way and could accomplish many things on our own, the real difference is when we each take that God-given ability or talent and work as a team for His glory!

I often pause to think what it would be like if we did not have wonderful volunteers to serve in our Food Bank Ministry, Inclusion Ministry, Our neighbourhood, with the garden, fixing things around the church building, with children and youth and pretty much everywhere. As you might expect, I am personally very thankful for those of you giving of your time and talents in the media team and in musical participation in worship. You are a blessing! Rev. Brad Childs

Advent calendar

Nov 27 - Sun, 1st Advent

Dec 04 - Sun, 2nd Advent

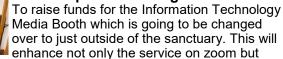
Dec 11 - Sun, 3rd Advent

Dec 18 - Sun, 4th Advent and our Pageant!

Dec 24 - Sat, Christmas Eve, Readings & Carols 7pm

Dec 25 - Sun, Christmas day, yes there will be a Service and yes, there will be a Service on Sun, 2023 Jan 01,

Our Board and Session have just opened up a new Giving Door...



also the quality of the sound in the sanctuary. The Giving Door Goal will be communicated after the quote is finalized. As well, if you are currently assessing your donations before the end of 2022, keep in mind that we could also use donations for our refugee fund. We anticipate the next family arriving in 2023.

Administrative Assistant: Linda Farrah-Basford Admin@dayspringchurch.ca Office Hrs: M & Th 9am-5pm (Occasionally, office hours change without notice.)

Envelope Secretary: Iris R. 780-920-4415 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)

Nov 13, Isaiah 65:17-25 and Isaiah 12 OR

Malachi 4:1–2a and Psalm 98; 2 Thessalonians 3:6–13; Luke 21:5–19

Nov 20, Jeremiah 23:1–6 and Luke 1:68–79 OR Jeremiah 23:1–6 and Psalm 46; Colossians 1:11–20; Luke 23:33-43

A financial update from the Board of Managers

Finances at a quick glance January to September 2022

Offering \$168,315 Building Usage \$ 52,120 Total Incoming Money \$220,435 Actual Expenses \$198,190 Surplus Year to Date \$ 22,245

The Board would like to thank all of the congregation for their financial support and for all the time and talents spent at the church.

Bible Bedtime Stories via Zoom will continue until Dec 18, It runs from **6:30 - 7:00 pm** and can be accessed from the link found on the Church website under Zoom Connect Gatherings.

EVERYONE is welcome to join us on Sunday evenings!!

Let's update our Fotoboard @Dayspring.

Please send your individual or informal family digital picture to the



Communication Team Webkeeper@DayspringChurch.ca The pictures should be in portrait orientation so they can be printed 4" wide and 6" tall. Include names (on the picture if possible) so that they can be added.

Playgroup & Coffee @ Dayspring

.... Every Friday 10 - 11:30am @ Dayspring Church Come and connect with other parents & caregivers and just let the kids play!



Please send prayers out for everyone in our extended Dayspring family that is experiencing challenges in their lives right now. We could all use some extra love and support, no matter what we are going through!

Continue to pray for our health care workers as the medical system continues to experience

Note: Besides deaths and births, names are not included on this prayer list unless explicit permission is given.

What our Session is talking about...

Rev Brad says "Please feel free to explore the material left for your perusal on the table that has the 'Elder' Information' on it. Session is talking about 'What is your worship style' to 'How to pray with people who are ill' to 'Taking Prayer for a Walk: A Guided Prayer Retreat.' for anyone who might find these helpful or inspiring."

Stewardship Moment

We make a living by what we get, but we make a life by what we give. *Winston Churchill – former* Prime Minister of the United Kingdom



For all pastoral concerns, please contact Rev. Bradley Childs at his mobile number 780 999-3005

To be a coffee host...

Add your name on the pink sheets on the Volunteer Board for any Sunday in 2023 to be one of our coffee hosts. Instructions on how to, are posted in the kitchen and a fellowship member can help with the instructions too!



DPC 'Come and Go' Coffee Hour on Wed 9 - 10 am, with Brad!

Men's Breakfast

The next Men's Breakfast will be in mid-Nov. with an outstanding guest speaker, so stay tuned! Jack Little

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 will be online Wednesdays, from 10 -11am





The Craft Group invites you to join them in their fun and merriment. They meet in the church every **Friday from 1-3pm**

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