

Trinity Church ~ Nurturing Faith: Life-Long Learning

December 29, 2011 (8:42am)

Sunday Mornings, Spring & Fall, 2011 (10:45 am - 11:30 am): Life-Long Learning Sessions

Jan 1	Epiphany (transferred)	We honour Bob Marshall. There will be cake! <i>No Adult Learning.</i>
Jan 8	Baptism of Our Lord	Interesting Lives 1/4 - <i>Dee & Kitch Radke. We welcome Jamie Courtney to Trinity.</i>
Jan 15	Epiphany 2	Interesting Lives 2/4 - <i>Hollice & Betty Stock</i>
Jan 22	Epiphany 3	Ethics and Genetics (reprise) - <i>Matt Ramer</i>
Jan 29	Epiphany 4	Interesting Lives 3/4 - <i>Derek & Kim Schwartz</i>
Feb 5	Epiphany 5	Interesting Lives 4/4 - <i>Helen Toman</i>
Feb 12	Epiphany 6	Annual Congregational Meeting. <i>No Adult Learning.</i>
Feb 19	Transfiguration	There Will Be Cake! - Krista Durrer. <i>No Adult Learning.</i>
Feb 26	Lent 1	Invitation to Easter 1/6 - <i>Anne Anderson & André Lavergne</i>
Mar 4	Lent 2	Invitation to Easter 2/6 - <i>Anne Anderson & André Lavergne</i>
Mar 11	Lent 3/Daylight Savings	Seminary delegation visiting. Invitation to Easter 3/6 - <i>Anne Anderson & André Lavergne</i>
Mar 18	Lent 4	Invitation to Easter 4/6 - <i>Anne Anderson & André Lavergne</i>
Mar 25	Lent 5	Invitation to Easter 5/6 - <i>Anne Anderson & André Lavergne</i>
Apr 1	Palm Sunday	Invitation to Easter 6/6 - <i>Anne Anderson & André Lavergne</i>
Apr 8	Easter	TYGers' Easter Breakfast. <i>No Adult Learning.</i>
Apr 15	Easter 2	Five weeks in Pakistan (reprise) - <i>David & Nancy Butz</i>
Apr 22	Easter 3	What does Synod do? - <i>Riitta Hepomäki</i>
Apr 29	Easter 4	Faith Adventures Thank-You. <i>No Adult Learning.</i>
May 6	Easter 5	Symbols and Artwork in the Worship Space - <i>André Lavergne</i>
May 13	Easter 6/Mother's Day	<i>No Adult Learning.</i>
May 20	Easter 7/Victoria Day	<i>No Adult Learning.</i>
May 27	Pentecost	Faith Adventures Litterwalk
Jun 3	Holy Trinity	Faith Adventures Carnival
Jun 10	Pentecost 2	
Jun 17	Pentecost 3/Father's Day	Celebration of Church Music
Jun 24	Pentecost 4	

=== Summer Break ===

Sep 2	Pentecost 14/Labour Day	<i>No Adult Learning.</i>
Sep 9	Pentecost 15	Faith Adventures Backpack Sunday. Community Partners 1/5: Interfaith
Sep 16	Pentecost 16	Community Partners 2/5: Aldaview (Anne to confirm)
Sep 23	Pentecost 17	Community Partners 3/5: L'Arche (Anne to confirm)
Sep 30	Pentecost 18	Community Partners 4/5: A/A (Kathy to confirm)
Oct 7	Pentecost 19/Thanksgiving	There will be cake! - Tom Hinz. <i>No Adult Learning.</i>
Oct 14	Pentecost 20	Community Partners 5/5: CCAC (Kathy to confirm)
Oct 21	Pentecost 21	Appreciating Volunteers 1/4: Nithview (Anne to confirm)
Oct 28	Pentecost 22/Reformation	Confirmation Witness. Appreciating Volunteers 2/4: Fire Department (Kathy to confirm)
Nov 4	Pentecost 23/All Saints	Confirmation. <i>No Adult Learning.</i>
Nov 11	Pentecost 24	Possible veterans' cake. <i>No Adult Learning.</i>
Nov 18	Pentecost 25	Appreciating Volunteers 3/4: Out of the Cold (Anne to confirm)
Nov 25	Reign of Christ	Appreciating Volunteers 4/4: Ontario Gleaners (Anne to confirm)
Dec 2	Advent 1	Interesting Lives 1/3 - <i>Bob & Anne Thaler</i>
Dec 9	Advent 2	Interesting Lives 2/3 - <i>TBA</i>
Dec 16	Advent 3	Interesting Lives 3/3 - <i>TBA</i>
Dec 23	Advent 4	Faith Adventures Christmas Program

