

The Week of Sunday, September 2nd, 2018

SUNDAY

10:15am Nursery - M6/7
10:30am Worship – Sanctuary

MONDAY

CLOSED

TUESDAY

9:45am New L.I.F.E Group – U15
12:00pm AA Founder's Group – L7
1:00pm Simcoe Songsters – M2
6:00pm
7:00pm GA Serenity Group – L4
7:30pm AA Tuesday – L7

WEDNESDAY

12:00pm AA Pass it on - L7
12:00pm AI Anon – L2, L3
6:30pm Amicae - Lounge
7:00pm Gam Anon – L4
8:00pm AA Fellowship Grp – L7

THURSDAY

7:00am Women's L.I.F.E. Group at
Debb's Place, Huronia Rd.
9:00am Recreational Respite – L10
9:30am Women's Bible Study– U12
12:00pm AA Founder's Group – L7
6:00pm Rainbows - Foyer
6:00pm Guides - Hall
7:00pm AA New Freedom – L4

FRIDAY

12:00pm AA Pass it on – L7
8:00pm CA Freedom – L7

SATURDAY

9:30am Meeting – L2
9:00am Table Tennis – L7, L8
10:00am GA Saturday – L4

SUNDAY

10:15am Nursery - M6/7
10:30am Worship – Sanctuary
7:00pm Huronia - Hall

STAFF INFO

Friday is Hewitt's scheduled day off

Bryon will be away on holidays Sept. 7th & Sept. 19-21.

Rev. Hewitt T. Holmes – Minister of Worship, Congregational Care and
Leadership hholmes@collierunited.ca

Rev. Dr. Donald Jay - Minister Emeritus & Voluntary Associate Minister
Vickie McMillan Office Administrator - officeadmin@collierunited.ca

Valerie Samson Bookkeeper – accounting@collierunited.ca

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USHERS: Team 4- Derryl Johnston, Ruth & Dave Wainwright, Laurie Crosson,
Tom & Bev Stockdale, Ria Won, Peter Eddy, Cathy & Reg Battaglia

AV SUPPORT: David Karwacki

HEARING ASSISTS are available from an Usher.

SCRIPTURE READERS needed for worship? Contact Hewitt or Joyce Moore.

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

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

PARKING is available in the underground building next to the Lawyers office,
on the streets and in the Church parking lot. WE kindly ask you NOT TO PARK
your vehicle in the marked pathway between designated accessibility parking
spots. Thank you!

STAY CONNECTED...TODAY

WELCOME to worship at Collier. We are happy to have you with us. Feel
free to worship the Holy One in Spirit and Truth.

FELLOWSHIP TIME – will resume Sept. 9th. If you would like to help
please speak with Barb or Carol

GUEST PIANIST – Today, we welcome Marg Warnica.

...AS WE WORSHIP GOD

THEME FOR SEPTEMBER: "Community"

Sept. 9 th	Psalms 146	Hewitt Holmes
Sept. 16 th	Psalms 116:1-9	Hewitt Holmes

...AS WE LEARN & GROW IN FAITH

COLLIER'S KIDS

- **Summer holiday** ends September 2.
- **Fall program** begins September 9. If you are over 15 and would like to
be a greeter for Godly Play, please speak to Hewitt soon. Thank you!

10+ HANG OUTS

- The dates for the fall are **September 14 & 28** and **October 12 &
26, November 09 & 23** and **December 14 & 28**.
- We are in need of a coordinator for these events. If you would like
to assist with the hang outs, please speak with Hewitt. Thank you!

**WOMEN OF FAITH CHRISTIAN BOOK STUDY & DISCUSSION
GROUP** – Thursday mornings upstairs in the Lounge from 9:30am –
11:30am. We start back on **September 6th**. All are welcome!

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
"Humanity Sunday."

PRAYER SHAWL will be starting on **September 11th at 9:30am** in the
Lounge. We will meet every second week. If you knit or crochet please
come and see what we about. All are welcome!

DAILY READING - *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:

Mon., Sep. 3 – 1 Cor. 14:1-20

Tues., Sep. 4 – 1 Cor. 14:21-40

Wed. Sep. 5 – 1 Cor. 15:1-28

Thurs., Sep. 6 – 1 Cor. 15:29-58

Fri., Sep. 7 – 1 Cor. 16

Sat., Sep. 8 – 2 Cor. 1

SENIOR CHOIR - resumes rehearsals on Thursday the 6th at 7pm in the choir room/Sanctuary.

