

TRINITY UNITED CHURCH
Sunday, 20 May, 2018 - 10:30 a.m.

Trinity United Church extends a warm welcome to All

A Note for our Congregation -

- The service is recorded on YourTV (COGECO channel 10), Thursday and Sunday at 10:00 a.m.
- Newcomers please sign our guest book.
- Pew cards with special requests that may be placed with your offering.
- Assistive Listening Devices are available at the audio-visual desk. An Usher will be happy to assist.
- Ours is a scent-free building.
- We have a child-friendly nursery space overlooking the sanctuary equipped with audio; ask an usher.
- Accessible washroom adjacent to worship space.
- Colour-coded emergency plan for safe evacuation.

Fellowship on the Move - Trinity Walker's Club
Tuesdays, 9:30 a.m. - Start at Trinity. End at a Café

Join us for hospitality in the Fellowship Hall
We respect gluten sensitivities and Vegetarians
Please alert us to any accommodation or accessibility requirements



Day of Pentecost - B 20 May 2018
Each One Heard

Key Scripture - Acts 2:4,6

All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability.

And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each.

Theme -

The wonder of Pentecost is the Spirit's miracle of enabling us to hear.

Order of Worship

*Stand as you are able

Bold print = Congregation

We Gather

Welcome and Announcements

Acknowledging Traditional Territory

Introit MV6 “Holy Spirit, Come into Our Lives” (chorus, verse, chorus)

Lighting the Christ Candle

Call to Worship

Come, Holy, Spirit, come.

Come and move in and through us.

Whispers of hope;

shouts of joy:

You are around us in every place.

The breath of a baby,

the remembrances of the elderly:

You speak to us through every person.

Soft breezes on a summer’s day;

bitter winds through frozen trees:

You are with us in every season.

The gentle lullaby;

the bird song bringing us awake:

You sing glad songs to us.

The sudden rush of newness
the gale of justice breaking down
the walls of oppression:

You sweep us up to transform all lives, all places.

In every breath, in every song,
in every moment, in every tongue:

Come. Transform us!

Prayer of Gathering

***Hymn** VU625 “I Feel the Winds of God”

Learning with Children

We Listen to What the Spirit is Saying to Us

Scriptures

Acts 2: 1-21

Psalm 104: 24-34 (VU826, part two)

Anthem “Come, O Holy Spirit” (MV23)

Reflection

Confirmation -

Prayer for the Confirmands

Statement of Purpose

Presentation of Candidates

Profession of Faith and Promises

Congregational Commitment

The people may stand

Dear friends in Christ, let us pledge our support and care.

**As your brothers and sisters in Christ,
we rejoice in the gifts you bring to us.
We pledge to you our love and our support.
With God's help, we will together live out
the mission and ministry of Christ's church.**

Corporate Profession of Faith

**We are not alone,
we live in God's world.
We believe in God:
who has created and is creating,
who has come in Jesus,
the Word made flesh,
to reconcile and make new,
who works in us and others by the Spirit.**

We trust in God.

**We are called to be the Church:
to celebrate God's presence,
to live with respect in Creation,
to love and serve others,
to seek justice and resist evil,
to proclaim Jesus, crucified and risen,
our judge and our hope.**

**In life, in death, in life beyond death, God is with us.
We are not alone.**

Thanks be to God.

Welcome

Blessing and Sending Forth

Communion

The Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

May the God of wind and flame be with you.

And also with you.

Throw open the shutters of your hearts, so God may enter.

We offer our hearts so God's joy might dance over our lives.

Take deep breaths and sing your praises to our God.

**We join all people and languages in praising the One who feeds us
this day.**

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With those who dance with joy on this day,
with those who long for the fresh breath of grace,
we sing out songs of praise to you:

Holy, holy, holy are you, God of wind and flame.

All creation dances in the Spirit's arms this day.

Hosanna in the highest!

Blessed is the One who is anointed by the Spirit.

Hosanna in the highest!

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As we gather to celebrate this day,
as we remember the gifts Jesus shared,
we sing of that faith which is a mystery:

Christ died, his last breath stolen from him;

Christ was raised, the Spirit's breath bringing new life;

Christ will come, breathing new grace and hope in our lives.

