

July 1, 2022

Dear Friends,

Sunday Worship Gathering at 10 a.m.

Paul Racine will open God's Word to us. He leaves us this challenge as we get ready to dig in to 2 Kings 4:1-7: "If you want to see miracles, then you have to have problems.' I first heard this statement from a Southern Baptist preacher and I remember asking myself how badly I really wanted to see miracles! In our passage for Sunday, this widow is left without anything and is about to lose her children. Her story seems doomed, her tragedies overwhelming. Even the initial response by Elijah seems to indicate that he too has no answers. But what if the answer is there all along? What if the moments with the Lord at work in them are about to produce solutions we could never have imagined? Are we willing to truly embrace a God whose best working moments in our lives are when we 'have nothing'?"

[Join the livestream service here.](#) When you click on the link above, this will launch the SWC Livestream homepage. From there you may need to click the "Videos" tab to access this Sunday's Livestream.

Here are the songs with lyrics linked:

[One Way Jesus](#)

[God With Us](#)

[Build My Life](#)

[Broken Vessels](#)

[Graves Into Gardens](#)

For Scripture readings, events, prayer focus, and other news, [check out Sunday's bulletin.](#)

Summer Prayer Meetings

The regular Zoom prayer team meetings will be held on July 19 and August 16 at 11 a.m. [Click here](#) to join. [Click here](#) to send your prayer requests to the prayer team.

Baptisms

Hope Lussier and Sean and Seth Bandele entered the waters of baptism last Sunday. Please keep these Sunnysiders in your prayers! There are lots of great photos on our Facebook page, but [here are a few special ones](#) which also include Pastors Kerry, Jesse, and Nate.

Baby Shower

A shower for Emily and Aaron Friesen will be held on Saturday, July 9, at 2 p.m. in the church basement. Everyone is welcome to attend. For those bearing gifts, note that they are expecting a baby boy in August! For more details or to RSVP, contact [Emma Barrett](#) or [Matthew Kronberg](#).

Canada Day Prayer Event

The [National House of Prayer](#) welcomes Christian "Voices Together from Sea to Sea" to participate in a [national prayer event](#) tomorrow. You can attend in-person at [West Ottawa Community Church](#), or online via [Facebook](#) or [YouTube](#), from 1:00-3:00 p.m. The in-person event will be followed by a BBQ. This is a great opportunity to give thanks for the freedoms we enjoy, and to "Crown Jesus King" as we "stand on guard" in prayer for Canada. (And now that you're thinking about our national anthem, here's the ["surprising true story"](#) behind it!)

Blessings,

Beth Fleming (for the whole team)