

Fifteenth Sunday of Pentecost - A 10 September, 2023

RECONCILIATION THE PRACTICE OF LISTENING

"If the member listens" Matthew 18:15

Welcome and announcements

Trinity is Welcoming, Open, Inclusive and Accessible.

Trinity is an Affirming Congregation

We continue to pray for those who were impacted by the legacy of Residential Schools.

Our building is open 9:00 am to 1:00 pm, Monday through Thursday

In person Sunday School is the 2nd and last Sunday of each month

September/October – Services will be held in the Church Hall until the repairs are completed in the Sanctuary.

Book Study will resume on Monday, September 11th at 1:00 p.m.

Bible Study will resume on Wednesday, September 13th at 9:30 a.m.

<u>Pot luck and Praise</u> – Tuesday, September 19th at 6 p.m. Includes the Fourth Vision and Discernment session with Peter Bartlett. Please plan to join us!

<u>UCW</u> – Next meeting is Monday, September 11th gathering at 9:30 a.m. in the Church Hall. Meeting begins as 10 a.m.

<u>Taxi Vouchers</u> are available for Seniors who may need a ride to Sunday Services and Church functions. Please contact Sharon O'Neill if you need assistance at 613-283-6923.

<u>Christian Community Team Meeting</u> – Wednesday, September 13, 2023 at 1:00 p.m. in the Upper Room.

Alzheimer Info Session: Wednesday, September 13, 2023 from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. at St. John's Anglican Church in Smiths Falls. Please call the church office to register at 613-283-1261. Registration deadline is Monday, September 11th. Special Guest speaker is from Alzheimer Society of Lanark Leeds Grenville.

Healing Pathway will resume on September 20th and will regularly be held on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of each month. Recipient appointments are 1:30 to 3:30 pm. Please contact the Church Secretary for a specific appointment and/or additional information. https://healingpathway.ca

<u>Healing Pathway Training</u> – For those who may be interested, there will be Phase 1 and Phase 2 training offered this Fall. Brochures and registration information can be found on the table in the main lobby or at https://healingpathway.ca/upcoming-workshops/

Future Events

Peter Woods & Friends Concert – (Postponed to Spring 2024)

Harvest Supper, October (date to be determined) UCW Wreath Sale (Pre-Order), October Holly Fair, Saturday, November 4

The Barrel Boys Bluegrass Band Christmas Concert, December 2

Acknowledging Traditional Territory

Smiths Falls is located on the traditional territory of the Algonquin peoples dating back countless generations. We are grateful for our neighbours and recognize the opportunity to exercise the Ministry of reconciliation.

Introit: MV 14 "Where Two or Three are Gathered" (x2)

Call to Worship

Opening Prayer

Hymn: VU 396 "Jesus, Stand Among Us"

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Scripture: Psalm 119:33-40

Romans 13:8-14

Matthew 18:15-20

Psalm 119:33-40 – Part Three (VU838-839) – Refrain 1

Romans 13:8-14

Matthew 18:15-20

Meditation: VU 472 "O Jesus, Joy of Loving

Hearts" (vs. 1,2,4)

Reflection: Reconciliation, The Practice of Listening

Hymn: VU 359 "He Came Singing Love"

Offertory:

Invitation to the Offering:

Offering Prayer

Offering Options

- o On the table by the entrance to Church Hall
- o E-transfers to secretary@trinityunitedsf.ca
- o Delivery to church office
- Through Trinity website DONATE button
- o PAR

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

EOORC Prayer Cycle Knox Pastoral Charge, Nepean

Ecumenical Prayer Cycle Ghana, Nigeria

We Depart to Serve in Peace and with Love

Time for the Young

Hymn: VU 232 "Joyful, Joyful We Adore You"

Benediction

Choral Amen

Postlude: VU 395 "Come In, Come In And Sit Down" (vs 1, 2)