



# Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost Sunday, October 13, 2024



Welcome and Announcements † Trinity is Welcoming, Open,

Inclusive and Accessible. – Trinity is an Affirming Congregation

† Our building is open 9:00 am to 1:00 pm, Monday through Thursday (Closed on Statutory Holidays)

This service is being led by the United Church Women. Today's service is "The Fellowship of the Least Coin's In-Gathering Service" The theme is "Self-care is Earth Care". As we are part of the Earth, self-care is also care for our Earth, and care of the Earth is also self-care. In solidarity we work with others in healing our Earth and ourselves. And as we do, we work with God in mending God's beautiful creation.

Please join us for Social Time After Church in the Fellowship Hall — If you wish to volunteer to help with Social time, the sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board. Individuals or groups are invited to sign-up.

Are you having trouble hearing the service? Trinity has listening devices for you to use here. Just ask Cory at the sound booth for one and he will gladly explain how to use it.

<u>In person Sunday School</u> is the 2nd and last Sunday of each month.

<u>Please Assist</u> the UCW with the Fellowship of the Least Coin. We have placed a fishbowl at the back of the sanctuary to receive your gifts.

**Smiths Falls Community Food Bank** appreciates donations.

Potluck and Praise - Tuesday, October 15th at 6 p.m.

Harvest Supper – Saturday, October 19<sup>th</sup> – Doors open at 5 p.m. and meal will be served at 5:30 p.m. Tickets will be on sale following Sunday services starting today, and at the church office during open hours Monday to Thursday, until they are sold out. Cost is \$22 per plate, children 6 to 10 years are \$10 and under 5 years is free.

<u>Holly Fair – Saturday, November 2</u> – 10 am to 1 pm at Trinity United. Come and purchase your baking, crafts, jams, preserves, homemade knits/crochet, have a coffee and a treat and so much more!

<u>Christmas Wreath Sale</u> – Orders will be taken from September 30<sup>th</sup> to November 20<sup>th</sup>. Pick up date is at Trinity on November 28<sup>th</sup> at 1:15 pm. To order your wreath, contact Linda Zieman 613-283-2728 (leave a message) or the Church Office at 613-283-4444.

<u>Van Horne Monthly Service</u> – Begins again starting Tuesday, November 5<sup>th</sup> at 2 p.m. UCW will have coffee/tea time with the ladies following the service.

Save the date! More information in the coming weeks. Tripoly and the Grenville Troubadours – December 13.

**Introit:** VU 224 "Sing A Happy Hallelujah" (vs. 1,2)

**Acknowledging Traditional Territory** 

**Lighting of Christ Candle** 

Call to Worship

**Opening Prayer** 

**Hymn:** VU 518 "As Those of Old Their First-fruits Brought"

**Opening Prayer** (Continued)

**Call to Confession** (Responsive)

**Community Prayer** (in unison)

**Words of Assurance** 

Scripture Reading: Acts 9:36-42, but first let us pray...

#### **Prayer of Understanding**

#### Acts 9:36-42 NRSV

**Anthem:** "God is Love" (Hobson)

**Reflection:** "Ourselves and Our World"

## **Prayer**

**Hymn:** VU 289 "It Only Takes a Spark"

## **FLC Minute**

**Presentation:** Flowers of Appreciation

## **Offering Options**

- E-transfers to secretary@trinityunitedsf.ca
- o delivery to the church office
- through Trinity's website DONATE button and by
- o PAR.

#### **Invitation to the Offering**

#### **Offering Prayer**

**Hymn:** VU 226 "For the Beauty of the Earth"

# **Prayers of the People**

# The Lord's Prayer (in unison)

# We Depart to Serve in Peace and with Love

## Young at Heart

Hymn: VU 520 "We Plough the Fields"

**Commissioning:** 

**Benediction:** (In Unison)

**Choral Amen** 

**Postlude:** "What a Wonderful World" (Weiss/Thiele)

Recurring Events and Activities at Trinity	
First Monday, 12:00 noon Remaining Mondays, 11am	Chair Yoga
Every Monday, 1:00pm	Book Study - Start Date to be determined
First Monday, 9:30am	UCW – 9:30 a.m. (Gather at 9 am)
Fourth Monday, 9:30am (possible rebooking from time to time)	Property Team / Church Hall
Last Monday, 7:00 p.m.	Book Club
Every Tuesday, All Day	Pastoral Visitation — discontinued until further notice
First Tuesday, 2:00pm	Van Horne Residence – Starts Nov. 5 <sup>th</sup> (UCW coffee/tea time following service)
Third Tuesday, 9:30am	Stewardship & Finance Team
Third Tuesday, 6:00pm	Potluck and Praise
Every Wednesday, 9:30am	Bible Study / Seasonal Study
First Wednesday, 1:00pm	Healing Pathway (Trinity) – discontinued temporarily
Second Wednesday, 7:00pm	Spiritual Leadership Meeting
Fourth Wednesday, 1:00pm	Healing Pathway (St. Paul's) – discontinued temporarily
Last Wednesday, 7:00pm	Council
Second Friday, 6pm	Rainbow 101
Every Sunday, 8:30am (Except Second Sunday)	Choir Practice
Second Sunday, 9:00am	Choir Practice
Second Sunday, 8:30am	Early Communion – discontinued temporarily
Second and Last Sunday, 10:30am	Sunday School
Last Sunday, 1:00pm	Lanark Drum Circle