AMICAE UCW – Sept. 5 - 7:00pm. Please join us for our first meeting after the summer break. It will be fun to catch up with everyone and to hear how we all spent our time cooling off during this very hot summer! We'll also plan and prepare for our upcoming monthly meetings & note of the special fundraising functions that will be held in 2018/2019. New members are always welcome and we urge all to bring a friend. Guaranteed laughter, friendship, fellowship and food are always on the agenda. For more information, please contact Susan Storing @ 705-737-5436

SESSION MEETING – Monday, Sept. 10 at 7pm.

UNITY UCW – Monday, Sept. 17 at 1:30pm. This meeting is to determine if it is realistic to continue as a separate unite. Even to meet in the casual manner we attempted in the past year requires a degree of organization and leadership which has become increasingly difficult. It is hope that all who can attend, and those who cannot be present but would like to express their opinions or suggestions, are asked to contact Ethel 705-252-2812 or Jan 705-728-5499

SENIOR LUNCHEON, Wednesday, September 19th will be our next Fellowship Luncheon. Tickets are \$13. The speaker will be BEN KENT. Ben is part of a Collier 5th generation family. He is a recent University Graduate and he will speak on and show pictures of his recent trip to Swaziland in Africa working with the Commonwealth Games Association. We look forward to having him with us as we begin our Srs. Luncheon once again. Tickets will be available on Sunday the 9th & 16th. Please mark your calendars and bring your friends so we have a good welcoming group to start the fall program.

...AS WE FORM COMMUNITY TOGETHER

CHURCH MEMBERSHIP – Anyone interested in becoming a member of Collier Street United Church, please speak with Hewitt. We want to welcome you to our Church family.

PRAYER REQUESTS - Please hold in your prayers the following (at their request): Melanie Moffat, Rid & Agnes Groves, Jim Lamont, Louise Hamilton, Carol Duckworth, Albert Naylor, & Ruby Johnston.

OFFICIAL BOARD MINUTES - The latest Official Board minutes are available to read on the notice board opposite Reception as well as on the Collier website. The last meeting was **June 26, 2018.**

JESUS WALK - Do you play the piano? Are you looking for something to do on Monday evenings? Jesus Walk is looking for a new PIANIST to play for us on **Monday evenings.** If the Lord is calling you to help out please all, or text Sharon Moir at 705-817-4046 or email me at sharonmoir95@gmail.com

FACILITY RENTALS - We have the following facilities available for rent to support the needs of the community: -*Church Hall, -Sanctuary, Meeting Rooms, Office Space.* Available hourly, daily, weekly or monthly. Contact Vickie as indicated above.

THANK YOU to Bev Smith for the donation of a new dishwasher to the upstairs kitchen.

SHARE THE GOOD NEWS

COLLIER REFUGEE SPONSORSHIP – Today we welcome Enas and her three children to Collier Street United Church. The family continues to adjust to the time change and looks forward to beginning their new life here. More information about the family and photos can be found in the Foyer on the Collier Refugee Sponsorship Display Board. Arrangements are being made to enroll the children in school and to organize housing. There will be specific items that are needed. If you wish to help by donating, please see the list posted in the Foyer after church. Robin: robin_milani@yahoo.ca & Carol: carolwarnica@gmail.com

COLLIER'S EMAIL NEWSLETTER We are now sending occasional newsletter emails to congregants (weekly or bi-weekly) with Collier news, events and updates. We encourage you to sign up 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".

INCOME & EXPENSES FOR COLLIER ending June 30, 2018

	Budget	Actual
Income		
Envelope Givings	104,760	85,485
*PAR	49,470	42,988
Open Plate	3,395	2,881
Church Dinners & Lenten Lunches	1,100	(2,048)
Other	53,250	80,612
Sub Total	211,975	209,918
Expenses	231,144	271,176
Local Operating Balance as of June 30	(19,169)	(61,258)

Thank you for your financial support for the first half of the year. Please be reminded that *PAR: Pre-Authorized Remittance (Automatic Bank Withdrawal) is an available option which can be started, changed or cancelled at any time.

- Monica McArthur, Treasurer