

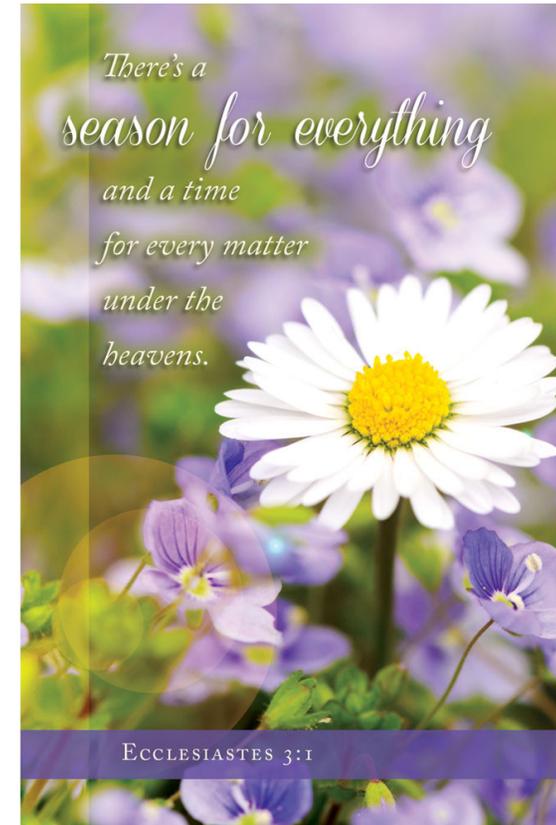
## Why is the Celebration and Memorial Fund so important?

A “fund” is a pool of money set aside for a specific purpose. At DPC, the Celebration and Memorial Fund, administered by the trustees, is used for capital expenditures at our church. It is a source of funding for planned projects such as the current church kitchen improvements or the future upgrading of the front entrance steps at the church. It is an important resource to have available for emergencies, i.e. the heating system fails or a major piece of equipment needs to be replaced. The trustees continually strive to wisely invest the monies in the fund.

The “Memorial” side of the fund is very important as your donation in remembrance of a loved one will have a lasting impact on our church’s long term sustainability.

Please also consider using the “Celebration” part of the fund to commemorate such happy occasions as anniversaries, birthdays, or other special events for a member of our church family.

Your consideration and support in using the Celebration and Memorial Fund for the benefit of our church and manse would be very much appreciated.



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Musical Prelude  
 Words of Welcome:  
 Birthdays or Anniversaries:  
 Announcements:  
 Call to Worship:  
 Blessing:  
 Praise and Worship:  
 Prayer of Adoration and Confession:  
 Confessional Moment:  
 Children's Time:  
 Children's Music:  
 Prayer for Guidance from the Holy Spirit:  
 Scripture Reading:  
 Sermon

The Lord's Prayer  
 God strengthens Elijah (1 Kings 19)  
 John 4: 34-38 (NIV)



Closing Prayer: "Lord in your mercy ... " & "Hear our prayers"  
 Offering: "Joyful, joyful" (verse 1)  
 Dedication: Prayer  
 Closing Hymn: "Take up your cross" DB 211, 1-2, 4-5  
 Benediction and verbal amen: Forward in Faith

**The Announcements**

**Welcome to today's service.** We invite all to join us following the service for a time of refreshment and fellowship in the hall downstairs.

**Trinity Group meets** this Tuesday, March 10 at 2 p.m. Roll call is to wear something green or St. Patrick's jewellery.

**A World Day of Prayer Service** will be held here next Friday, March 13 at 2 p.m. World Day of Prayer is a global movement started by women from Canada and the USA in 1926. 1927 was the first International World Day of Prayer. Each year, women from a different country prepare the service. This year, this country is Nigeria. World Day of Prayer encompasses 150 nations, 90 languages and about 1.5 million people.

**After almost 33 years as our church secretary,** Wendy McConnell has made the decision to retire. She will be done the weekend of Easter. If you or someone you know is interested in this position, please let speak to a member of the Board of Managers know or see Rev. Will.

**Trinity Anglican Church** is hosting its annual St. Patrick's Day Supper on Tuesday, March 17. It is a ham and scalloped potatoes meal with vegetables, salad, tea and coffee. Takeout is available from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. with the sit-down meal taking place at 6 p.m. Cost is \$20 per person and \$5.00 for children 12 and under. For tickets, contact Carol Sewell at 519-369-3226.

**Messy Church Day** at Camp Kintail is on Saturday May 23 from 9:30 am to 4 pm. This is a family day for all ages with chapel, crafts, games, great food and campfire. High ropes for ages 9 and over and Climbing Wall for ages 7 and older. \$17 for ages 3 and up, \$64 max/family. Please contact Brenda Calder for more information or to register: [baclder053@gmail.com](mailto:baclder053@gmail.com) or 519-323-7037.

**Speaking of Camp Kintail,** registration for summer camp is now open and spots are filling up quickly. The Christian Education and Congregational Life Committee is willing to help financially any child or young person wanting to attend. You can find more information at the website: [campkintail.ca](http://campkintail.ca)