

Sunday services are also available online at 10 am on Zoom

Dayspring Weekly News July 23, 2023

Our services are ...

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Mission Moments

PCC's partnership with Theological Education by Extension in Malawi began 45 years ago when the Rev. Charles Scott helped establish a lay training program at the request of the Church of Central Africa Presbyterian in Blantyre Synod and other churches. The distance learning program is open to anyone who wants to study the Bible and theology. It has opened doors for women and working church

leaders who want to deepen their biblical and theological knowledge and be better equipped to serve. During these challenging times, the Rev. Chimwemwe Mitengo, Exe. Director, is thankful for the PCC's



continued partnership and support through Presbyterians Sharing.



Our Next "Women's Connect" Event is ready to go and this time, Dayspring is hosting! We're asking you to Save the Date for a presentation on "Nourishing Body & Soul" It's Saturday, Sept 30th.@ 8:30am.

You can find more info on <u>www.dayspringchurch.ca</u>. Register early if you'd like. Last September, Greenfield Church hosted and we had a sold out crowd of 120 women! Tickets are \$20 - includes a light breakfast AND presentation.

Minister: Rev. Bradley Childs 780 999-3005 Minister@DayspringChurch.ca Office hrs:9am-12pm M-F Church School Coordinator: Lynn Vaughan ChurchSchool@dayspringchurch.ca Office Hours: postponed indefinitely Youth Coordinator: To Be Filled Youth@dayspringchurch.ca Office Hours: postponed indefinitely Music Director: Binu Kapadia Music@DayspringChurch.ca Custodian: Jim Matthew Faith filled, Inspiring and Joyful!

A HUGE to Karen G. and Jan Ray M. who took portrait photos of our congregation the last few Sundays.

Please note that one of the office days is now changing to a Wednesday instead of a Monday, as of this week. So...Linda will be in the office on Wednesdays and Thursdays going forward instead of Mondays and Thursdays.



Want a place to "hang out" with your friends and listen to music or play a game? Come challenge your buddies to Exploding Kittens, test your gaming strategy in Settlers of Catan, and laugh the night away playing Apples to Apples ... and more! there is ping-pong, pool, shuffle board and Football too.

> Started already at Dayspring as of July 04 runs from 6:30-8:30 pm Continues every TWO weeks on Tuesdays... Aug 01, 15, 29

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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)

July 23, Genesis 28:10–19a and Psalm 139:1–12, 23–24 OR Isaiah 44:6–8 and Psalm 86:11–17; Romans 8:12–25;Matthew 13:24–30, 36–43 July 30, Genesis 29:15–28 and Psalm 105:1–11, 45b OR Psalm 128 OR 1 Kings 3:5–12 and Psalm 119:129– 136; Romans 8:26–39; Matthew 13:31–33, 44–52 For all pastoral concerns, please contact Rev. Mark Chiang on his mobile phone **780 455-6431 or 780 604-6315**



Playgroup & Coffee Time, Dayspring and Family Futures Resource Network Every Friday 10 - 11:30am @ Dayspring Church Come and connect with other parents & caregivers and just let the kids play!



Sincere thanks is extended to everyone who prayed and offered support to Bob and Shelagh over the past few weeks. Bob is doing better now and continuing to improve. Note: Besides deaths and births, names are not included on this prayer list unless explicit permission is given.

An invitation to all Dayspring Youth, Young Adults ... & friends

Dates/Times for upcoming Youth Get Togethers at Dayspring Summer 2023

 Tues, July 18: Teen Hangout Drop-In
 6:30-8:30 pm

 Informal evening of games, music and snacks upstairs in the Youth
 Room. Open to the Community. For grades 7-12 / ages 13-18 yrs.

Friday, July 21: Movie Night 7:00-10:00 pm Come enjoy some theatre snacks and a movie on the big screen. If you have a movie suggestion, just let us know.

 Tues, Aug 1: Teen Hangout Drop-In
 6:30-8:30 pm

 Informal evening of games, music and snacks upstains in the Youth
 Room. Open to the Community. For grades 7-12 / ages 13-18 yrs.

Friday, Aug 4: Campfire 7:00-10:00 pm S'mores, songs and fun around the firepit in the church yard. Bring along your guitar (or your harmonica?) and join in the festivities.

Tues, Aug 15: Teen Hangout Drop-In6:30-8:30 pmInformal evening of games, music and snacks upstairs in the YouthRoom. Open to the Community. For grades 7-12 / ages 13-18 yrs.

Friday, Aug 18: Board Game Night 7:00-10:00 pm Enjoy some munchies while challenging your friends to some trivia or cards or pictionary or charades or ... the possibilities are endless!

 Tues, Aug 29: Teen Hangout Drop-In
 6:30-8:30 pm

 Informal evening of games, music and snacks upstairs in the Youth
 Room. Open to the Community. For grades 7-12 / ages 13-18 yrs.

Friday, Sept 8: Edmonton Corn Maze (tentative) 5 pm departure from church Come explore the maze with us and then sit around the fire to enjoy some delicious hat dags and treats.

Saturday, Sept 9: Dayspring Community Carnival 10 am - 2 pm Hoping to have the Youth/Young Adults assist with a few of the carnival games or attractions.

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

Summer VBS day programs or Overnight Camps

If you have elementary aged children, we encourage you to check out the VBS options at either Greenfield Community Church or Millwoods Presbyterian Church. Info posted on church wall.

There's something for kids of all ages at the Presbyterian Church's own Camp Kannawin in July. See their website for more details and to register. www.campkannawin.ca

Stewardship Moment

Each of you must give as you have made up your mind, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. *2 Corinthians 9:7*



DPC 'Come and Go' Coffee Hour on Wednesdays from <u>9 - 10am</u>



Bible Study will be taking a break now until September.

Search for Youth Coordinator

We are on the hunt for Youth Coordinator to help lead our Jr & Sr High School-aged young people. Now that we have a number of youth in this age category again, we are looking forward to growing that group and helping them connect more with God ... and with each other. A job posting for this position is now available; please reach out to the Human Resources Team, if you have any questions or know of a suitable candidate. (Darlene Eerkes, Don Milligan, Judy Smith)