

The Week of Sunday, July 23rd

SUNDAY

9:15am Friendship Bible - Chapel
10:15am Nursery - M6/7
10:30am Worship – Sanctuary
10:45am Multi-age Group – M5

MONDAY

CHURCH CLOSED

TUESDAY

CHURCH CLOSED

WEDNESDAY

CHURCH CLOSED

THURSDAY

CHURCH CLOSED

FRIDAY

CHURCH CLOSED

SATURDAY

9:30am Godly Play Training – M5
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**THE CHURCH WILL BE CLOSED THE
WEEK OF JULY 24-28 TO ALL
GROUPS FOR CLEANING**

USHERS: Team 5 - Lynn Dolmage, Jane Craig, Larry & Sally Murray, Andrew Domashus, Barb Bassett, Nancy Clark, Murray & Carol Minshall.

AV SUPPORT: Peter Eddy

HEARING ASSISTS are available from an Usher.

DO NOT PARK your vehicle in the marked pathway between designated accessibility parking spots.

CHAPEL, located on the 2nd floor, is open for daily prayer and meditation.

MEMBERSHIP – Anyone interested in church membership is encouraged to speak with Rev. William Haughton.

Rev. William Haughton - Coordinating Minister whaughton@collierunited.ca

Rev. Hewitt T. Holmes – Minister - Learning and Growing in Faith
hholmes@collierunited.ca

Rev. Dr. Donald Jay - Minister Emeritus & Voluntary Associate Minister

Sarah Svendsen - Music Director ssvendsen@collierunited.ca

Vickie McMillan - Office Administrator officeadmin@collierunited.ca

Valerie Samson – Bookkeeper accounting@collierunited.ca

STAY CONNECTED

...TODAY

Write PRAYER REQUESTS on a care card and place in the offering plate.

Our balcony seating will be closed during worship for the months of July and August. We hope worshippers will appreciate the cooler air on the main level, and the chance to sit closer together.

Rev. William Haughton will be on holiday from July 24-August 20th.

...AS WE WORSHIP GOD

Date	Reading/Theme	Speaker
July 30 th	Reading the Bible II	Hewitt Holmes
Aug. 6 th		

BIBLE STUDY –**Sunday, July 30th, 2017**, Hewitt will be doing our third Bible Study entitled: Reading the Bible Today-Part II. Feel free to look over the following scriptures which will be read during worship: Matthew 24:35, Joshua 25:14, Habakkuk 2:4; Psalm 1, 2 Corinthians 5:17; Acts 8-12, Ephesians 1:22-23; 1 Timothy 6:15. You are welcome to bring your Bible, Ipad or notebook with a pen for this study. Hewitt will be using the book, The Heart of Christianity by Marcus Borg as a reference.

Interested in READING SCRIPTURE during worship? Contact William Haughton.

ORGAN SCHOLAR Emily Morrison is an established pianist and music teacher from Alliston, where she is part of the music leadership team at St. John's United Church. Emily will be spending the summer with us while studying service playing from the perspective of the organist with Music Director, Sarah Svendsen. Similar to an intern, Emily will learn through observance as well as by occasionally playing various liturgical pieces of the services. We are excited to welcome Emily to our congregation for the summer!

...AS WE LEARN & GROW IN FAITH

We offer NURSERY CARE and a full program for CHILDREN & YOUTH up to grade 12. Nursery care is available beginning at 10:00 a.m. The other children & youth leave for their program after the *Gathering with the Children*. Visitors are most welcome. Sign-in is required for Nursery & Junior classes. Leaders will help you find your way to your group. After worship, children grade 5 and under can be signed out in room M5, grades 6 and up can meet their family in the church hall.

GODLY PLAY TRAINING – An introduction to Collier’s Kids (Sunday school) new *Godly Play* curriculum will be on **Saturday, July 29 from 9:30 – 4:00 p.m.** in M5. Our guest presenter is Rev. Amy Crawford from the General Council, United Church of Canada

L.I.F.E. (Living in Faith Everyday) groups meet Tuesdays at 9:45am continuously throughout the year & Thursdays at 7:00am at Deb’s Place September to the end of June. All newcomers are welcome to join the group at any time. Please contact Leona at 726-1884. The topic for this week is “Honour”.

Physical Exercise is good but of limited value, Godliness is very dear, a pledge of life, both there and here. (1 Timothy 4:8). So we spend some time with God and the Scriptures each day this week:

Monday, July 24– Acts 25

Tuesday, July 25 – Acts 26

Wednesday, July 26 – Acts 27:1-26

Thursday, July 27 – Acts 27:27-44

Friday, July 28 – Acts 28

Saturday, July 29 – Romans 1

COLLIER’S KIDS VOLUNTEER – Do you have an interest in supporting or teaching Collier’s Kids? If you do, please speak with Hewitt ASAP as there is a need for your time and talents for September 10, 2017.

See bulletin next week for COLLIER’S KIDS new group names for September 10, 2017 start!!!!

REGISTRATION FOR COLLIER’S KIDS – SUNDAY SCHOOL for the September 2017 season will be open in August, keep an eye on the bulletin for more details.

SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL VOLUNTEERS – Needed for **July & August**. We need two people per Sunday – one to teach and one helper. Please speak with Hewitt today or as soon as possible.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED – We are in need of two volunteers (male **and** female) to work with our youth program. The volunteers will work with Hewitt. If you wish to help, please speak with Hewitt by phone 705-726-1511 or email at hholmes@collierunited.ca.

...AS WE FORM COMMUNITY TOGETHER

Please hold in your prayers the following (at their request): Melanie Moffat, Rid & Agnes Groves, Jim Lamont, Louise Hamilton, Joyce Johns & Carol Duckworth.

AMICAE FUNDRAISER Amicae Unit is holding a fundraiser for fall bulbs and we need your help to make it successful. There will be an Amicae member at a table in the foyer after church on Sunday with catalogues and order forms. The deadline for orders is September 6th. Please spread the word and PLAN NOW for spring beauty in your garden.

Capital Campaign Kick-off Event

We’re kicking off with a Congregational Pot-Luck Supper on Friday September 22 at 6 pm Put the date in your calendar – more details to follow!

Don’t forget BRADFORD GREENHOUSE FUNDRAISER. Just let them know at the cash register that you are collecting points for Collier Street United Church. The program runs until **Sunday, October 15th**.

The Official Board Meeting draft minutes for June 2017 are now available on the notice board outside M5 and will also be posted on our website.

...AS WE SHARE THE GOOD NEWS

SIGN UP FOR COLLIER’S EMAIL NEWSLETTER We are now sending occasional newsletter emails to congregants (weekly or bi-weekly) with Collier news, events and updates. If you’d like to receive these emails you can either call the office to give them your email address, or go to the website - you can sign up right on the homepage under "Subscribe to our newsletter".

COLLIER’S SUMMER HOURS

RECEPTION

Monday to Thursday 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

CHURCH OFFICE

Monday to Thursday: 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Doors are locked between 1:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m.

Staff may be reached by phone after 1:00 p.m. until 5:00 p.m.

Closed July 24th to July 29th

BUILDING

Monday to Friday: 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Monday to Friday: 6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

Saturday: 9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Sunday: 8:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

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