

COMMUNICATION

Stay Connected!

If you would like to stay informed about church events or prayer needs, fill out a communication card or contact the office to be added to any of our church email lists.

Bulletin Announcements Deadline

Please contact the office by Wednesday at noon.

PRAYER FOCUS

Intercessors for a Transformed City

In our efforts to bless our city, our efforts in prayer are essential. This week, please pray for intercession to increase and be strengthened...

- Thank God for hearing "all kinds of prayers and requests" and give Him praise for His character, position, and power which allow our prayers to change hearts and circumstances.
- Ask God to raise up new people to pray for various efforts throughout our city, including evangelism, caring for all kinds of needs, and for City Hall.
- Thank God for people who have a special calling to intercession, and ask for encouragement, wisdom and strength for them. Pray for more of these labourers who support from their "prayer closets".
- Take a moment to thank God for someone who prays for you. Ask God to encourage them with strength and visible fruit for their efforts.

(from loveottawa.ca)



CONTACT INFORMATION

Prayer Requests

prayer@sunnysidechurch.ca
(Will be kept strictly confidential.)

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Office hours:

Mon. to Fri. 9:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Summer service schedule:

Sundays at 10 a.m.

August 11, 2019



Experiencing, Embodying, and Expressing
God's Transforming Love

10 a.m.

Pastor Matt is speaking on
The Parable of the Lost Sons

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Next Sunday:
Communion
Pastor Miranda will be speaking

WELCOME GUESTS!

We're happy you're here! Please pause to fill out a connection card and drop it in the offering plate or the Communication box in the foyer, or scan the QR code.



Children: A supervised nursery for newborns to age 2 is located upstairs. Summer Sunday school programming is for 3-year-olds to Gr. 4. Early in the service, children are called to the front for prayer before going to their classes.

Sunnyside Youth: Gr. 7-12 youth meet every Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. through the summer. Contact Pastor Matt. *All children and youth ministry volunteers have had police records checks.*

Accessibility: Washrooms are downstairs; if you need to use the elevator, an usher will be happy to assist you. Portable hearing devices and binders with large print song lyrics are available from the ushers.

Giving: The operations and ministries of Sunnyside are made possible as we, from a love response to God, freely offer our time, money, and talent. If you're able to help support this work we're in together, please go to our website for details on how to give online, or place your gift in an offering envelope in the pew.

LAST WEEK'S NUMBERS

	Last Week	Year to Date	YTD Budget
General	\$3,991	\$216,622	\$256,236
Missions	\$45	\$11,695	\$10,694



Thank you for your faithfulness and support in giving!

Attendance: Aug. 4, 2019

10 a.m. 144

A PLACE...

Kids' Art Drop-In

Gr. 3-6 kids are invited to be creative! We're meeting on the **Wednesdays of August**, 6:30 - 8 p.m. in the church basement. Contact Melody Frost for more info.



Young Adults

Next **Sunday, Aug. 18** after the service, we will head to Britannia Beach for the afternoon, so please bring your lunch along. (In case of inclement weather, we'll stay at the church.) RSVP to Jesse Duncan or Pastor Darren.

Please Note...

Pastor Kerry will be on vacation **Aug. 12-26**. Please contact the church office or Pastor Darren with any concerns or emergencies.

A PEOPLE...

What is evangelicalism?

Love Is Moving magazine is sponsoring a contest for Canadians age 18 - 35. Write an article (500-1500 words) or create a video (5 minutes or less) on one of four topics related to evangelicalism. Deadline: Sept. 20. Grand prize is \$500 and a trip to Montreal to present the winning piece for EFC's Presidents Day. Several other cash awards are available. For details about the four topics and other contest info, go to loveismoving.ca/contest.

OUR MISSION

The Mission of Sunnyside Wesleyan Church is to be:

A place where we experience God's transforming love through the Holy Spirit, by faith, the Word of God, worship and prayer;

A people being transformed by the love and grace of Jesus as we practise authentic community;

A presence of God's transforming love in Old Ottawa South, across the city and around the world, through acts of generosity, compassion and outreach.

SERMON NOTES

The Parable of the Lost Sons

This Week's Readings:

Psalms 33:13-22 Genesis 15:1-6 Hebrews 11:1-16
Luke 15:11-32