

Sunday services are also available online at 10 am on Zoom

Dayspring Weekly News January 8, 2023

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

Mission Moments

Adau Maduok Dut lives in South Sudan with her four children. Struggling to make ends meet after her husband left the family, Adau's life improved after receiving assistance through a project, supported by

Presbyterian World Service & Development and Canadian Foodgrains Bank, that provides food packages to struggling families in South Sudan. "I knew immediately that my children would not have to suffer again since we had food and were equipped with the seeds and tools to start a fresh life," Adau said.



Our Tri Church (NCN) 2022 dinners:

Total meals prepared and sent out -161Total homes delivered to -53 plus the international house at the UofA

Total kitchen helpers over the two cooking days -22Total number of drivers – 17

Total cost for the meals - \$718.00, so about \$4.45/ meal.

Meals associated with Enjoy Life – 7 homes, 21 meals Meals associated with Dayspring – 22 homes, 69 meals (22 of these were from Food Bank clients) Meals associated with Greenfield – 24 homes, 48 meals Meals associated with UofA international house – 23 meals

We received about 1,100 baked goods, so each person got 4 in their meal package, and we gave extras to kitchen helpers and drivers. A few were left over and served at the Greenfield Christmas eve service.

We cooked 22 turkeys, 19 of which had been donated. We ended up using 17 of them for the meals, and the remainder was taken to the Neighbour Centre just off Whyte Ave for their meal program.



The PCC 2023 Wall Calendar is available at the Welcome Centre. Enjoy the pictures of what we do through Presbyterians Sharing.





This photo is of all the items from the Giving Tree. They were delivered to E4C Wednesday morning and they were very pleased. Thank you Dayspring

congregation for your generosity!



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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)

Jan 08, Isaiah 42:1-9; Psalm 29; Acts 10:34-43;

Matthew 3:13–17

Jan 15, Isaiah 49:1–7; Psalm 40:1–11; 1 Corinthians 1:1–9; John 1:29–42

Jan 22, *Isaiah 9:1–4; Psalm 27:1, 4–9; 1 Corinthians 1:10–18;Matthew 4:12–23*

As we begin a new year, let us all be THANKFUL for the MANY Dayspring members who often work tirelessly in the background and the shadows without much recognition for their efforts. For ALL of you who make a difference to the well being of this congregation, whether it be sitting on a committees, helping with programs, or providing financial support, please know that **YOU** are the heartbeat of this church!!



The Craft group resumes meeting on Fridays at the church as of Jan 13 from 1-3pm



You will find your box of 2023 Giving Envelopes in your mail box at the Church

December Dayspring DayBook

The latest hard copy of the Dayspring DayBook is available in the church. - John Carr, Communications Team

Dayspring Food Bank Depot - Request for Bags

We are finding that quite a good number of food bank clients are arriving without bags in which to re-pack their hamper items.

IF you happen to have any spare plastic or re-usable bags that you no longer need, please consider donating them.

Thank you!!!



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

To be a coffee host and bring extra JOY to people's lives on Sunday mornings ...

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



Playgroup & Coffee @ Dayspring
Every Friday 10 - 11:30am @ Dayspring Chu

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

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



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

DPC
'Come and Go' Coffee Hour with Brad!
on Wednesdays from 9 - 10am





Bible Study will continue to be online Wednesdays, from 10 -11 am

We will resume on Jan 11