

Rideau Park Summer News

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Film Series: Tuesday evenings at 7:00 p.m. in July and August – “The Bible”: This miniseries offers 10 episodes that touch down on some of the major milestones in the biblical story, for an audience 15 years and older. Each gathering will offer a brief opening prayer and historical background, with some opportunity for discussion after the viewing. Each evening the presentation is self-contained, so come and join us when you can.

We have a lot of small preserving jars (250 ml.) on hand right now, available to anyone making jam for the Bazaar. Please call Mabel at 613-731-5865 to arrange to pick some up.

Camp Awesome: August 19-23, a day camp for kids 4 to 12 years, 10 am to 3 pm. **Registration is open again.** Contact the office or register online at www.rideaupark.ca.

Please help by putting aside these items for Camp Awesome crafts:

Recyclables - Toilet paper rolls, cereal boxes, newspapers, cardboard, etc. clean, empty 500 ml plastic bottles with lids and plastic cups; **Balloons** - any sizes/colours

Crayons - any amount of useable ones - need 12/child

Hairdryers (on loan of course) - 2-3

Leftover Fabric - preferably larger pieces

Picture and storybooks - that reflect good morals

These can be left in a large bin marked “Camp Awesome Crafts” at the top of stairs outside Beecroft.

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Healing Pathway: Throughout the summer, healing prayer will be offered on an as-needed basis. To book an appointment, please email healingpathway@rideaupark.ca, or speak to Sharon Sanderson or Brian Neal.

You can stay up to date with news and changes in “Eastern Ontario Outaouais Regional Council” by checking the website or even receive a newsletter in your email inbox. The website contains upcoming events and contact information for our Regional staff: www.eoorc.ca.

Rideau Park United Church



“ Our Spiritual Geography”

July 7, 14, 21 and 28, 2019

10:00 am

These bulletins will be re-used for the weeks of
July 7, 14, 21 and 28.
Please return them at the end of the service.

We gather together

Gathering Music

*Invocation

*Hymn:

*Prayer of Approach and Lord's Prayer

Responsive Psalm

A Time for all God's Children

Hymn Sing



We listen for God's word

Scripture Reading

Special Music

Scripture Reading

Sermon

*Hymn

Sunday, July 28, 2019

Rideau Park United Church—10:00 a.m. service

Hymns:

260 VU - God Who Gives to Life Its Goodness

92 MV - Like a Rock

679 VU— Let There Be Light

675 VU - Will Your Anchor Hold

Responsive Reading: Psalm 146, p. 868 VU

Lay Reader: Mary Harris

Scripture Readings:

Ezra 3:10-13

John 18:33-37

Sermon: Spiritual Geography 4: " Nation "
Elizabeth Bryce

Thank you to Leigha Robinson and her band for the ministry of music today.

It is an understanding and experience of God that goes over boundaries; the boundaries that once divided Creator from creation, the boundary that divided nature from the human community, the boundaries that divided human community and finally the boundary that divided God from humankind....
Humane localism, a way of life in our world that cherishes the distinctiveness of our particular traditions and cultures, while embracing the universal aspects of human community, and the larger quest for God and meaning.

Diana Butler Bass, *Grounded: Finding God in the World*

Coffee Hour Volunteers

July 7 Joann & Jon Roebuck
& family
Shailja Verma

July 14 Joann & John, Jessica,
Chelsea Roebuck

July 21 Christy Harris
Mary & Keith Harris
Janet Buske-Wichser

July 28 Bob & Margo Roden
Karin Ott & Bruce Dixon

Sunday Duty Officers

July 7 Sandra Graham

July 15 Kate Whiteridge

July 21 Sandra Graham

July 28 Susan Klimowicz

Counting Volunteers

July 8 cancelled

July 15 Bob Roden

July 22 John Durkee

July 29 Susan Vaughan

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We acknowledge with respect the history, spirituality, and culture of the indigenous peoples of Canada, and their stewardship of the unceded and unsundered Algonquin land where this church is built.

Rideau Park United Church seeks to be a welcoming faith community, inclusive of all, including those of different economic, ethnic, racial and religious backgrounds, sexual orientations and gender identities. We recently voted to be designated an Affirming Ministry, as defined by the United Church of Canada. Celebration: *September 29, 10:00 am service.*

Reminder: Please note that the services at Rideau Park are **live-streamed** on our website: www.rideaupark.ca *on Sunday mornings only*, and then they are posted mid-week under "Webcast Service Archives" for your enjoyment. Good to know if you're stuck at home due to illness, or bad weather, or out of town!

We respond with our gifts

Offering

*Offering Response: 541 VU

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God all creatures high and low;
Give thanks to God in love made known:
Creator, Word and Spirit, One.**

Prayers of Thanksgiving and Concern

The Life and Work of the Church

*Hymn

Benediction

The theme for this sermon series, "Spiritual Geography", was inspired by the research and writing of Diana Butler-Bass from her book *Grounded: Finding God in the World.*

July 7: Roots

July 14: Home

July 21: Neighborhood

July 28: Nation



Summer Film Series—**The Bible**

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Everyone welcome (film rated for 14 and up)