

Dayspring Weekly News May 26,2024

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

Mission Moments: Aziza, a mother of four from Pakistan, faced numerous challenges, including a physical disability and the tragic loss of her husband in 2019. Left to support her family as a young widow, Aziza and her eldest son worked tirelessly. Her son earned a small income as a shepherd. Despite their best efforts, the devastating floods of 2022 destroyed their home and village, forcing them to seek refuge in her brother-in-law's house. Aziza struggled to feed her children. In response to the disaster, a local partner, with support from PWS&D and Canadian Foodgrains Bank, began a cash assistance project to ensure families could meet their basic food needs. Aziza used the funds wisely, allocating them for immediate needs like wheat flour and groceries.



Fellowship/Congregational Life would like to invite all those interested in being part of this fun team to join us for a meeting after the service on Sunday. May **26**. We will discuss possible event ideas and what we would like to do in the next year.



Our Garden...

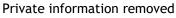
Applications for rows in our Garden are now I being received. Interested? please contact Herbert Munde at (587)710-2210 or email I hmunde@yahoo.com for details. First ten (10) applicants will be considered on a first come first served basis. There is a **\$20 fee** to participate to offset water and maintenance costs.

And speaking of Spring and Gardens and greening up...

It's spring time! We are planning our annual Yard Cleanup day and

we've set aside Saturday **June 1** with June 8 as the alternate date depending on weather from 10am-Noon. We would appreciate help for those couple of hours from as many as possible. If you have extra bedding plants OR perennials you'd like to donate, we will give them a good home on our church grounds. Thanks in advance! Please contact Lorraine at Board@dayspringchurch.ca or Linda in the office, admin@dayspringchurch.ca to let us know your intent to help. THANKS

Minister: Rev. Bradley Childs 780 999-3005 Administrative Assistant: Linda Farrah-Basford Minister@DayspringChurch.ca Office hrs:9am-12pm M-F Admin@dayspringchurch.ca Office Hrs: W & Th 9am-5pm Church School Coordinator: Lynn Vaughan (Occasionally, office hours change without mush notice.) ChurchSchool@dayspringchurch.ca Envelope Secretary: Iris R. 780-920-4415 Office Hours: postponed indefinitely envsecy@dayspringchurch.ca Youth Coordinator: To Be Filled **Dayspring Weekly News & Event Calendar:** Youth@dayspringchurch.ca Announcements need to be in to the office by Tuesdays Office Hours: postponed indefinitely at **5pm** in order for them to be in the Sunday NEWS. Music Director: Binu Kapadia Music@DayspringChurch.ca Volunteer Centre Unit: Located in the Great Room. Custodian: Jim Matthew **Postings Wall:** The west wall of the Great Room.



Continue to keep all those in your prayers who are experiencing hardships in their lives.

Let's update our Fotoboard @Dayspring. Please send your individual or informal family <u>digital picture</u> to Heather. 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.



Do you know that **Job Opportunities** are posted on the **Communication wall**? Currently there are five positions looking to be filled

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



Revised Common Lectionary Readings

(not necessarily Sunday's chosen readings) May 26, Isaiah 6:1–8; Psalm 29; Romans 8:12–17; John 3:1–17

June 2, 1 Samuel 3:1–10, (11–20) and Psalm 139:1–6, 13–18 OR Deuteronomy 5:12–15 and Psalm 81:1–10; 2 Corinthians 4:5–12; Mark 2:23–3:6 June 9, 1 Samuel 8:4–11, (12–15), 16–20, (11:14–15) and Psalm 138 OR Genesis 3:8–15 and Psalm 130; 2 Corinthians 4:13–5:1; Mark 3:20–35



Youth Church happens every 2nd and 4th Sunday, Next time is this Sunday, May 26. Our Music Director, Binu will be starting up our choir 'SINGERS' for a Thursday evening practice to sing during the Service, <u>once a month.</u> Please give her your name and contact information **now** so that we are ready to start in Septem-

ber. Send it to Music@DayspringChurch.ca or speak with Binu personally to let her know for sure of your interest.. Make a joyful noise!

Contribute to a Collection of Stories about The Presbyterian Church in Canada

In recognition of The Presbyterian Church in Canada's 150th anniversary in 2025, the Committee on History is preparing a published collection of stories about where we have been, where we are, and where we are going.

Do you have a favourite memory of singing in a choir, attending a youth group, going to a potluck supper, or attending the General Assembly, or anything else that shaped your involvement in church? What are some of the things your congregation is doing today to share the good news of Jesus in your community? And what are your hopes and dreams for the PCC as it approaches 150 years?

We want to hear from you! Please write to **lan McKechnie**, project coordinator, at **pcc150book @gmail.com**. *Submissions are being accepted through September 2024.*

Stewardship Moment

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 chorup to the church at 111445 40 Ave NW

-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 It's not what you do with the million if fortune should ere be your lot, but what are you doing at present with the dollar and quarter you've got. *Anonymous*

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!