



WALL STREET
UNITED CHURCH



Church Office:

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*God loves ALL.
So do we.*

The church is not empty.



The church has been deployed.

Wall Street Wire
Week of Sept.13th, 2020



We encourage you to pray for our community, church, and friends.

We pray for healing and peace for those facing health challenges of any kind; including these members and friends we have been asked to

pray for: **Julie Hargreaves, Ron Gardiner, Barb K., Edith Molyneaux & Luella Munro**

We continue to pray for our local communities, our province, our country and our whole world as we continue the fight against this Corona Virus.

Guide us Lord in finding the safest ways to reopen our church for in person worship.

And help our technical team as we all learn how to Live Stream our services for those who choose to worship from home.

Give us patience as we move slowly and carefully so everyone who gathers here is protected.

We continue to pray for our youth and children as schools re-open. Keep the children, teachers, bus drivers and all support staff safe we pray.



Next Sunday Supper is this Sunday (Sept. 13th, 2020) from 3 to 5 p.m.

Take Out Only!

Social distancing and CoVid19 restrictions in place.

This Sunday morning join us online with our new Live Stream technology.

Go directly to our website and click on the link on the Welcome page for easy access.

www.wallstreetchurch.com

Recorded versions of the service will be posted at a later time if you miss it live.

We have also posted the message from our outdoor Celebrate Life on the Green service from Aug. 23, 2020

Celebrate Life Service

Now meeting every Sunday in our Gymnasium at our usual time of 5:50 p.m. **(Doors open at 5:30)**

We will follow all Health Unit policies including mandatory face coverings and social distancing. We are also doing a Facebook live feed for those not able to attend in person. Watch the "Celebrate Life Service" Facebook group for more details on these services.

Speaker this week is Jason Holmes.

Theme: Let's Celebrate Life!"

A reminder that **masks or face coverings must be worn** when entering our church. We appreciate your attention to this protocol. This and all other CoVid19 safety measures will be monitored as we work toward re-opening. More info at: [Leeds, Grenville and Lanark District Health Unit.](#)

Thank you to everyone who sent cards and offered prayers of support as I dealt with the recent passing of my husband David. I appreciate and love my church family who made this difficult time much easier. **Margo Honeywell**

This Sunday, September 13th our congregation is invited to participate in Pastor Kim's doctorate studies by filling out a brief survey providing constructive feedback about her sermon. Please follow [this survey response link.](#)

Fill in the survey directly online and click to submit before Sept. 16th.

Please do not return paper copies.

Those without internet will be involved in future program elements over the next 3 years of this doctorate program.

For those who like to think ahead these are the questions to be answered:

1. Something I (re)learned form the sermon...
2. Something(s) that helped my understanding...
3. Something(s) that would have helped by understanding...
4. Something(s) I intend to act on as a result of what I experienced in the sermon...
5. One more thing I'd like to say...

Wall Street United Church Worship and beyond:

Face-to-Face Worship

On September 13th we will begin 'face-to-face' and together worship in our Church Sanctuary at 10:00 a.m. (No pre-registration required!) Doors open at 9:30 a.m. to allow us time to register your attendance. Masks or face coverings must be worn inside the church unless you have a medical exception and social distancing is mandatory.

Our **Live Stream service** will also be broadcast so you have the option to worship from home if you are not well or feel uncomfortable in this setting. The link to our Live Stream will be posted on our website: www.wallstreetchurch.com or any of our Facebook group pages. Recorded services will also be posted on the website at a later time.

Our "**Celebrate Life Service**" is up and running each Sunday in the Gymnasium starting at 5:50 p.m. (Doors open at 5:30 p.m.) Same attendance, masking and distancing protocols as morning service.

We are also presenting the service on **Facebook Live** as well so please watch us from the Celebrate Life Service Facebook group if you wish.

Three Phases of re-opening:

Phase I: Sunday morning and Celebrate Life worship services will be the only activity offered face-to-face. Our office manager, Cathie Kelso will be on site Wednesdays only until job demands dictate otherwise. Trevor Hutton, our custodian, has now resumed work. Please call Cathie at 613-342-5401 x 21 if you have a need to visit the church during the week as the doors will continue to be locked.

Phase II: Church meetings such as Bible Study, Meditation, Knitting Class etc. will be added with the approval of the activity leader. In addition, some recovery groups may be facilitated. Most of these would occur in the gym with seating limited to 50. All recovery groups would have to agree to abide by the restrictions required by the LG&L District Health Unit. Doors to the church will be unlocked for limited periods of time during restricted office hours.

