#### Our Week at a Glance - November 3, 2024

The flowers today are in loving memory of her Mother, Ruby Hume, by Anne Margaret Hume Windle.

#### THIS WEEK AT TSA:

Mon. Nov. 4 Shop Donations, 9-2

Turkey Dinner Preparation – Kitchen, 9-5

Youth Worship Band – office, 6:30

**Tues. Nov. 5** Turkey Dinner Preparation – Kitchen, 9-5

UCW - MRR, 1:00

Wed. Nov. 6 Shop Donations, 9-2

Bible Study – MRR, 11:00

Mat Group/Crafty Ladies - SH, 1:00

Thurs. Nov. 7 Shop Open, 12-6

Choir – Sanctuary, 7:00

Sat. Nov. 9 Shop Open, 10-2

Mon. Nov. 11 Remembrance Day – Office closed

<u>Today's Guest Speaker</u>: We welcome the Rev. Matt Gallinger as our guest speaker. Matt has been working as a United Church minister for over 20 years. His first charge was Admaston, Northcote and Haley Station, and he lived only a few blocks from this church. Matt, with his Youth Group, has actually slept overnight in this building more than once. After leaving Renfrew, Matt has been working at various different churches in and around Ottawa, and spent some time at a community chaplaincy, as well. Matt is currently the minister at Carleton Memorial United Church, near the Hog's Back falls in Ottawa, and will be moving to Merivale Fallowfield Pastoral Charge on January 1. Matt has a blended family with a total of 7 kids, which is part of why he is so tired all the time.

<u>From the Membership Committee</u>: Our photo wall needs an update to reflect the many new faces in our congregation. We would like everyone to submit a photo to the office by Nov 30 for inclusion in the "Realm"

programme and to add to our photo wall. The MPCF committee will print and add or replace the current ones. New photos can be "selfies" of one or two people. If you do not have one to submit, please see Margo Aubert to arrange a time after the service to have your photo taken.

<u>Coffee Sign-up Sheet</u>: The sign-up sheets for November & December are in the Narthex. Anyone interested in volunteering for fellowship coffee is welcome to sign their names to the schedule.

<u>Upper Room</u>: The November/December Upper Rooms are now available in the Office. The cost is \$2/copy.

# TSA Fall financial update

### Operating:

The financial update for the end of Sept 2024 compared to 2023.

2024 Income \$190,059.56, Expenses \$242,035.29,

Net -\$51,975.73

2023 Income \$183,439.62, Expenses \$228,111.18,

Net -\$44,671.56

Thank you for your continued financial support for TSA and its mission and outreach. Please also consider an adjustment for inflation in your offerings. Please note that PAR is available for those wishing to use it for their offerings. For more information on this contact the office.

## Stewardship: TSA outreach and support

Plant Sale \$4,200 (proceeds for Camp Lau Ren), Camp Lau Ren Sunday collection \$1,606, Sunshine Coach \$1,075, Camping Sunday \$1,860, Providing community lunches once per month, Rainbow Service Support Grant \$5,000 and activity, Thrift shop which gives 10% of total revenues to the community, (yearly total revenues exceed \$100,000), UCC Mission and services \$12,826.

Still to be done this fall, Foodgrains and White Gift Sunday fund raising.