



Sunday  
services are  
also available  
online  
at 10 am  
on Zoom

## Dayspring Weekly News

Aug 23, 2026

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



### MISSION MOMENT



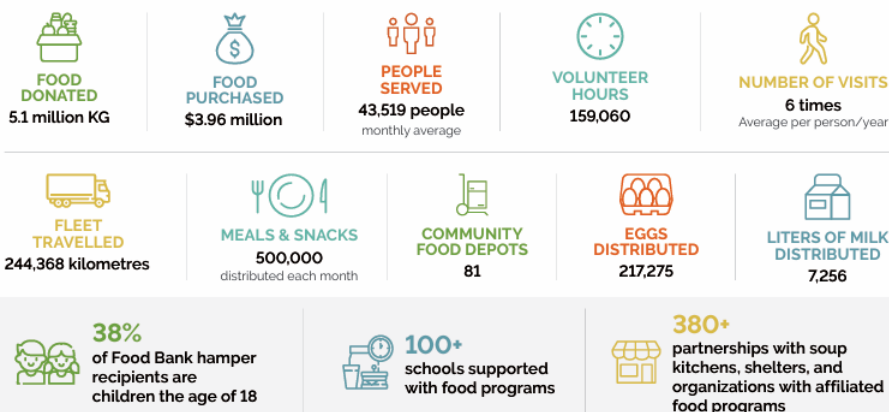
On World Humanitarian Day, we give thanks for PWS&D's partners, who work tirelessly to ensure that essential food aid gets delivered, devastated communities are rebuilt and access to life-saving resources is within reach. Humanitarian workers play a crucial role in ensuring the welfare of

vulnerable and marginalized people. Through collaborative efforts, we work together to build a sustainable, compassionate and just world. With daily reports of so many struggling around the world, let us take a moment today to honour these selfless advocates and offer unwavering support for their vital efforts.

The Carnival is turning **10!** Join us on **Saturday, September 12** from **10 am to 2 pm** as we celebrate a decade of fun and community.

**We do need volunteers to support this great community initiative.** Please consider adding your name to the sign-up sheet on the volunteer centre.

### EDMONTON FOOD BANK INFORMATION in their 2025 REPORT



**A DECADE OF MEMORIES AND COMMUNITY FUN!**

JOIN US FOR THE 10<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF THE DAYSPRING CARNIVAL

BOUNCY CASTLES - CARNIVAL GAMES - FACE PAINTING - BBQ HOT DOGS - CAKE AND MUCH MORE!

**FREE EVENT**

**Saturday, September 12, 2026**  
**10:00am - 2:00pm**  
**Rain or Shine!**

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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.



**Praise:** Rev. Dr. Mark Chaing has accepted the Call for First Presbyterian Church and will be inducted there on Sept 20 at 4:pm.

Offer prayers for all those who are experiencing difficulties and for everyone in our families, in our congregation, in our community, and in our world who are experiencing hardships in their lives, some of which we are aware and many that we are not. Pray that God's peace will find its way into their lives.

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

## 'Dayspring Singers' (choir) OPEN INVITATION

Rehearsals resume in Sept and will be on Thursday, **Sept 03 & Sept 17** from 7:00-8:15 pm with the Sunday singing date still TBD. Moving forward, come join us on the **first and third Thursdays** of each month for rehearsals.

**Everyone welcome!!**

## Revised Common Lectionary Readings

*(not necessarily Sunday's chosen readings)*

**Aug 23,** Exodus 1:8-2:10 and Psalm 124  
OR Isaiah 51:1-6 and Psalm 138;  
Romans 12:1-8; Matthew 16:13-20

**Aug 30,** Exodus 3:1-15 and Psalm 105:1-6,  
23-26, 45b OR Jeremiah 15:15-21 and  
Psalm 26:1-8; Romans 12:9-21;  
Matthew 16:21-28

**Sept 06,** Exodus 12:1-14 and Psalm 149 OR  
Ezekiel 33:7-11 and Psalm 119:33-40;  
Romans 13:8-14; Matthew 18:15-20

Strengthen & Deepen your love at this **Marriage Enrichment Weekend**. The Marriage Encounter program is WORLDWIDE and it's available locally, just down the street from Dayspring - at the Providence Renewal Center. It has literally impacted over 3.7 million couples in over 100 countries across the globe. If

you are looking for real conversations and renewed connection, check out the website: **www.eame.ca** The testimonials from so many couple are impressive... all ages and stages of marriage!

**For more info or if you have any questions — see the Tansem's, Sawdon's or Sheridan's.**

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Real conversations  
Renewed connection

Marriage enrichment that's WORLDWIDE!  
And it's coming to a city near you...

Nov 6-8, 2026  
Edmonton, AB

Presentations & place are built for success.  
By the end of the weekend we felt closer than we'd even imagined possible.

For info or to register  
[eame.ca](http://eame.ca)

Early bird savings before Sept 27  
Limited Seating

## Stewardship Moments: Inspiring Generosity



**Do not neglect to do good and to share what you have, for such sacrifices are pleasing to God.**

Hebrews 13:16

## PLANT, GROW, SHARE A ROW

The Plant, Grow, Share a Row program is a fun way to enjoy a favorite hobby and help others in your community at the same time. This program invites local gardeners to grow an extra row of vegetables for donation to Edmonton's Food Bank.

### HOW IT WORKS:

- Plant your seeds and nurture your garden.
- At harvest, simply remove the majority of the garden dirt and take your produce to the Food Bank warehouse at 11508 120 Street.
- Pat yourself on the back for a making a wonderful contribution to your community!

### WHAT CROPS ARE BEST TO DONATE?

Root vegetables are best; however, any produce that can be easily handled and stored, including broccoli, cabbage, carrots, peas, beans, tomatoes, radishes, parsnips, sweet peppers, and summer squash (including zucchini) are welcome.

[edmontonsfoodbank.com/ways-give/give-food/plant-row-grow-row](http://edmontonsfoodbank.com/ways-give/give-food/plant-row-grow-row)