Phase III: Additional AA groups would be welcomed. Some 50+ Activity Centre classes would start. Some smaller venue rentals could occur. The office will be open 5 days a week and the doors to the church will be open during office hours.

We have not established a timeframe for the duration of any phase. Only when there is a comfort level with the current phase would we move on to the next one. Sunday meals will remain as pickup only including on the Thanksgiving weekend.

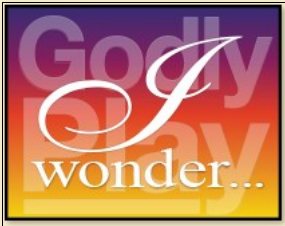
Please address any concerns to Paul Bullock at 613-345-5553 or pbullock@myhighspeed.ca. We do ask for your patience in these exceptional times.

Note: We will **not** be hosting our Community Thanksgiving meal this year but the **October 11th Sunday Supper will serve a turkey dinner with all the fixings**. If you would like more than 4 dinners for a group, please pre-order with Ann Lacey at 613-342-1222 or email at [laceya@coqeco.ca](mailto:lacey@coqeco.ca). Pick up will be from 3 to 5 pm or until food supply lasts.



A notice from the Yuletide Fare Team!

The women (and men) making preserves for Yuletide Fare are in need of jars, especially the 1 cup size. If you have any to spare please contact Tony at 613 -348-3771. We'll figure out a way to get them.



Godly Play Children’s Program

Our Godly Play leaders are preparing a series of GP stories for your children or grandchildren to watch from home. Please follow this [wallstreetunitedchurch YouTube link](#) to find the story of the week. The stories will be told by WSUC’s storytellers, Shirley Avery & Laura Stanzel with musical pieces led by Mélanie Hartshorn-Walton. This week they will learn the story of Creation.

Following local public health guidelines, children who come to church are to remain with their parents/ grandparents during church services. So, individually-packaged GP story-oriented activity sheets and crayons will be provided for each child attending the church service. They can be picked up at the sign-in desk or from one of the church’s ushers or greeters. Thank you from Shirley.



Our gifts for Mission & Service support the important work of reconciliation, including the National Indigenous Spiritual Gathering every three years. In August 2019 the Gathering was held on the territory of the Chippewas of Rama near Orillia, ON, where Indigenous members decided on the structure and priorities for the self-determining Indigenous church within the United

The **Mission of the Scarves** will continue this year! While a means of delivery has not yet been decided, we are aiming for a blessing date in early December. Keep knitting while yarn is on sale, but **DO NOT DELIVER SCARVES TO THE CHURCH.** Hold completed scarves until further notice or call Chris Bremner at 613-865-8499.

If you have an Emergency Pastoral need please call 613-213-4968

Your Outreach & Social Action Committee are planning their yearly Fundraiser in support of **Canadian Food Grains Bank** on October 18th.

This year we will have a **“No Bake- Bake Sale”**

(Virtual picture only edition) We can show you some yummy pictures of home baking—but no one needs to bake or take any goodies home. Easy for you and good for the waistline too! Special donation envelopes will be available closer to the date for your CFGB donation.



If you are watching by Live Stream you can send a donation made out to Wall Street Church with CFGB on the memo line of cheque.

Thanks in advance for making a difference.

For the love of our Neighbours, this is how we will gather together as Church:

- C** **Come** in the Main Door
- O** **Observe** Physical Distancing
- M** **Masks** are Mandatory
- M** **Move, Hum and Clap** for hymns (Only soloists will do the singing)
- U** **Ushers** will direct you to and from your seat
- N** **No Touching** (hugs or handshakes)
- I** **Infants/Children** to stay with families
- T** **Toilets** (Wash hands, wipe taps)
- Y** **Your Stuff** stays with you (no coat racks, etc.)

Thanks to Resurrection Church in Halifax for this poster



Residential School Awareness Day (Orange Shirt Day) will be recognized on Sunday, September 27th at our church. You are invited to wear an orange shirt to show your compassion for survivors of the Residential School System. Following the worship service, Pam Hart, from the Kawartha Truth and Reconciliation Support Group, will be making a presentation in the sanctuary (either virtually or in-person). Pam will be displaying the 36-block quilt that her group made to illustrate the history of residential schools in Canada, and sharing the stories depicted in each of the quilt blocks. You are invited to remain in the sanctuary following the worship service to share in this presentation.