

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

Long Term Care Facilities



Seniors are our parents and grandparents. They need our honour and our care and, as the Covid-19 crisis has revealed, many LTCFs need help. Please pray...

- That where there is distress due to insufficient staffing, God would give strength, comfort, and hope to the seniors waiting for things to change.
- For basic care such as clean clothes, linens, bandages for sores, care of infections, medications and pain management, help to eat, and palliative care.
- For healing and lack of transmission of sicknesses.
- For the ones who are lonely to be comforted, and for those who are dying to have the environment and spiritual care to prepare well.
- For current PSW's, nurses, physicians, cleaning and kitchen staff, and administrators to receive new strength, wisdom, patience and compassion; and for more training and oversight to support them.
- That there will be the will and the resources to change the status quo.

From [Love Ottawa](#)



CONTACT INFORMATION

Prayer Requests

Submit yours [here](#).

(Will be kept strictly confidential.)

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Office hours:

On-site presence in emergencies only.
Phones and email checked regularly.

Sunday Services:

10 a.m.

Online only, until further notice.

Request the link to Sunday services [here](#).
You will need the *Zoom* app.

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 practice 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.

May 31, 2020
Pentecost



Experiencing, Embodying, and Expressing
God's Transforming Love

Sunday Service: 10 a.m.

Pentecost Sunday
Melody Bellefeuille-Frost is speaking

Next Week:
Trinity Sunday
Kerry Kronberg will be speaking

WELCOME GUESTS!

Once on-site services resume: 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 & Youth: A supervised nursery for newborns to age 2 is located upstairs. All other programming takes place downstairs. Early in the service, children are called to the front for prayer before going to their classes. Sunday school schedule:

- 9 a.m. - Age 3 to Gr. 6 (Communion Sunday, to Gr. 5)
 - 11 a.m. - Age 3 to Gr. 4
 - Youth (Gr. 7-12) - 2nd Sunday of the month at 9 a.m.
- 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. There are several ways to help support this work we're in together: text "swcott" to 77977, use an offering envelope (located in the pew), or [go to our website](#).

LAST WEEK'S NUMBERS

- Sunnyside's weekly budget is \$8,259.
- Last week, Sunnyside received \$1,895; of which \$250 was for missions.
- Year-to-date giving is \$150,765, which is \$7,150 less compared to this Sunday last year.



Thank you for your faithfulness and support in giving!

Attendance, May 24: 225

A PEOPLE...



A New Way of Gathering Together
We are holding our Sunday services, small groups, and other gatherings via Zoom online video conferencing until further notice. [Go to our website](#) for details, or [contact the office](#) if you wish to receive Pastor Kerry's weekly updates with log-in info.

Sunday School

Sunday School for grades 4-6 is available at 11:15 a.m. taught by Simon via Zoom. For a link to "send" your child on May 31, [contact Pastor Miranda](#).

Men's (Virtual) Breakfast

All men 18+ are welcome to join for fellowship and teaching this **Saturday, June 6** at 9:30 a.m.  (Breakfast is up to you!) [Contact Gilles](#) for Zoom links.



Ages 20-40: Join us for 20 to Life's online gathering on **Friday, June 12** at 6:30 p.m. We will check-in with each other, hear from Rachel V., pray together, and hang out and play games. Bring your own snacks! [Click here for link](#).

Micro-Groups

Our Community Life pastor, Gilles Doucet, says a whole lot of friendship, encouragement and growth can happen in what he calls **Micro-Groups**: small groups of 3 to 4 people. Please [contact Gilles](#) if you're interested.

Springboard for Discussion

In Pastor Kerry's weekly email, she referred to two articles: [Strategies for Winter: Redemptive Leadership in Survival Times](#) and [Leading Beyond the Blizzard: Why Every Organization Is Now a Startup](#), to spark conversations about our lives in community at SWC in this unique time. Let us know what you think! 

Pastor Kerry's Weekly Email

During this time when we're not able to physically congregate, Pastor Kerry has been sending regular updates which include Zoom links to our services, articles, encouragement, and church news. The content is available [on our website](#), but you may request a copy for your inbox by [clicking here](#).

SERMON QUESTIONS

This Week's Readings:

[Ps 117](#) [Jn 7:37-39](#) [I Cor 12:3b-13](#) [Acts 2:1-21](#)

Acts 2:1-21

1. In reading Acts 2, what do you notice about the Holy Spirit?
2. What is God's mission?
3. Participating in God's mission takes all kinds of forms. What's it look like in your life?

A PRESENCE...



TOGETHER Pentecost Prayer Event
Sunday, May 31 at 7 p.m. join online with other Wesleyan laity and clergy as ONE BODY, calling out in ONE VOICE for a fresh pouring out of God's Spirit upon us. For info and to RSVP, [click here](#).

Do you need help or wish to offer it?

To ensure that urgent and critical needs arising from the Covid-19 crisis are being met, Sunnyside has linked arms with Respond Ottawa. Don't hesitate to [contact them](#) in order to offer or receive assistance.

