

Announcements Sunday, November 21st, 2021

Hi there,

How do you see Christ as king? Is there a picture in your mind? What is Jesus' kingdom like and when does it start?

Welcome to Christ Church Oshawa! Today is Sunday November 21st, 2021. My name is Pastor Kit Greaves and the Incumbent of Christ Church. We're delighted to have you with us today! Pre-register for in person attendance on Sundays at 8 am or 10:30 am, by Fri noon by calling 905-728-8251 or through our website Christchurchoshawa.ca.

Christ Church is making Jesus known as we acknowledge the territory of the Mississauga's of Scugog Island First Nation, under Williams Treaty of 1923, present home of many First Nations, Metis and Inuit peoples. A Proof of Vaccination policy is in effect for volunteers, but no proof is necessary for guests. Check toronto.anglican.ca for more information.

If you have held back from shopping at the Thrift Shop, there's no reason to; there's a large supply of excellent inventory that is constantly being refreshed. Nancy and her team of volunteers offer a warm welcome. God is blessing this ministry as it grows. Don't miss out!

Instead of Angel Bags this year we will be collecting **Walmart gift card for the Gate** to give to their patrons for Christmas. Please purchase cards around the \$10.00 to \$20.00 price range. Donations can be put in an envelope and deposited in the collection plate or dropped off at the church by Sunday, December 12th. If anyone has any questions, please call Jo-Ann Thow @ 905-725-9524 or email at j_thow23@hotmail.com

The participant booklets for the **Advent Bible Study** have arrived. Rev. Catherine is excited to lead her first in person program here at Christ Church which starts on December 1st.

Numbers are limited so register soon by calling the church office 905-728-8251.

Save the date to attend **Live Nativity on Saturday December 4th from 1pm to 2pm**, here at Christ Church. If you are interested participating as an actor or facilitator, please call Dave Rabjohn, 289-688-0781.

We are happy to announce that Rev. Catherine will be leading **“Story Time with Grammy Catherine”, Saturday December 11th at 10:30 am, in Another’s Treasure Thrift Shop**. This is a free family story time, and a safe, child-friendly event while you browse the shop. For more information contact the church at office@christchurchoshawa.ca

Dorothy Kitch-Churchill is once again selling Poinsettias to raise funds for the Mary Street Milk Program. Please ordered your 6” Red Poinsettia by contacting Dorothy at 905-571-0175 or the church office 905-728-8251. The Poinsettia cost \$10 each with \$3 from each sale to be donated to the Mary Street Milk Program.

We will be delivering **Christmas Dinner** as we did last year on **Christmas Eve between 10 am to 2pm** to those who register by phoning or emailing the church office by Dec 17th. If you would like to help with the outreach project, please call Nancy Cudmore 905-706-9655 or Fran Thompson 905-723-7060.

For more information, resources, archived sermons, ways to engage with those in need, and to donate to Christ Church online or by e-transfer from your phone, head to our website christchurchoshawa.ca.

Helping us worship this morning: Jane Havens, Lynn Odyński, our clergy, the Worship Band, and our production team. Feel to share, subscribe, or comment, we love to hear from you.

Here at Church, please stand as you are able, for our opening prayer. At home, we invite you to join in with responses on the screen.

Let’s take a deep breath as we gather for worship.