Communion Hymn

T'was on that night when doomed to know.
The eager rage of every foe
That night in which he was betrayed.
The Saviour of the world took bread.

And after thanks and glory given.
To him that rules in earth and heaven
That symbol of his flesh he broke,
And thus to all his followers spoke:

“My broken body thus I give.
For you, for all; take, eat, and live
“And oft the sacred rite renew.
That brings my wondrous love to view.”

Then in his hands the cup he raised,
And God anew he thanked and praised,
While kindness in his bosom glowed,
And from his lips salvation flowed.

“My blood I thus pour forth” he cries,
“To cleanse the soul in sin that lies;
In this the covenant is sealed,
And Heaven's eternal grace revealed.

“With love to man this cup is fraught'
Let all partake the sacred draught;
Through latest ages let it pour,
In memory of my dying hour”

Rev. John Morison, 1750-98

Prayer After Communion

***Hymn** VU381 “Spirit of Life”

We Respond to God’s Word Offering Ourselves For The Work And Witness Of The Church

Minute for Mission

Invitation to Offering

Ushers will now receive our morning offering.

Offertory: “The Windmills Of Your Mind” (Hermanns)

***Offering Hymn** MV79 “Spirit, Open My Heart”

***Offering Prayer**

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

We Depart to Serve with Joy

***Hymn** MV156 “Dance with the Spirit”

***Commissioning / Benediction**

***Choral Amen**

Organ Postlude “Trumpet Tune” (Young)

UPCOMING WORSHIP

May 27 It's Our Issue

Key Scripture: Acts 8:26-29

The Outreach and Social Justice Team will host an Affirm 'Lunch and Learn' during the fellowship time following this service.

June 3 Earth Sabbath

Key Scripture: Deuteronomy 5:12-15

LOOKING AHEAD

May 21 Weight Watchers, 6:15 pm in the Gym.

Stewardship Team, 6:30 pm in the Church Hall.

May 22 Trinity on Tuesday *Jesus Jam*. Bring an instrument, play as you feel led. Learn if you want, teach as you are able. Listen and enjoy. Program at 6:00 pm, supper to follow (gluten-free and vegetarian available).

May 23 Bible Study, 9:30 am in the Minister's Study. All are welcome.

C.R.O.W. Playgroup, 8:00 am - noon. in the Gym.

May 24 Board of Trustees, 8:30 am in the Upper Room.

Church Council, 6:00 pm in the church Hall.

May 26 New Horizons hosts 'Paint Night' Fundraiser 1-3 pm. - help send local kids to camp. Tickets: \$40., contact Chris. All welcome, canvas and supplies included, refreshments available.

TRINITY NOTES

Outreach, Trinity can support the Mission, whose aim is to provide nourishment to the hungry. They need our help to make a meal like soup, sandwiches and dessert the *third* Saturday of the month for 20-30 people. If you are interested in making food, or serving, please sign up on the sheet in the lobby or see Lorraine after the service.

Prayer Concerns, please include in your prayers: Bethel Pentecostal Church; Elgin-Portland Pastoral Charge; Those who support overseas partners.

Smiths Falls Community Food Bank appreciates your donations. Please fill our wagon at the back of the Sanctuary, it will be delivered to the bank monthly.

Stewardship Team is selling geraniums again this year. They are the same price as last year, with 3 colours available (red, pink and white). They can be picked up on Saturday May 26th and Sunday May 27th before and after Church. Call Barbara or Mike if you have any questions.

Support the Victoria St. Fire Victims, Trinity Church Hall, Monday May 28, 11:30 am till food is gone. Soup & Sandwich Lunch. Free will offering in support of the fire victims.

FOUR RIVERS PRESBYTERY

Addison United Church hosts their 2nd Annual Bus Trip to Old Hay Bay Church's Annual Pilgrimage Services, August 26, \$10/person and an item to share for the tailgate pot luck. Refreshments and coolers provided. See bulletin board for info.

COMMUNITY NOTES

St. Johns Anglican Church, free Community Dinner, today, doors open 3:45.

Upcoming Concerts, The Women of the Tay, St. James Anglican Church, Perth, Wednesday June 6 at 7:30. The Men of the Tay, St. James on Monday June 4 at 7:30. Both concerts are an hour in length, freewill offering.