



Keeping in Touch

May 10, 2017



The *Savouries & Song* World Food and Music Night was a great success with approximately 150 people in attendance. Over \$5300 was raised for the Flight to Hope 2.0 project through ticket sales, donations and the silent auction.

The energy in the room was warm and exciting; the music was wonderful and the food was delicious – overall a huge success.





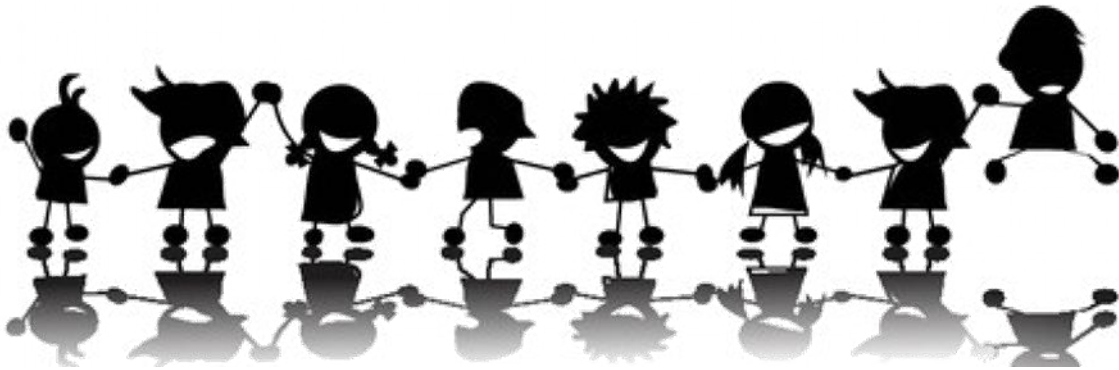


*We'd like to know what you think!

Your Christian Education Committee is planning some new children's programming and we would like your input...

please visit <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/SCVW6ZY>
to complete our quick survey.

Thanks so much!!



May 21st Service

Our May 21st service will be an all-ages event. Please join us at 9:15 am on that day as we work together in all-ages groups to have fun and prepare for the 10:30 service. Crafts, drama, snack preparation and music are some of the opportunities for you to join with the rest of the church family. No experience or expertise required.

Envelopes

The new giving envelopes for 2017/18 can be picked up in Ryerson Hall. If you would like to have envelopes, or would like to sign up for the PAR (pre-authorized remittance) Program, please call Cindy in the church office, 905-372-7911

Annual Report

All division chairs are asked to submit their end of year reports by Sunday, May 21 for inclusion in the 2016-17 Annual Report. Please email your submissions to Cindy at choffman@trinitycobourg.ca. Thank you for your attention to this important deadline. The annual general meeting will be held after church on Sunday, June 11.

Vacation Bible Camp 2017

Unfortunately, as we didn't receive enough registrations, we won't be able to offer the VBC programs this year.

Library News

Our thanks to Fred and Helen Love for their recent book donations to Trinity's library. These books will be on display in the Reynar Room for the next few weeks. Please check them out and enjoy reading!

Scholastic Trust

Scholastic Trust applications are now available on the bulletin board outside the church office for those students entering their first year of post-secondary education this fall. Successful applicants, or their parents or grandparents must be Trinity members. Should you have any questions please contact Caryn MacDiarmid, 905-268-8411 or carynmacdiarmid68@gmail.com.

Volunteers Needed

Kidstreet

Kidstreet is a summer program for children on Sunday mornings. If you can help by teaching for one or two Sundays, please speak to Kristiane. Curriculum is provided and this is a great opportunity to get to know some of our younger members in a relaxed, fun environment. Our first Kidstreet Sunday will be June 25.

Help Centre

The Help Centre is looking for volunteers to help with English as a Second Language classes at Trinity during the summer. Tutors are needed to help the teachers with adult learners and the children of some of those learners. Training is provided. We also need a few folks for child care for the younger children. Our classes are Monday to Thursday, from 10:30 am to 12 noon. Please call Nancy or Sarah at the Help Centre, 905-372-2646 or email nancy@thehelpcentre.ca or sarah@thehelpcentre.ca.

Greeters and Security People

A few additional evening greeters are needed to assist those using our facilities in the evening. You only need to take a turn a couple of nights every two months. In addition, we occasionally need someone to provide security when the church is rented after hours. This is paid for by the group renting our facilities. To assist in either position, call Lloyd Williams, 905-372-9763

Counting Collection

We are still in need of some volunteers to help count the collection this summer. We could use one or more for June, July and August. If you can't commit to doing it for an entire month, even a week or two would help. Please let Barb Dinnage know that you are available or leave your name with Cindy in the office."

Affirm Committee

The Affirm Committee is pleased to offer an evening with playwright Dave Clark, and a dramatic reading of excerpts from *To Shut the Mouths of Lions*. We will meet the McBride family as they come together for the holidays, and as they struggle with familial expectations, attitudes and secrets. Please join us in Ryerson Hall on Saturday June 3 at 7 pm for the reading, Q&A with Dave Clark, conversation and refreshments. For more information, call the office at 905-372-7911 or email cmcmurray@trinitycobourg.ca.

Ride to Church

For a ride to church in May, please call Norma Stoffers, 905-372-5706

