



News & Notes

April 21, 2024

Richmond Presbyterian Church

Deep with God, Wide with the World

Be sure to check out our webpage at www.richpres.com for more information about worship services or online programs and how we can share in your faith journey.

Educational Ministries

The Nursery Room is open with toys. Activity sheets are available. Children and teens are invited to join Faith Formation after Time with Young Christians in Room #2.



Sanctuary Mental Health Meetings are still open for new participants, **11.30am-1.00pm** in the Fireside Room. Light lunch is provided. All adults are invited to join.



upLift **Canada Youth Retreat** will take place at St. Catherine, Ontario on **July 3-7, 2024**. UpLift is a gathering of youth, young adult, and church leaders under the banner *Audacious Hope*. Cost \$625 includes accommodations, meals, and programming. If any youth or young adult is interested and has financial concerns, please talk to Nehemia. More information: <https://presbyterian.ca/canadian-ministries/lift-2024/>

We are still looking for volunteers for both *Faith Formation* and *Nursery*. Please contact Nehemia if you feel God calls you to do this ministry.



College and Careers Lunches – On the **4th Sunday of every month**, all university students and young people in 20s and 30s are invited for lunch and social time after the service at a local restaurant. For more information, please speak to Curtis.



Spring Bible Study - The Adventure of Mark - starting on Wednesday, **April 24th** and running until late June, we will be exploring the Gospel of Mark together every week on **Wednesdays either at 11 am or 7 pm**. If you're interested in attending or have any questions, please speak with Curtis.

Music Ministries

Join us for our **"RPC Chimes Choir & Friends Soirée"** on **Friday, May 3 at 7 PM!** Admission by donation. All proceeds will go towards rebuilding our church organ and purchasing our own set of choir chimes. This enjoyable evening will feature diverse **musical performances** 🎵, a **bake sale** 🍪, and a **Silent Auction**. Additionally, there will be **Munch & Mingle** fellowship with complimentary tea, coffee, and desserts.

Would you like to help? Consider donating items for the **Silent Auction**: event tickets, gift cards, valuable items, personal services, or unique experiences. Contact *Steve* or *Janet* with your ideas. Bring items **by the end of April** during office hours (Tues-Fri: 10am to 3pm), or on Sunday. Perishable items by **6 pm on May 3**. For the bake sale, bring your homemade (no nuts) baked goods (saran-wrapped or boxed) to the event.



WORKSHOP Jannie's next workshop, **Bach and the Church Year** on **Monday April 22 at 7PM** will be **postponed** to a later date. More details to follow soon.

Postlude Ponderings

1. How has God blessed you this week? What blessings in your life do you usually not notice or take for granted?
2. How can you share these blessings with someone in your life today?

The flowers this Sunday are donated by **Eleanor Tan** and symbolize her gratitude for God's faithfulness and answered prayers.



Facilitating in today's Service

Duty Elder: Janet N

Greeters: Eleanor T, Mary C

Lay Reader: Billy H

Faith Formation: Ronda, Y

Flower Donation: Eleanor T

Munch & Mingle Hosts: Marie B, Mary R, Margaret S

Counters: Yumin & Mark Y, Ronda M

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