



Weekly Update from First – June 8/23

Join Us For Worship



Sunday,
June
11th
10:30am

Lauri Ladd will join us and lead the service.

Scripture Readings:
Matthew 9:9-13, 18-26

Family Time: "That's Not Right"

Message: "That's Really Not Right"

ALL ARE WELCOME

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The Whole Family is invited to join us for Worship Sunday mornings @ 10:30am!



We offer Church School!



We also have a Nursery available (supervised by our Youth!)

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Rev. Paul's 'drop in' hours at First are Mondays from 9:30am to 1:30pm (or by appointment 😊)



Rob & Carlene MacMenamin

Allan & Kim Hughson

Bill & Teresa Turvey

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CALLING ALL GRADUATES!

Whether you are graduating from Grade 8, Grade 12, college or university, we would like to share your accomplishments during our church service on Sunday, June 25th!



Please email Deb Kennington (kenningd@hotmail.com) or Austin Campbell, the Minister of Fun (austin@sharedministry.ca) to participate.

Please send two pictures - one when your grad was around 3-5 years old and the second being more recent. Along with photos, please include:

1. Your graduate's full name.
2. What school they are graduating from.
3. Your graduate's post-secondary plans (university, college, trade, working, deferring, etc.). Listing specific program is much appreciated.
4. If graduating from post-secondary, please include future plans (if known).



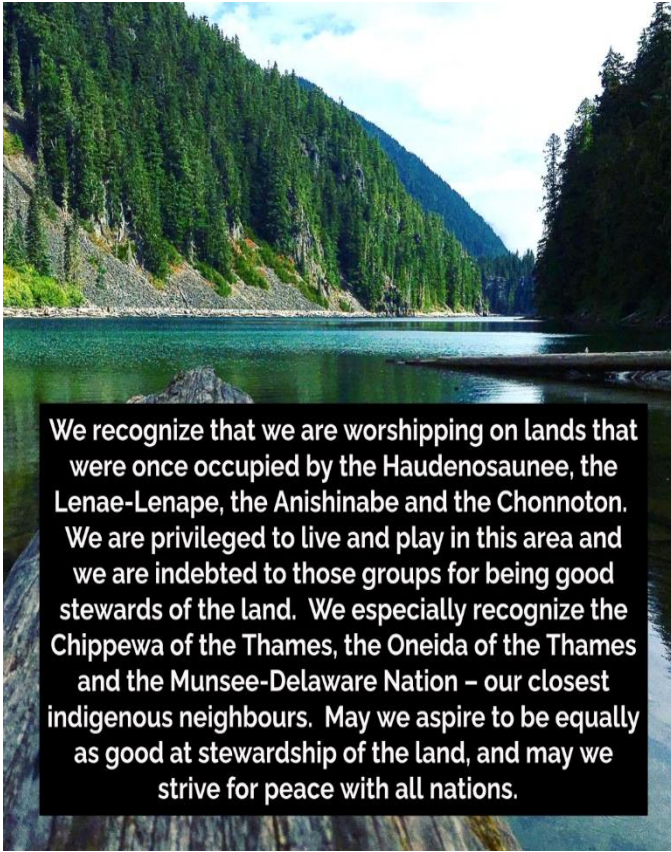
Please email Deb or Austin no later than
Saturday, June 10th.

Our church looks forward to celebrating with you!

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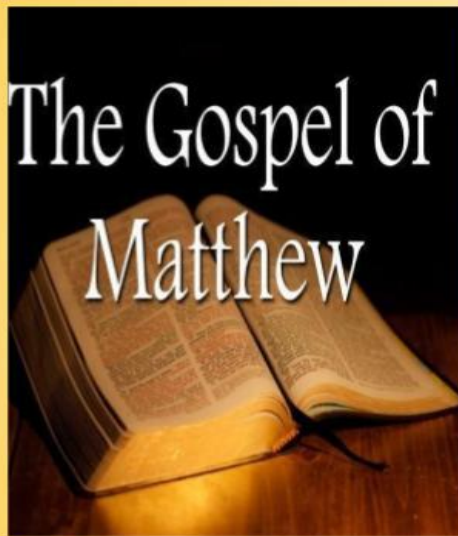
We recognize that we are worshipping on lands that were once occupied by the Haudenosaunee, the Lenae-Lenape, the Anishinabe and the Chonnoton. We are privileged to live and play in this area and we are indebted to those groups for being good stewards of the land. We especially recognize the Chippewa of the Thames, the Oneida of the Thames and the Munsee-Delaware Nation – our closest indigenous neighbours. May we aspire to be equally as good at stewardship of the land, and may we strive for peace with all nations.



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Midweek Bible Study – The Gospel of Matthew

Central invites everyone to join them (no need to sign up) at Pinafore Park (near the main Pavilion) on Wednesday afternoons at 1pm beginning May 17th!

Contact Kathryn Fletcher at 519-633-1902 or fletcherfamily@rogers.com for more information or for a Zoom link to the evening session.

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**The First Church
Worship Band**

Practices Thursday
Evenings at 7:30pm.
New Members welcome!

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WISHING YOU
A BRIGHT
— AND —
BEAUTIFUL
WEEK!

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**Our Friends at Central United Church are hosting a KIDZ KARNIVAL in August!!
Mark your Calendar!!**



Check out the Safety House!

**August 12TH 10 AM to 3PM
CENTRAL UNITED CHURCH
135 WELLINGTON ST**



**JOIN US FOR THIS FAMILY FRIENDLY EVENT
"BECAUSE COMMUNITY MATTERS"**

WHAT TO BRING!

- Hat or Sun Shade, Lawn Chair
- Water Bottle—Free Refills at Simply Pure Water
- Loonies or Toonies for Carnival Food /No Debit/Credit Machine available



WHAT'S HAPPENING!

- 10 AM - 3 PM "Free" Games to play and prize grab bags to be won! Ring a "Critter", Toilet Paper Toss, Bean Bag Throw, Fish Pond, Ring the Church Bell and more!
- 11 AM – 1 PM "Free" Face Painting by Dotsy's Krafty Kidz Station – "Let's get Crafty!"
- All Games & Activities are "Free"
- Music is happening too! Starting at Noon Ukulele Time, Kidz Karaoke with Austin, Camp Songs with Vicki, and a Sing-along with Martin!

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On Facebook: [firstunitedchurch](https://www.facebook.com/firstunitedchurch)

On Instagram: [@firstunited1834](https://www.instagram.com/firstunited1834)

On Twitter: [@FirstUnitedStT](https://twitter.com/FirstUnitedStT)

On YouTube: First United Church, St. Thomas

If you have an Upcoming Date / Event / Meeting you'd like included in the slides for our

weekly
ANNOUNCEMENTS

please have it to Lori at First (office@1stunitedchurch.ca)

by Wednesday at noon. Thank you!