

Orchard Valley United Church

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Announcements for Sunday, September 12, 2021

Welcome all who worship with us! We're happy to be together. Thank you to the following people for their participation:

Leader of Worship.....Rev. Don Sellsted
Music Director / Organist Ken Hassell
Hymn Support..... Dave and Donna Murphy, Mindy Vinqvist-Tymchuk, Thea Burton
Special music..... Nancy Handrigan, Mindy Vinqvist-Tymchuk, Frank Hartman, Dave Murphy
Scripture Reader.....Sheila Francis
Children's TimeKatie Logan
Live-stream Team Gary Dunfield, Carol Dewar, Wayne MacDonald
Usher Ian Godfrey

In-Person Worship on Sunday, September 12, 2021 – We will gather for an in-person / live-streamed service this Sunday at 10:00 am. A recording of the service will be uploaded later in the day for home-viewing. For those attending in-person, please do not arrive at the church before 9:30 am Sunday morning. For the protection of everyone, face masks, hand sanitizing and physical distancing rules will be strictly adhered to. If you are feeling unwell, please stay home and call to cancel your reservation.

Sunday Coffee Time –You are invited to attend our Zoom “Coffee Time” each Sunday, from 11:30 am to 12:00 pm. You may join us online or via phone:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83474107986?pwd=SnlFeWNtWDZPeHJHMjZlZQVg1bUo2QT09>

- 1-855-703-8985 Canada Toll-free
- Meeting ID: 834 7410 7986
- Passcode: 019067

Please note that you will now have to enter the passcode, to gain admittance to Coffee Time.

Seeking Lay Supervision Team members for Katie Logan - We are looking for interested members to form the Lay Supervision Team for our new student minister, Katie Logan. A Lay Supervision Team (LST) meets for conversation and mutual reflection, providing an opportunity for the student to listen to the faith, views, contexts, values, and wisdom of a smaller group within a larger community, a microcosm of the pastoral charge. A LST accompanies the student through the process of formation for the practice of ministry. This will include commitment to regular meetings for exploration, discussion, and implementation of assigned work within the MDiv program, as well as theological reflection and evaluation of all learning experiences. A successful group will have a sense of mutuality in sharing and discussion and a sense that everyone is learning. ***Katie needs a team of 3-6 people who agree to meet more or less monthly September to April. To express your interest, please write to christina.macdonald@gmail.com.***

Kids Hang Out - Grades Primary to three meet once a month on the third Saturday from 3:00 to 4:30 pm for games and faith-based activities! The first meeting will be Saturday, September 18.

Volunteers needed - Be part of Katie's exciting new ministry for children and youth! If you enjoy working with children and/or youth, please consider applying to teach or help lead one of the following programs. Police record check required. Contact Katie (902-681-6010; youth.ovuc@gmail.com) or Andy (902-542-1545; andriel_p@yahoo.ca) if interested.

Sunday School for Preschool, Voyagers (Primary-Gr 3) and Junior Youth: teach one age group once or twice a month; curriculum provided; starting Sept 12

Kids Hang Out: one Saturday a month for Primary to Grade 3 children, 3 to 4:30 pm; starting Sept 18

Junior Youth Group: two Fridays a month, 6:30 to 8:00 pm; starting Sept 24

Women's Breakfast – Friday morning breakfast will be starting September 17th – 8:30am. All women are welcome!

FundScrip Gift Cards – Fundscrip cards make excellent gifts and are a very convenient and easy way to shop.

Following are upcoming FundScrip order and delivery dates:

<u>Order Dates</u>	<u>Delivery Dates</u>
September 12	September 19
September 26	October 03

To place an order, please contact Ian Godfrey, Cecil White or Bruce Smith. Thank you for your continued support.

Kings-Kikima Grannies Yard Sale – Saturday, September 25th – 8am to 1pm

The yard sale will be at 15 Chestnut Ave in Wolfville, **rain or shine!** No clothing or books. Drop off is Friday, September 24th, 1-6pm.

Subscribe to OVUC's YouTube Channel – Did you know we have a YouTube Channel? Simply select the 'Subscribe' button the next time you are watching one of our videos or during the Live Streamed Worship Service. (Please note that you must have a Google account in order to subscribe.)

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCEW4V0pk_znrA5qevOqCr9Q

Video Recorded Worship Services – Each week, we post a copy of our worship service. Please view our video recorded services by going to our webpage and clicking on "Worship Services/Video Recorded Messages".

Hope New Minas Al-Anon Family Group – Hope Al-Anon is a fellowship that offers help and hope for families and friend of alcoholics. The group will be using FONGO for phone meetings on Thursday mornings at 10:00 am until further notice. This program lets 15 people meet by phone. To enter the meeting, call 1-902-932-1200 and enter 902-932-7986#. For more information about Al-Anon visit www.al-anonmaritimes.ca or Al-Anon World Service Office at al-anon.org.