

Almonte United Church

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Sunday, February 4, 2024 10:30 am

*We gather today on the traditional and unceded territory
of the Algonquin Anishnaabe Nation.*

May we dwell on this land with respect and peace.

Prelude

Words of Welcome

Opening Prayer:

**In a world filled with noise,
you are a place of quiet, God.**

**In a world filled with complexity,
you are wisdom.**

**In a world filled with brokenness and loss,
you are the sturdy ground of our being.**

**Through this time together, through the love of Christ,
may the whole world be changed, and may all be made
whole.**

Amen.

***Hymn: MV#113 “Jesus Saw them Fishing”**

Welcome & Announcements

Choir Anthem: “Jesus is Lord of All”

Children’s Story

Mission and Service Story

Scripture Reading: Mark 4: 1-9, 21-32 Parable of the Sower

Sermon

***Hymn: VU#409 “Morning Has Broken”**

The offering is collected-

***Sung Response: MV#191**

“What can I do? What can I bring?

What can I say? What can I sing?

I’ll sing with joy. I’ll say a prayer.

I’ll bring my love. I’ll do my share” x2

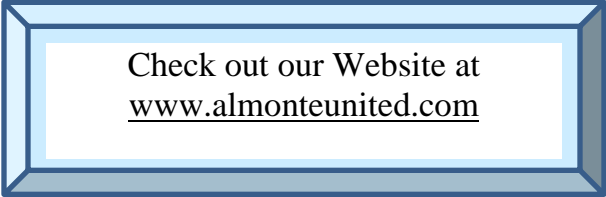
Dedication of Offerings

Prayers of the People

***Hymn: VU#356 “Seek Ye First”**

Blessing

Postlude



Check out our Website at
www.almonteunited.com

Congregational News

A BIG THANK YOU from the Youth Group for everyone's book donations, spreading the word, being a celebrity reader, helping with the canteen, pitching in whenever we put out the call, and coming to support our little book sale. We have the best church family! Jack, Dot, Lana, Elias, Erika, Jessica, Ellie, Olivia, and Margie



AOC's Souper Bowl Sunday

Next Sunday we will have 750 ml containers of soup (about 3 cups of soup) The choices of soup will be Carrot, Cheese and Beer, Corn and Potato Chowder and Vegetarian Enchilada. To go along with these great soups, we will have a selection of homemade tea biscuits, gluten free cornmeal muffins and homemade rolls. There will be a choice of cookies to complete the take home meal package.

The cost of these take home packages will be \$15.





Financial Donations by E-transfer:

During the pandemic we began to receive donations by e-transfer. For many people it is a quick and easy way to make a weekly financial donation. The email address is office@almontheunited.com and please include your name and contact information in the message line.



Calling all voices !

Our choir is in need of additional members. If you are interested in joining our church choir, please contact our music director Neil Milnes or one of the choir members.



Greeters Needed- We're looking for a few more people to join the Greeter Schedule. It's an easy yet important job. Duties including greeting folks at the door as they arrive and then passing the offering plate. Please let Rev. Mary know if this is something you can help with once a month.

Like us on our Facebook pages:

Almonte United Church

AUC Sunday School

What's On at AUC This Week

OFFICE HOURS:

Monday from 10 to 2

Thursday from 10 to 3

Friday 10 to 12 noon

Monday to Friday

9:00 am Almonte Cooperative Nursery School

Monday, February 5

5:30 pm Taekwon Do

Tuesday, February 6

6:00 pm Almonte Embers

Wednesday, February 7

9:30 Mom & Baby Physio Workout

5:30 pm Taekwon Do

7:00 Choir Practice

Thursday, February 8

Friday, February 9

12:00 Youth Group in the Kitchen

Saturday, February 10

Sunday, February 11

10:30 Sunday Worship

Sunday School

Youth Group

AUC's Souper Bowl Sunday Sale





Do you miss seeing some people at Church? If so, phone or email them and ask them to meet you at Church and to join us for coffee after Worship.



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| Minister: | Rev. Mary Royal-Duczek |
| Choir Director: | Neil Milnes |
| Custodian: | Kim Julian |
| Office: | Virginia Atkinson |
| Counter this month: | Louise Owens & Donna Lowry |
| Greeter: | Laurie Blackstock & Evelyn Ironside |
| Greeter next week: | John & Dorothy Day |
| Reader: | Emmett Badger |
| Reader next week: | Mary Sproule |
| Sunday School: | Margie Graff |

***N.B. We have an automated external defibrillator!
It can be found on the table outside the office door.***

