



**Sunday services are also available online at 10 am on Zoom**

# Dayspring Weekly News

April 28, 2024

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

**Mission Moments:** The Reformed Parish in Csap/Chop, a congregation of the Reformed Church in Transcarpathia in western Ukraine, has been providing temporary shelter and food for people displaced by the war. Their social kitchen program includes hot food delivery to elderly congregation members who live alone and are unable to cook for themselves. With limited resources, Bishop Zan-Fabian reached out to the PCC for financial support to continue this ministry of care. The PCC provided a grant from Presbyterians Sharing, fulfilling the law of Christ to bear one another's burdens.



**ANNUAL YARD SALE MAY 24 and 25**  
Volunteers are needed to help with the gigantic Annual Yard Sale for **3 days in May**, whether it's with setup or takedown or the sale itself. All hands on deck!! Please see Lynn after services and let her know when you can come assist with this important fundraising event.



Please consider getting on the list for Sunday School teachers or helpers OR, Children's Time presenters. If you've always dreamed of sitting in the front of the church and telling a little tale, now's your chance to make that dream come true. Speak to Lynn, when you are interested in helping with this children's Ministry.

**NCN Easter Dinner at Greenfield Church, from Sarah -May**  
"We greatly enjoyed gathering with members of the community for our 2nd NCN Easter meal. We had around 50 people join us for the meal, mostly all from the community. For many of the families, it was their first time joining us. We are grateful to Dayspring for their support in announcing the dinner and we look forward to the next opportunity we have to gather with people in our community."

### Humanitarian Crisis in Gaza

Presbyterian World Service & Development (PWS&D) is planning humanitarian assistance that will be provided through members of the ACT Alliance. PWS&D's humanitarian response <https://presbyterian.ca/pwsd/humanitarian-crisis-in-gaza/> will assist with shelter, food, livelihoods, emergency health, psychosocial and mental health support, as well as cash assistance to allow people to purchase the goods they require.



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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.



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.



**Donate your gently used and washed clothing**

A new initiative of Dayspring Presbyterian Church  
3145 - 40 Ave NW, Edmonton (WEST BERRY)

**OPEN on THURSDAYS  
3:00 - 5:00 pm**

Centy used Clothing for all ages  
Men's & Women's  
Reading & Bedtime  
- 400 pieces

Presented by  
Free M&D

Open to women  
Teach Bible to  
families in our CI

**COHE CHECI**

Community Volunteer Income Tax Program (CVITP)


**FREE**  
In-Person || Walk-In  
**TAX CLINIC**

Safe and confidential  
tax filing services  
done by **VOLUNTEERS**  
for **SIMPLE** tax returns.


**Saturdays: April 6, 13 & 27  
10:00 am - 3:00 pm**

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**Last Clinic is this  
Saturday April 27!**




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



**Make a pail of Soup for the Edm. Urban Native Ministry at St Andrews PC**

Either chicken noodle or meatball soup that we can freeze and take to them for May 05. (No noodles, please; they will add them when ready to prepare the soup.) Any empty pails you have would be appreciated.

ALSO for EUNM... if you have bottles you'd like to donate please drop **them off May 24 and 25** as we will be collecting them to help raise money for their Youth programs.



**Revised Common Lectionary Readings**  
(not necessarily Sunday's chosen readings)

**Apr 28, Acts 8:26-40; Psalm 22:25-31; 1 John 4:7-21; John 15:1-8**

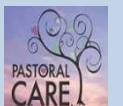
**May 05, Acts 10:44-48; Psalm 98; 1 John 5:1-6; John 15:9-17**

**May 12, Acts 1:15-17, 21-26; Psalm 1; 1 John 5:9-13; John 17:6-19**

**Stewardship Moment**

If we allow a day to pass by without practicing generosity, we are like a blacksmith's bellows: we breathe, but we do not live. *Sanskrit Proverb*

For all pastoral concerns, please contact Rev. Brad Childs on his mobile phone **780 999-3005**



**Plant, Grow, Share a Row...for the Food Bank**

How often can you enjoy a favorite hobby and help others in your community? This program is a fun way to do both! How it works:

At harvest time, simply remove the majority of the garden dirt and take your produce to the Food Bank at **11508-120 Street**.

Root veg is the best, i.e. Cabbage, carrots, broccoli, parsnips, squash, but any produce sweet peppers, beans, etc. that can easily be stored are welcome. **All** will be greatly appreciated and put to good use.



**Racial Justice WORKSHOP**

Looking for a way to start conversations on addressing racism in the church and Canadian society?

Sign up for an upcoming online Racial Justice Workshop.

Carmen Ramirez (she/her), ELCIC's Assistant to the Bishop for Equity, Diversity and Inclusion will hold two workshops on racial justice. These are intended to be taken together.

**REGISTRATION**

ELCIC members . . . . . Free  
Non-ELCIC members . . . . \$50

*Sign up early as each session will be capped at 50 participants.*

**SESSION 1 — MAY 9, 2024**  
11:30 am EST to 2:00 pm EST  
[Click here to register](#)

**SESSION 2 — MAY 9, 2024**  
3:00pm EST to 5:30pm EST  
[Click here to register](#)

<https://presbyterian.ca/2024/04/09/racial-justice-workshop/>

**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!