

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 out-reach.

PRAYER FOCUS

Pastors



October is Clergy Appreciation Month. The extraordinary circumstances of 2020 have brought hardship, stress, and uncertainty, and church leaders are helping their congregations through it by finding new ways to connect and meet needs. *Let's hank God for out pastors and send them words of encouragement!* Please pray for their...

- Personal Lives:

To have a deep satisfaction in Christ; a growing, vibrant prayer and devotional life; a spirit of wisdom, understanding, wise counsel, and knowledge; do justice, love mercy, and walk humbly with God; for physical, spiritual, and emotional health.

- Families:

To be a godly, dedicated, and loving spouse/parent/family member; that children would grow in wisdom, stature, and favour with God and others; protection and unity in marriage and family life.

- Ministries:

For their leadership, vision, and service; perseverance through trials; the Spirit's leading in preaching, counsel, comfort, encouragement, and decision-making; unity with their leadership teams.

Adapted from [CHRI](#)

CONTACT INFORMATION

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[Click here](#) for staff contact info.

Prayer Requests:

Submit yours [here](#).

(Will be kept strictly confidential.)

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Summer Office hours:

Mon. Wed. Fri.

10 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Closed Thanksgiving Monday

Phone and email checked regularly.

Bulletin Announcement Deadline:

[Contact the office](#) by noon on Wednesday.

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Sunday Services:

10 a.m.

Online only, until further notice.

Request the link to Sunday services [here](#).

You will need the *Zoom* app.

October 11, 2020



Experiencing, Embodying, and Expressing
God's Transforming Love

Sunday Zoom Service: 10 a.m.

Pastor Matt is speaking on
The Parable of the Wedding Banquet

Next Week:
Pastor Kerry will be speaking.

WELCOME GUESTS!

Sunday Services



We are holding Sunday services on-line via *Zoom* until further notice. [Go to our website](#) for details. Our transition team is working to help guide us through the Province's Stage 3 phase; [contact them](#) if you have questions or concerns.

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

Attendance, Oct. 4: 176

- Sunnyside's weekly budget is \$8,259.
- Last week, Sunnyside received \$4,225, of which \$100 is for missions.
- Year-to-date giving is \$287,130 which is \$15,680 less compared to last year.



Thank you for your faithfulness and generosity!

A PEOPLE...

Pastor Kerry's Weekly Email

During this time when we're not able to physically gather, Pastor Kerry is sending regular updates which include Zoom links to our services, articles, encouragement, and church news. The content is available [on our website](#), or [click here](#) to receive it by email.

Building Community within Sunnyside

Check out the [Fall 2020 brochure](#) to discover how you can connect with church life. There's something for every age and comfort level, on-line or onsite!



Kids Club & Parents Touchpoint

Children ages 4-11 and parents are invited meet at [Windsor Park](#) this **Wednesday, Oct. 14**, 6-7 p.m. For info, contact [Pastor Miranda](#).

Baptism Class



To learn about and/or prepare for your baptism, please attend on either **Sunday, Oct. 18 OR 25**, 11:30 - 12:30 with Pastor Kerry via Zoom. (Next baptism service will be held when regulations allow.) [RSVP here](#).

Prayer Email

If you would like to pray regularly for our church community, consider signing up to receive our weekly prayer email. [Contact the office](#) if you're interested.

Looking for a Good Read?

Copies of the latest issue of *Wesleyan Life* magazine have arrived, as well as *Our Daily Bread* devotional booklets. Please [contact the office](#) if you'd like us to send either or both to you through the mail.

The Board will meet via Zoom this **Tuesday, Oct. 13** at 6:30 p.m.

This Week's Readings

[Psalm 23](#) [Exodus 32:1-14](#) [Philippians 4:1-9](#)
[Matthew 22:1-14](#)

A PLACE...



Hybrid Gathering

Those age 20-40 are invited to a peer-led topical discussion, hearing each other's stories, and open floor conversation on bigger questions, this **Friday, Oct. 16** at 6:30 p.m. For those who are comfortable meeting in-person, we will meet on at the church (with Covid-19 safety guidelines in place). For those who would rather meet online, we will have a Zoom option as well. For more info and to RSVP, contact [Jesse](#) or check out our [Facebook page](#).



Praying with the Psalmists

The fall we will have more opportunities for in-church gatherings. The next one is **Wednesday, Oct. 28** at 7 p.m. in the sanctuary. Chris and Heather Barrett will join Kerry Kromberg to facilitate an evening of worship and prayer with Communion. To register, [click here](#). (These will be held in accordance with provincial [guidelines for worship services](#).)

PARABLE OF THE WEDDING BANQUET

The kingdom of heaven is like a king who prepared a wedding banquet for his son..

MATTHEW 22:1-14