

## 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.

## PRAYER FOCUS

**Norwood Wesleyan Church**  
(Serving Innerscity Edmonton)

Rick Pybus, the supervising pastor at Norwood, flew to Edmonton to assist Pastor Nick, Kayla (who recently gave birth to first baby, George), and the congregation. Rick has had his Covid-19 needle and will safely help the ministry in these trying times. Please pray...

- Due to provincial Covid-19 restrictions, NWC is only permitted an attendance of 15 in the main sanctuary and 10 in the basement for a total of 25 – this presents a challenge. Pastor Nick also provides on-line church and devotions via FaceBook and YouTube.
- As you can imagine, support is very limited at this time, so we are praying for support from generous churches and people to see this mission work continue and thrive in this inner city neighborhood.
- NWC is involved in the LOOP program of distributing food from food stores that is near its expiration date. The congregation is carrying on their ministry of distributing 40 – 50 boxes of food and supplies to needy people, as funds allow.

## CONTACT INFORMATION

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

### Sunday Services:

10 a.m.

Online only, until further notice.

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

### Office hours:

On an as-needed basis during provincial stay-at-home orders.  
Email and phone checked regularly.

### Prayer Requests:

Submit yours [here](#).  
(Will be kept strictly confidential.)

### Bulletin Announcement Deadline:

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

**April 18, 2021**  
**Easter 3**



**Experiencing, Embodying, and  
Expressing God's Transforming Love**

Sunday Zoom Service: 10 a.m.

Melody Bellefeuille-Frost is speaking on  
Vision Series Pt. 3: *A Guide for God's Big Story*

Next Sunday:  
Kerry Kromberg 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, April 11: 212

- Last week, Sunnyside received \$11,995, of which \$540 was for missions.
- Year-to-date giving is \$115,785 which is \$7,345, which is \$10,395 above last year.

*Thank you for your faithfulness  
and generosity in giving!*



### Devotional Resources

It is time to be very stubborn about where we spend our mind space. If you aren't in a habit of daily scripture reading to acquaint yourself with who God is and who you are in relation to him, Pastor Kerry invites you to use this [online reading guide](#).

If you would like to receive a hardcopy of the *Our Daily Bread* devotional booklet, please [let us know](#) how many you need for yourself and friends/family, and we'll pop them in the mail.

Also, you may find this [daily prayer app](#) helpful. You will be cued to pray in the morning, at noon, dinnertime, and in the evening, with an option to read the suggested scriptures or to have them narrated.

## 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.



### Baptism/Confirmation Class

There will be a class on **Sunday, April 25** at 11:10 a.m. (right after the Zoom service) in preparation for a service in May. Please let [Pastor Kerry know](#) if you're interested in exploring the possibility of being baptized, or if you were baptized as an infant and would like to confirm your baptism. *Parents who would like their babies baptized or dedicated to the Lord are welcome to reach out as well.*

### Christian Camp Scholarships

Every Sunnyside family, including grandparents and guardians, is welcome to apply for the Doug Hardy Scholarship to cover a portion of your children (grandchildren) or youth's fees for Christian summer camps. Please complete this [application form](#) to receive a scholarship. You can either scan and email it to [Pastor Miranda](#), or you may mail it or drop it off to the church office. *Applications must be received by May 1.*

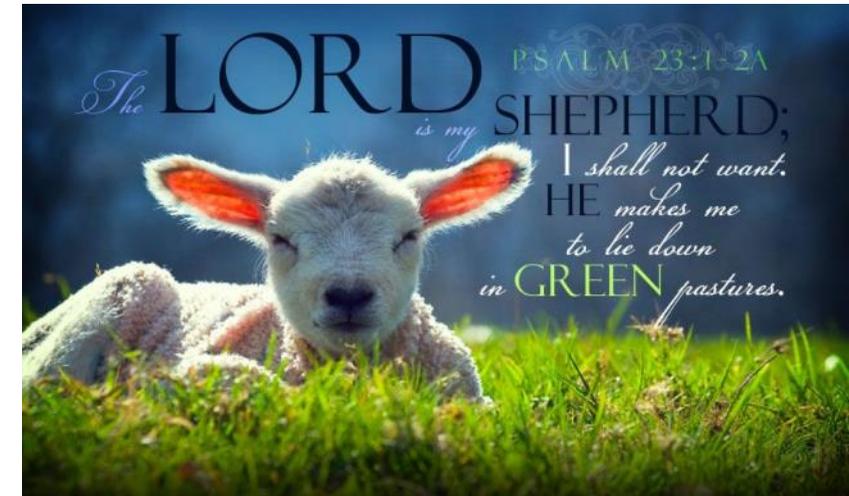


### Church Campout

This is a 'save the date' announcement for Sunnyside's annual church camping retreat at Silverlake Wesleyan Camp. Restrictions permitting, we are tentatively booked for the weekend of **June 25-27**. Further updates will come as we're able to better assess whether this will be possible. Emily Kronberg (emily.kronberg@gmail.com) is your contact for this weekend.

## This Week's Readings

[Psalm 23](#) [Genesis 1:26-2:9, 15-17](#)  
[Revelation 21:1-7](#) [John 10:11-18](#)



## A PRESENCE...

### 2021 Missions Directory

Our missions team has prepared a brand new Missions Directory, listing the missionaries and outreach organizations that SWC supports through your offerings. You can [access it here](#), or [request a hardcopy](#) from the office.

### ESL Courses

One of our Sunnysiders is part of an outreach team offering free online ESL conversation groups. They meet **Thursdays**, 7:30-9 p.m. and **Saturdays**, 10-11:30 a.m. Feel free to share the [registration link](#) with those you know who may be interested.

### Emergency Disaster Relief Training

In collaboration with World Hope Canada, the Salvation Army is looking for volunteers with their Emergency Disaster Services department. Free online training dates are to be announced. If you're interested, please [email Melody](#) to get your name on a contact list.