

## 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

**Emily Lorentz**  
**The Navigators**



June was a month for reflecting on endings and dreaming of beginnings for our team. Aside from a year of virtual ministry, I got the chance to lead our team and to supervise Emma and Stephen. Through them, God helped students taste forgiveness and victory over sin, and gain imagination for life with God.

Please pray that...

- each student we're connected to would have a profound moment of personal encounter with Jesus—something they can look back on as an anchor for the rest of their lives.
- students from different backgrounds, cultures, and experiences would be unified in a love for Jesus and a passion to live out his teachings.
- each returning Navigator student would come to identify deeply as disciples and discipleMAKERS.
- two believing students in each residence hall will be able to passionately share the Good News with others in their hall.
- five people who are not yet following Jesus would make clear decisions to enter into God's Kingdom.

## 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:

Mon. Tues. Wed. Fri.  
11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

### Prayer Requests:

Submit yours [here](#).

(Will be kept strictly confidential.)

### Bulletin Announcement Deadline:

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

**July 11, 2021**  
**Pentecost 7**



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

Sunday Zoom Service: 10 a.m.

Membership Sunday  
National Superintendent Dr. Steve Elliott  
is speaking on  
*But God... An Optimistic Faith*

Next Sunday:  
Pastor Matt 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, July 4: 135

Last week, Sunnyside received \$8,435, of which \$320 was for missions. Year-to-date giving is \$199,625, which is \$3,540 above last year.

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

### Our Indigenous Neighbours

The grief and shame are stifling as we hear of unmarked graves found near former residential school sites in our country. A course titled [Walking in a Good Way With Our Indigenous Neighbours](#) can help us listen to and learn from Indigenous individuals. Wisdom literature says that there is a time to mourn; this is one such time.



## 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.

### New Members

At the Sunday Zoom service, Abraham Shen, Dave Farthing, and Frank Song, are being received as members of The Wesleyan Church. Please keep them in your prayers.

### Staff Farewell Gatherings

We'll have three official opportunities to express love and appreciation to our departing staff—Matt Bellefeuille, Melody Bellefeuille-Frost, and Miranda Valentini.

- **Wed. July 14**, 7-8 p.m. Online gathering for Matt and Melody.
- **Sun. July 18**, noon-2 p.m. Outdoor gathering for all at Brewer Park (picnic shelter).
- **Mon. July 19**, 7-8 p.m. Online gathering for Miranda and family.

Links are in Kerry's Friday letter, or [contact the office](#).



### Beach Day

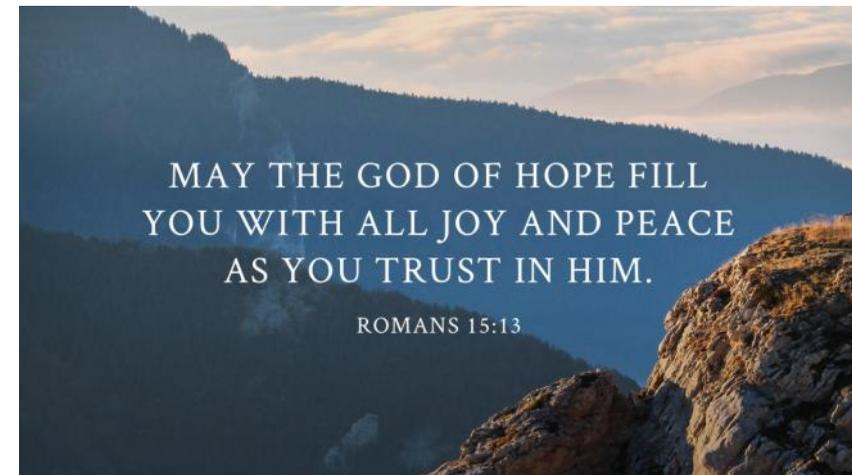
If you're 20-40ish, join us at Mooney's Bay on **Sunday, July 25**, 1:30 p.m. There will be games, volleyball, canoeing, and time to catch up in person! [Contact Jesse](#) for more info.

### Devotional Booklet

If you would like to receive the latest *Our Daily Bread* devotional booklet, regular and large-print, please [let us know](#) how many you need for yourself, friends, or family. We can pop them in the mail or arrange for pick-up.

## This Week's Readings

[Psalm 24](#) [Numbers 21:4-9](#)  
[Ephesians 2:1-10](#) [John 3:14-21](#)



## A PLACE...

### Coming Up...



Sunday Services:

- **Through Aug. 8**—Zoom only.
- **Aug. 15, 22, 29**—Small in-person gatherings, with a Zoom option (10 a.m.)
- **Sep. 5**—First on-site services (9 & 11 a.m.), with a Zoom option.

Save the Date:

- **Oct. 3**—SWC 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Party (details TBA)
- **Oct. 15-17**—Women's Retreat at SLWC\*
- **Nov. 5-7**—Men's Retreat at SLWC\*

\*Retreat dates are tentative, based on numbers. Please [go here](#) to indicate your interest.