



Sunday services are also available online at 10 am on Zoom

Dayspring Weekly News

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

Mission Moments: In an Indigenous community in Guatemala, Mercedes Coronado (36), a teacher and mother of eight, shares her transformative journey as the vice president of the agroecological group Los Arbolitos. The community women once faced challenges, including violence and a lack of decision-making power within their households. With the support of PWS&D's local partner, the Maya-Mam Indigenous Association for Development, Mercedes and the women are experiencing positive change through education and training programs, enabling them to advocate for themselves and future generations. Mercedes is grateful for her husband's strong support in her career pursuits, emphasizing the importance of gender equality in fostering



harmonious relationships and eliminating discrimination.

Our 2024 community carnival is fast approaching. **Please volunteer** to help make this event a success. Sign up online at <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/409054BA9A623ABFD0-50615946-2024#/> or use the sign up sheet on the volunteer centre unit.



SIMPSONS

This is an **'In Person'** Bible Study from 6-8pm on these dates: **Mondays** (note the Aug 30 date deletion) **Sept 9 & 23** and **Tuesday Oct 15**

Come and find out what the Simpsons felt about Jesus and spirituality.



Our DUDS clothing bank project just celebrated it's one year anniversary, so we are going to take a couple weeks to **close up shop** and re-organize things a little bit. Donations of gently used CLOTHING are always welcome, especially with the cooler weather on the horizon. We will **open again** on **September 5th** and, just a reminder, this service is available to the members of our congregation, as well as our community and Food Bank clients. Please feel free to come take a look for yourself on a Thursday afternoon, once we are back on track. And **THANK YOU** to all of you who have supported this invaluable mission project, so far!

Lynn V.

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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.



Private information 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.

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



The Edmonton CORN MAZE AND WIENER ROAST is booked for us for FRIDAY Sept 13th from 6:30-8:30 pm.

Edmonton's original corn maze (edmontoncornmaze.ca)

There will be hotdogs, snacks and some drinks provided. If you have roasting wiener sticks please bring them. We need to know how many are coming - Please RSVP pdeerkes@shaw.ca and let us know if you need a ride or are able to give transportation to other youth. We would meet at the church at 6:15.



We happily announce that our Youth Coordinator position has been filled by Nahyeni Bassah. She will be filling the part time position 8 hours a week and will let us know what days and times she plans to be at the church. Congratulations Nahyeni!!! - Communion Bible Study series (with activities) starts Sunday September 8 for 7 weeks!



Our Music Director, Binu is starting up our choir 'SINGERS' rehearsals in Sept. So for those interested in participating in a fun time, we'll have our first rehearsal on Thursday September 12 at 7:-8:30pm, and then subsequent Rehearsals on the 2nd Thursday of each month.

NEEDED: baby supplies for the Kassas family

Robba will have her baby in the next few weeks, a little boy. They are in need of an infant car seat, bassinet, (most important) crib stroller. If anyone has access to any of these costly items, please talk to (Darlene). They could also use other baby items; they have nothing for a baby.



Our next Congregational Life meeting will be Sept 15 after the Service for those interested in helping out and giving ideas. Please join us. Gina K

Revised Common Lectionary Readings

(not necessarily Sunday's chosen readings) Sept 01, Song of Solomon 2:8-13 and Psalm 45:1-2, 6-9 OR Deuteronomy 4:1-2, 6-9 and Psalm 15; James 1:17-27; Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23 Sept 08, Proverbs 22:1-2, 8-9, 22-23 and Psalm 125 OR Isaiah 35:4-7a and Psalm 146; James 2:1-10, (11-13), 14-17; Mark 7:24-37 Sept 15, Proverbs 1:20-33 and Psalm 19 OR Isaiah 50:4-9a and Psalm 116:1-9; James 3:1-12; Mark 8:27-38

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And give you skills to last a life time?



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One weekend... life-long effects!



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