



Sunday services are also available online at 10 am on Zoom

Dayspring Weekly News

March 03, 2024

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

Mission Moments: As part of a Caring Community Initiative, the Presbyterian Music Camp piloted a Mental Health Workshop program during the summer of 2023. The program included mental health support and workshops run by a qualified health professional on the topics of anxiety, depression, ADHD, self-harm, suicide and other mental health topics. The opportunity for attendees to express themselves in a caring and safe environment with professional leadership took safety to the next level for the camp, and provided an opportunity for individuals to explore some of their struggles with support. The program continues to grow by providing Mental Health First Aid training to staff and volunteers as well as exploring ways that art and music therapy can be offered in a camp setting.



How you can help your church
Dayspring needs an Archivist... We are looking for you, that special someone who would be gathering minutes from the Board, Session and Annual Congregational Minutes and turning them into Microfilm (microfiche) at the Provincial Archives and then sending those on to the Presbyterian Church of Canada. Please see our Clerk of Session to let her know you are that someone.

Also, the Fellowship committee is looking for you to volunteer on the committee! The sign up sheet is on the communication wall and Volunteer unit. **We have a very real need for new people on this committee!!!**



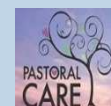
Our Envelope Secretary Iris, would like to make sure you know that your box of 2024 offertory envelopes are waiting for you in your church mailbox. She has also said that your tax statements will be available soon too. Please check your church mailboxes regularly



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



For all pastoral concerns, please contact
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Music@DayspringChurch.ca
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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)

Mar 03, Exodus 20:1-17; Psalm 19;

1 Corinthians 1:18-25; John 2:13-22

Mar 10, Numbers 21:4-9; Psalm 107:1-3, 17-22;

Ephesians 2:1-10; John 3:14-21

Mar 17, Jeremiah 31:31-34; Psalm 51:1-12 OR

Psalm 119:9-16; Hebrews 5:5-10; John 12:20-33



Private information has been removed



Continue to keep all those in your prayers who are experiencing hardships in their lives. Note: Besides deaths and births, names are not included on this prayer list unless explicit permission is given.

Stewardship Moment

Each of you should use whatever gift you have received to serve others, as faithful stewards of God's grace in its various forms. *1 Peter 4:10*

Upcoming Webinar: PCC Decisions Regarding LGBTQI2+ Inclusion

The 2021 General Assembly marked a pivotal point in the approach of The Presbyterian Church in Canada to gender, sexuality and the denomination's ministry with LGBTQI2+ people. In addition to changes to the PCC's theology and practice regarding marriage and ordination, General Assembly adopted a set of recommendations to guide the whole church to acknowledge the harm caused due to homophobia, transphobia, heterosexism and hypocrisy, to respond appropriately to that harm and to ensure that harm does not continue.

This webinar is an opportunity to review and learn more about the decisions the church has made regarding LGBTQI2+ inclusion. Staff from the General Assembly Office and the Life and Mission Agency will give a short presentation about the church's decisions, followed by time for participants to ask questions about how these decisions are applied in congregations, presbyteries, camps, colleges, national committees and other contexts within PCC. **Wed, March 13 @ 1:30 pm-2:30 pm (EDT)**. Register at: <https://presbyterian.ca/2024/02/15/upcoming-webinar-pcc-decisions-regarding-lgbtqi2-inclusion/>

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>

Our **Neighbourhood Care Network** (a partnership between Dayspring Presbyterian & Greenfield Community Church) is hosting a neighbourhood **Easter dinner** on Saturday **March 23 at 6pm**. The dinner will be held at **Greenfield** and is open to anyone that lives in, or close to, Aspen Gardens, Royal Gardens, Greenfield, Blue Quill, Sweet Grass... This is a great opportunity for us to connect with neighbours and others in our community. If you would like to join us for dinner, and maybe bring a neighbour, **RVSP** through the **website** by Sunday, **March 17** at:

<https://greenfieldchurch.ca/ncn/>

*If you would be interested in giving some of your time to make this dinner possible, we are **looking for table hosts** as well as people to help prepare and serve the meal. Sign up at the welcome center or email dinners@greenfieldchurch.ca*

St. Andrew's is having their annual Stew Supper 

Sat. March 16 at, 8715 - 118 Ave.

Doors open at **5pm** and supper at **5:30**

Tickets are **Adults: \$12.00**; children ages **6-12: \$6.00**;

children ages **5 and under: free** Call Jean at **780-469-4487** or email ejean_olsen@hotmail.com to reserve tickets and pick up at the door.

Menu: Stew (some beef, one chicken), mashed potatoes, coleslaw, biscuits, french bread, green juice, tea, coffee, pie, ice cream, green jello.

We'd love to see people from Dayspring.

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!

The Craft Group invites you to join them in their fun and merriment. They meet in the church library every Friday at 1pm.

