

Almonte United Church

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Sunday, September 1, 2024 10:30 am

Since time immemorial, Indigenous peoples have lived on and cared for this land. We seek to rebuild right relations with the Algonquin Anishinaabe, to learn from them, and to live on their land with respect and gratitude.

Musical Prelude

Words of Welcome

Call to Worship

One: Make a joyful noise to God, all the earth.

All: Sing to the glory of his name;
give to him glorious praise.

One: Say to God, "How awesome are your deeds!"

All: All the earth worships you;
they sing praises to you,
sing praises to your name.

One: Come and see what God has done;
he is awesome in his deeds among mortals.

All: Bless our God, O peoples,
let the sound of his praise be heard
here and everywhere.

Let us worship God! (from Psalm 66)

Gathering Prayer:

Great and wondrous God, we gather here mindful of your awesome goodness to us. We are also mindful of the many gifts and talents you have given to us that we share as a

community of faith. During this time of worship, may our praise and our gratitude strengthen our faith and discipleship in Christ, in whose holy name we pray. Amen.

Hymn: 220 (vu) “Praise to the Lord”

Welcome and Announcements

Children’s Story

Mission and Service Story

Scripture Reading: James 2: 14, 17-18, 20, 26. (Page 981 in the pew Bibles). The writer states that “faith without works is dead.”

Sermon: “Faith and Works”

Hymn: 560 (vu) “O Master, let me walk with Thee”

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

Pastoral Prayers and The Lord’s Prayer

Closing Hymn: 120 (vu) “O Jesus, I Have Promised”

Benediction and Blessing

Musical Postlude

CONGREGATIONAL NEWS

IMPORTANT MEETING

Next Sunday, September 8th, immediately after worship, the congregation will vote on the Almonte United Church Congregational Profile. This is a required step in seeking a new minister; please plan to remain for this very important step in the process.



Thank you to the great group who gathered together on Saturday to renew and rejuvenate the flower beds. The original plan was to only do the flower bed along the Social Hall. However, due to the great initiative of all the bike rack garden was

edged and the flower bed on the east side of the sanctuary was also cleaned up. Many hands potted up some plants and counted bulbs into packages. We had an impromptu plant sale on Sunday - \$50 towards the work of AUC. Again, thank you, your work is appreciated by all.



Our **Awesome Autumn Market** will be here in 4 weeks on September 28. We will have a bake table, a preserves and pickles table, craft tables, a trinkets and treasures table, a plant and bulb table

and more. We are looking for volunteers to help set up and receive items for the sale on the Friday afternoon and people to assist at the sale and for clean up afterwards. Let us know when you are available to help. In the meantime, please consider helping by putting up posters around the area. The posters are available on the table outside the office. Please indicate on the sheet beside them where you will post them.

The list is not limited to only these places. Please ask Virginia for more posters if there are none on the table.
Thank you



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.



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. Heather know if this

is something you can help with once a month.

Check out our Website at
www.almontheunited.com

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AUC Sunday School

WHAT'S ON AT AUC THIS WEEK

OFFICE HOURS:

Monday from 10 to 2

Tuesday from 10 to 2

Thursday from 10 to 2

Monday to Friday

9:00 am Almonte Cooperative Nursery School

Monday, September 2

Labour Day

Tuesday, September 3

10:00 Mom & Baby Physio Workout

Wednesday, September 4

5:30 Taekwon Do

Thursday, September 5

10:00 Mom & Baby Physio Workout

11:00 Grassroots Grannies Cycling Lunch

Friday, September 6

9:30 Lisa Kmiel Yoga

10:00 Mississippi Wood Carvers

Saturday, September 7

Sunday, September 8

10:30 Sunday Worship

Sunday School

Youth Group





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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Choir Director:	Neil Milnes
Custodian:	Kim Julian
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Counter this month:	Ron MacMeekin & Alan Paul
Greeter:	Evelyn Ironside
Greeter next week:	John & Dorothy Day
Reader:	Ellie or Emmett Badger
Reader next week:	Mary MacMeekin
Sunday School:	Margie Graff

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