Confirmed: Sunday Mornings, Winter & Fall, 2012: Interesting Lives: My Life as a Christian

Trinity folks talk about how their faith is reflected in the living of their lives.

Confirmed: Sunday Mornings, Lent, 2012: Invitation to Easter

At Trinity, we do "welcome" and "hospitality" well! In this six-session series, we explore how the people of Trinity might best invite people to share our journey. We will screen 12 short videos prepared by the founder of the "Back-to-Church Sunday" movement.

Confirmed: Sunday Mornings, Fall, 2012: Community Partners

Presentations by a number of our community partners. Possible: Interfaith, Adlaview, L'Arche, A/A, CCAC, WFRC, Community Care Concepts, ROOF.

Confirmed: Sunday Mornings, Fall, 2012: Appreciating Volunteers

Presentations by various local groups who have volunteers as a major component of their operations. Speakers from groups including: Nithview, Wilmot Volunteer Fire Department, Out of the Cold shelters ("OOTC"), Ontario Gleaners, Community Care Concepts (CCC).

Contemplated: Evening Sessions, Spring, 2012: Faith in Film 11 ~ Community

We'll gather in Trinity's Bruce Hammer Theatre to explore a variety of takes on "community". Sherry Coman —writer, student of Hebrew, teacher of film & lover of the arts— leads our conversation. Dates and confirmation of theme, TBA.

Sunday Mornings - Ideas & Future Possibilities

1. Jeff Pym (Synod Stewardship Director) re Stewardship. Planned Giving. Big –E/S, ELCIC, Seminary...– picture.
2. The fabric of Our Community: Faith, Politics & People. Series with MP, MPP, Regional Council Chair, Mayor
3. Occasional conversations about the sermon.
4. Series: This I believe. Based on PBS and later CBC series with this title.
5. Series: The reality of a multi-faith world: "We celebrate Christmas / Easter.... What do you do?"
6. Series: Mosaic, Melting Pot or What? Secularization, Multiculturalism & Diversity. Impact on church & church's role in society.
7. Single session or series - Spirituality & Health Care - Possible: Stephen Gross, Rosalind Stroh, Peter Kuhnert
8. Denominational trends... growing churches... changing churches...charismatics
9. Seniors' opportunities around K-W
10. Speaker's Bureau at UW
11. Pharmacist.. Kim Ruthig... David from Sobey's Plaza...
12. Voisin on Township History
13. Visit by Debbie Lou & Inshallah

Evenings - Ideas & Future Possibilities

1. Pastors' Study: *Via Media*. Swap with St. Mark's Anglican LtQ for *Via Media*.
2. Book Study: *A People's History of Christianity* (Buttler-Bass) or *Have a Little Faith* (Albom) or *The Shack* (Young)
3. Pastors' Study: Greening the Church. National certification for ELCIC.
4. Faith & the arts: writer, music (Ludolph), visual arts (Mills), dance, movies (Coman), theatre (Hagen), church arts (Bosch), fabric arts (Comor)

Nurturing Faith Team (Adults)

The Nurturing Faith Team (Adults) is made up of Anne Anderson, Kathy Bender, Dorothea Butz, André Lavergne and Ray Merner.

Next Meeting

Tuesday, February 7, 2011, 8:00 am. **We'll continue to flesh-out our Fall, 2012 program.**