CUMMER AVENUE UNITED CHURCH



Kindness • Justice • Hope

We are an inclusive Christian community celebrating God's presence as we work to enrich lives and transform our world.

Work and Witness of the Church Sunday, March 22, 2020

Keeping In Touch with the Cummer Community

Daily Coffee Klatsch: Weekdays at 10:00 am.

For those joining with a computer: https://zoom.us/j/786276898

For those joining via mobile device (one-touch): +16473744685,, 786276898# Canada

For those without a PC, who want to participate via telephone:

Dial: (647) 374-4685

Enter Meeting id: 786 276 898

Evening Storytime: *Tuesdays at 7:30 pm starting on Tuesday March 24th via Zoom.* Put on your PJ's, make your tea or hot chocolate and settle in for a bedtime story with Rev. Cheryl-Lynn. This is intended to be a time to relax and listen to a story. We will gather, Rev. Cheryl-Lynn will read a story and then say goodnight.

For those joining with a computer: https://zoom.us/j/622300148

For those joining via mobile device (one-touch): +16473744685,, 622300148# Canada

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Lenten Study: *Thursdays until April 2, 6:15 pm.* The sessions will be held on-line via Zoom.

Pastoral Video Chat: This is a stressful time for many of us. Our Congregational Care Minister, Karen Shea and our Lead Minister, Cheryl-Lynn MacPherson want you to know that in addition to telephone conversations, we can arrange to connect with you for a pastoral conversation via video chat. Please reach out if you would like to connect with us.

Facebook and Website: Regular updates about our programs and services are being posted to:

Facebook: www.facebook.com/CummerAvenueUC

Website: https://www.cummeravenueuc.ca/covid-19-updates

Offering: We encourage people to continue their church givings while we are out of the building. For those not on Pre-Authorized Remittance (PAR), we encourage you to mail your offering (via cheque) to the church office. We will pick up the mail periodically. The mailing address is:

Cummer Avenue United Church

c/o Willowdale Emmanuel United Church

349 Kenneth Avenue, Toronto, ON M2N 4V9

Alternately, donations may be made by credit card via Canada Helps. The link is on the website (www.cummeravenueuc.ca).

Keeping In Touch with the Wider Church Community

Moderator's Weekly Message: Moderator Richard Bott is offering a weekly worship service, which will be uploaded every Sunday to the United Church's website: https://www.united-church.ca/covid-19 and YouTube page: https://www.youtube.com/user/unitedchurchofcanada/videos

Reaching Out to Others

Drop-Inn: Willowdale Baptist Church, where we hold the Drop-Inn, has advised that they have closed their building. In light of this decision, and out of concern for both our guests and volunteers, we have reluctantly suspended the Drop-Inn program. This past week (March 18) Coordinator Dorrie Doucette was on-site to share this news with those guests who attended. She also distributed Tim Horton gift cards, to enable them to get food in the moment.

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In Emergency: Rev. Cheryl-Lynn MacPherson: (416) 902-9119