

The first part of the paper discusses the importance of understanding the cultural context of the research. It highlights the need for researchers to be sensitive to the values and beliefs of the communities they are studying. This is particularly important in the field of education, where cultural differences can significantly impact learning outcomes. The paper then moves on to discuss the challenges of conducting research in culturally diverse settings. It notes that researchers often face difficulties in finding appropriate research methods and in interpreting the data they collect. To address these challenges, the paper suggests that researchers should adopt a more flexible and open-minded approach to their research. This involves being willing to learn from the community and to adapt their research methods as needed. The paper also emphasizes the importance of building trust and rapport with the community, which is essential for conducting high-quality research. Finally, the paper concludes by noting that while there are many challenges to conducting research in culturally diverse settings, the potential benefits are great. By understanding the cultural context of the research, researchers can develop more effective interventions and policies that better serve the needs of all students.

ALMONTE UNITED CHURCH

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Sunday, September 15, 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

Welcome and the Announcements

Call to Worship: (together)

"Praise the Lord!

I will give thanks to the Lord with my whole heart.

Full of honour and majesty are God's works, and his righteousness endures forever.

Holy and awesome is God's name.

The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom; all those who practice it have a good understanding.

May God's praise endure forever!

Let us worship God!"

(from Psalm 111)

Gathering Prayer:

Great God of every time and every place, we know you are with us everywhere because we cannot escape from you.

Help us to feel your Holy Presence especially among us now as we welcome back our precious children and choir in our worship, for we pray in the name of Jesus. Amen.

Hymn: 48 (MV) "I Can Feel You Near Me God"

Welcome Back Children!

Choir Anthem: "What A Friend We Have in Jesus"

Mission and services Story

Gospel Reading: Mark 9: 33-37. (Page 821 in the pew Bibles) "Jesus responds to the disciples' argument about greatness by holding a little child in his arms."

Meditation: "The Ultimate Example"

Hymn: 595 (VU) "We are Pilgrims on a Journey"

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

The Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

Hymn: 424 (VU) "May the God of Hope"

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AUC Sunday School

CONGREGATIONAL NEWS

Welcome Sunday and a Potluck

Next Sunday is Welcome Sunday. For worship next Sunday, please wear your 'Lanark County Tuxedo', a Plaid Shirt! There are more surprises to come! There will be a Potluck luncheon immediately after Worship, so please bring your favourite dish to share.



New Voices Always Welcome

The choir returns today after the summer break. By all accounts in the past year, with the addition of some new voices, the choir has rarely sounded better. New voices are **always welcome**. The choir meets for rehearsal at 7:00 pm on Wednesday nights and we finish at 8:30. Should this be of interest to you please talk to Neil or any of the choir members.

AWESOME AUTUMN MARKET

What to make? Bread, rolls, tea biscuits, muffins, pies, tarts and cookies always sell well. Jams, jellies, pickles, relishes are always a welcome addition to a Thanksgiving meal. Containers of soup, macaroni and cheese, meatballs, baked beans are great additions to our food table. Seasonal decorations, crafts, such as carvings or handcrafted decorations, knitted/crocheted items like slippers or mitts are always welcome. If you have any plants, we will have a plant table as well.

We are looking for volunteers on both Friday and Saturday. If you have an extra hour or so we will appreciate your assistance on either or both days will be appreciated.

Join us for a *Free*
Sunday Supper
IN PAKENHAM



September 29th, 2024 5:30 - 7:30 pm

St. Andrew's United Church Pakenham
2585 County Rd.29

Doors open 5:15pm

for more info email us: hello@amealforall.ca



A MEAL FOR ALL

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 16

5:30 Taekwon Do

Tuesday, September 17

10:00 Mom & Baby Physio Workout

6:00 Almonte Embers

Wednesday, September 18

1:00 Carebridge Pilates

5:30 Taekwon Do

7:00 Choir Practice

Thursday, September 19

10:00 Mom & Baby Physio Workout

6:00 Mississippi Valley Field Naturalists

Friday, September 20

9:30 Lisa Kmiel Yoga

10:00 Mississippi Wood Carvers

Saturday, September 21

10:30 Buddhist Meditation Class

Sunday, September 22

10:30 Sunday Worship: **Welcome Sunday , Pot Luck**

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:

Custodian:

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Counter this month:

Greeter:

Greeter next week:

Reader:

Reader next week:

Sunday School:

Rev. Heather Kinkaid

Neil Milnes

Kim Julian

Virginia Atkinson

Ron MacMeekin & Alan Paul

Brian & Dawn Morrison

Leon & Nancy Page

Eleanor Rintoul

Julie Julian

Margie Graff

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

