



Sunday services are also available online at 10 am on Zoom

Dayspring Weekly News

July 21, 2024

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

Mission Moments: In Pakistan, Jimtee is challenging cultural traditions in her community so that her daughter-in-law can remarry after Jimtee's son's death. As part of the Humanitarian, Early Recovery and Development project, she is learning how to confront long-held beliefs, particularly concerning underage marriages and gender roles within the household. Through the project, Jimtee recognized the injustices widows like her daughter-in-law, Mdam, faced. Determined to challenge tradition and ensure Mdam's well-being, Jimtee advocated for Mdam's remarriage despite social norms that wouldn't allow it. She successfully arranged a match for Mdam, allowing her to start a new life. Jimtee's actions demonstrated a new understanding of gender equality and women's rights and are helping reshape the narrative surrounding widowhood in her community.



From our Worship Team

We are asking for your participation to speak in a **brief** video vignette to be shown at some of our autumn Services. This is about telling us why you are grateful/thankful. For example: (and not limited to)

-What are you grateful for right now...this week (not necessarily at Thanksgiving time in Oct)

-What are the benefits of expressing gratitude for our life and others?

-What's an aspect of your personality you're thankful for? i.e. perhaps you're naturally conscientious, confident, etc. (We have other questions we can offer you)

Or use your thoughts to express your gratitude/thanks.

This can be as a **family or as an individual**. Linda will be asking for you to pick a date that she can video you either in the church Library or in your or her home.

Email the office and/or she will see you and ask.

Thanks!



Minister: Rev. Bradley Childs **780 999-3005**
Minister@DayspringChurch.ca **Office hrs: 9am - 12pm M-F**

Church School Coordinator: Lynn Vaughan
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Music Director: Binu Kapadia
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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 Unit: Located in the Great Room.
Postings Wall: The west wall of the Great Room.



Please pray for anyone in our congregation with current medical issues. Continue to keep all those in your prayers who are experiencing hardships in their lives. We pray for young people facing difficult times and life-changing decisions.

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

We would like to show 'Praise' news here as well, send an email and you will see it in print!



Our Music Director, Binu will be starting up our choir 'SINGERS' for a Thursday evening practice to sing during the Service, once a month. Please give her your name and contact information **now** so that we are ready to start in September. Send it to Music@DayspringChurch.ca or speak with Binu personally to let her **know for sure** of your interest.. Make a joyful noise!



BINGO in July and August. Bring your coins to purchase your favorite munchies at the concession to enjoy while you play.



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



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

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



**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!

Revised Common Lectionary Readings

(not necessarily Sunday's chosen readings)
July 21, 2 Samuel 7:1-14a and Psalm 89:20-37 **OR**
Jeremiah 23:1-6 and Psalm 23; Ephesians 2:11-22;
Mark 6:30-34, 53-56
July 28, 2 Samuel 11:1-15 and Psalm 14 **OR** 2 Kings
4:42-44 and Psalm 145:10-18; Ephesians 3:14-21;
John 6:1-21
Aug 04, 2 Samuel 11:26-12:13a and Psalm 51:1-12 **OR**
Exodus 16:2-4, 9-15 and Psalm 78:23-29;
Ephesians 4:1-16; John 6:24-35

Stewardship Moment

We should travel light and live simply. Our enemy is not possessions, but excess.
John Stott (b. 1921) Priest in the Church of England

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>

