



Kitchissippi
UNITED CHURCH

MARCH 2024
PALM/PASSION SUNDAY



SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP at 10 AM LIVE STREAM

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HERE IS THE LINK TO VIEW THE KUC YOUTUBE CHANNEL ON SUNDAYS

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCwATU1rozB1PIlaRmr2teVA>



Good chilly day to you,

I hope this finds you well and enjoying this Friday before Holy Week!

This Sunday we will hear both about cedar and palm branches and the story of the passion of Jesus. I'm thankful many readers were willing to help bring this story to life for us.

Just a reminder that **Maundy Thursday**, we will share a meal and worship with friends from Britannia, Trinity and Emmanuel Methodist churches.

Dinner at 6, service at 7pm.

Good Friday service will be at 10am in the sanctuary and afterwards, folks are invited to brunch at Local Heroes. Please see Marion Reid if you have any questions or need directions.

Easter Sunday we will celebrate the resurrection and transformation of Jesus and how his transformation continues to affect our lives to this day, indeed how it transforms our lives!

Lenten blessings,
Jenni

LAST LENTEN STUDY

For our Lenten Study this year, we are using a resource from A Sanctified Art called "Wandering Hearts". We will gather to discuss IN PERSON at Britannia (985 Pinecrest Road) on Wednesday mornings from 10am - 12 pm on the following dates:

- **Wednesday March 27th**



UPCOMING WORSHIP SERVICES

MARCH 2024



Sunday, March 24 – PALM SUNDAY 10AM (Palm Parade with youth)

Thursday, March 28 – Maundy Thursday Dinner 6pm and Service 7pm

Friday, March 29 – Good Friday Service at 10 AM

Sunday, March 31 – Easter Sunday – Communion – Family service at 10AM

On Palm/Passion Sunday, March 24, prior to the worship service, Raven Brightmoon and a friend will be offering cedar smudging to the Kitchissippi congregation.

As we enter into Easter week we go through the triumph, death and resurrection of Jesus. Cedar smudging is for cleansing and revitalization. If you would like to participate in this ceremony, please arrive a little early. The smudging will be done outside at the sanctuary entrance from 9:15 to 9:45 am. We have will be using Cedar, spruce and pine boughs this year, instead of palms, for our annual parade.



Flowers for Pastoral Care this Sunday



Sunday, March 24 after church - There are flowers that were purchased by the Pastoral Care Circle for all our friends in Pastoral Care. The Pastoral Care Circle asks that you please look at the names on the list and if you see someone that is familiar with or lives in your neighbourhood or you would just like to help by delivering a flower.

Maundy Thursday Soup Supper at Kitchissippi UC- March 28, 2024

Mealtime 6:00 pm followed by Worship Service 7:00 pm

Along with guests from Trinity, Britannia and Emmanuel Methodist, we will commemorate Jesus' last supper on Maundy Thursday. We hope you can join us!

****Donations for soup from 5 People are needed- please contact Denise Bonomo if you can help.**



OUTREACH

We've been in touch with the Parkdale Food Centre regarding their key needs. Space for donated goods is at a premium right now, so please hold off on grocery donations.

Toiletries, period products for women, grocery cards and of course, financial donations, are welcomed via their website: <https://parkdalefoodcentre.ca/>.

The first Sunday of each month is Food Bank Sunday – so please consider bringing toothpaste, soaps, shampoos, period products, etc. for a PFC box or basket that will be in the narthex.

Thanks!

SPRING RUMMAGE SALE – APRIL 2024

Friday April 19th from 7-9 p.m. and Saturday April 20th from 9a.m. to noon.

Start gathering up your donations but PLEASE no clothes, shoes or magazines. Volunteer are needed – the Sign-up sheets will be posted in the Main Hall closer to the dates. If you are planning on dropping off Rummage – PLEASE call the church 613-722-7254 or email Kirsten in the office kgracequist@kitchissippiuc.com beforehand to set up a time.



MUFFINS FOR THE CHAPLAINCY



Every 3rd Sunday is going to be our muffin collection day for the Chaplaincy. We are **asking congregants to bring muffins once a month on the 3rd Sunday**. The children will also be the muffins go to the Carlington Chaplaincy. Norah and Densie will serve coffee and muffins on Monday mornings at the Chaplaincy. People really appreciate having something to eat, especially the last week of the month when their money is running low.

- Sunday April 21, 2024
- Sunday May 16, 2024

WE ARE HERE FOR YOU - PLEASE REACH OUT

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Good Friday and Easter
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