



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/UCwATU1rozB1PllaRmr2teVA>



Good morning! I hope this finds you well and recovering from that heat wave this week!

Despite the heat, many women of Kitchissippi enjoyed a potluck dinner on Wednesday evening. Many fans were whirring and the food and company were wonderful. The UCW said a heartfelt thank you to Kirsten, who is retiring this month. Last Sunday, the congregation had a chance to say thank you and wish Kirsten well after the service at coffee time. If you haven't had a chance, give her a quick call or drop her an email.

Also last Sunday, a few of us watched the documentary 1946: the mistranslation that shifted culture. I hope that in the fall, we can offer another screening of the movie.

This Sunday, we celebrate Union Sunday - the 99th Anniversary of the United Church. It is a wonderful milestone and so stay tuned for events throughout the 100th year! One such event is a Centennial service Sunday at 4 pm. You can tune in here:

https://www.youtube.com/live/LoZwd8Y5S18?si=4RwWUI_e476B1KxX

With the lilacs dying out, the peonies have taken center stage in my garden and they are beautiful! I'll attach some pictures. We have some new residents at my house - check out those pics here too.

May you have a wonderful weekend!

Jenni



UPCOMING WORSHIP SERVICES

Sunday, June 9 – 3rd after Pentecost Sunday at 10 am
Sunday, June 16 – 4th after Pentecost Indigenous Sunday at 10 am
Sunday, June 23 – 5th after Pentecost - Picnic Sunday at KUC at 10 am
Sunday, June 30 – 6th after Pentecost Sunday at 10 am



JULY- SUMMER BREAK

Kitchissippi will be closed on Sundays to give staff and live streaming technicians a well-deserved break! - - See you back in August – More information to come.

THANK YOU FROM KIRSTEN - RETIREMENT 2024



A big thank you to Kitchissippi M&P, staff (Jenni, Diana and Gavan) and the congregation for your wonderful support for the last 16 years. It has been a pleasure being part of the Kitchissippi Ministry.

Thanks A special you to Peggy Clarke and Denise Bonomo and all of the other volunteers, for organizing a lovely send off with balloons, cake, and gifts! Your generosity is greatly appreciated!

HAVE A GREAT SUMMER! Kirsten XO



PASTORAL CARE TRAINING

As the summer begins and we look forward to nice weather and a break from regular routines, we are pleased to confirm registration is open for fall 2024 OPCTP courses. Check out the brochure links below for program details including registration and payment information. Early bird registration for the basic course is available until September 4th. Register early to confirm your space!

This fall we again offer the **Basic Training Course** both in-person (afternoons) and online by Zoom (evenings). Both courses begin Monday, September 16, 2024 and run weekly until November 25, 2024 (excluding Thanksgiving Monday). Our Fall 2024 Basic Training Course brochure is available at <https://ottawapastoralcare.com/wp-content/uploads/2024/05/Fall-2024-Basic-Course-Brochure.pdf>

We are also excited to present a **Continuing Education** event on Tuesday November 5th from 7- 9pm by Zoom. This session, called A Pastoral Response to the Challenges of MAiD, will explore an approach focusing on compassion, empathy and journeying with patients as they search for meaning in their suffering. The presentation will not condone or condemn MAiD as a treatment option. Instead, it will focus on how pastoral care volunteers can journey with patients, listen to their struggle and assist them with their own meaning-making around life and death issues. The session will be led by Roshene Lawson, Clinical Chaplain with Bruyère Continuing Care at St. Vincent Hospital in Ottawa. The program brochure is available at <https://ottawapastoralcare.com/wp-content/uploads/2024/05/Fall-2024-Con-Ed-Brochure.pdf> We invite you to share this information in your bulletins and newsletters. Spaces are limited so take a few moments and register early. For more information about these and other programs, visit our website's home page at www.ottawapastoralcare.com

We take this opportunity to wish you a safe and relaxing summer and we look forward to having you join us this fall.

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LUNCH AND LEARN

Springtime Lunch & Learn - Thursdays from 12 - 1 pm -

In 2006 the United Church of Canada adopted the Song of Faith as a “timely and contextual statement of faith.” If you are interested in exploring what the United Church believes, this learning group is for you. This group is brought to you by Glebe-St. James, Kitchissippi, Rideau Park, and Southminster United Churches. Bring your lunch, we’ll put on the kettle on Thursdays from 12 - 1 pm at the location indicated. All are welcome:

- June 13 Finding Ourselves in a World of Beauty and Mystery (Southminster)
- June 20 Each Part of Creation (Glebe-St. James)

KUC GOLF SOCIAL IS BACK!



Annual Golf Tournament Friday, June 21, 2024 - Amberwood Golf & Country Club (54 Springbrook Rd, Stittsville)

Tee off at 9 am (best ball /scramble format) Includes 9 holes of golf.
(Cost \$31.00 for golf and pull cart \$8.00 to be paid at Amberwood Golf Club).
Max 16 players. Lunch and prizes to follow in the clubhouse (please note that lunch is not included). Please sign-up sheet will be in the hall or contact please contact Richard Christie at 613-728-5228.

KUC JOB POSTING – PLEASE SHARE

**PART-TIME OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR
KITCHISSIPPI UNITED CHURCH
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We are seeking a person to begin in late August with knowledge of, and experience with, financial bookkeeping systems; a preference will be given to knowledge of QuickBooks or other church-related financial systems or a willingness to learn. The individual should also have experience with Microsoft Office including Excel and PowerPoint.

The Office Administrator is the first point of contact for all church personnel, community members and visitors. Essential qualities include excellent command of the English language, strong interpersonal and organizational skills, and the ability to work independently.

As Office Administrator, you will have the opportunity to work independently and collaboratively on varied tasks with a variety of people. This 20-hour-a-week position offers pension and benefits as well as free parking. The hours are flexible and can be negotiated to meet individual needs.

In this key role, you will work with the Treasurer and Chair of the Finance Committee on all bookkeeping and accounting matters. You will be responsible for general administration such as managing incoming calls and e-mails, disseminating weekly communications to the congregation, and maintaining church records and contracts. In addition, you will liaise with all potential renters and manage the rental program. You will have support from a significant volunteer network.

Compensation will be commensurate with qualifications and experience – to be determined. A Vulnerable Sector police records check will be required. Applications or expression of interest will be accepted until the close of business on May 31, 2024 and should be sent to admin@kitchissippiuc.com; please specify 'Resume' in the subject line.

WE ARE HERE FOR YOU – PLEASE REACH OUT

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