

Jan's Journal



Tuesday, September 30th is The National Day For Truth and Reconciliation, also known as “Orange Shirt Day.” You are invited to wear an orange shirt---or something else orange—to worship this Sunday. We will recognise this special day in the worship service.

Thank you to everyone who has donated to the “Financial Challenge Fund.” Your generosity is very much appreciated! There was an article in the online publication The Burlington Gazette, which was posted on Monday. The Stewardship Team has written a letter of appeal which has been sent to politicians and local institutions with an appeal for assistance. The letter was forwarded to The Aldershot High Alumni Group on Facebook. Some generous donations from members of the group have been received. We very much appreciate the support of that community!

There also has been a team formed to work on grant applications. There are two grants offered through TUCC and one grant offered through Halton Region, which we feel are appropriate to our cause.

For the past two weeks, an excerpt from a **Theology of Place** and **A Song of Faith**, have been printed on an insert in the Bulletin. Each week, the colour of the paper they are printed on changes. This is designed to help you ensure that you are up to date on your reading and reflecting! The Community Hub Ad Hoc Team is hoping that you will take the pages home and spend some time reflecting on the ideas presented and on the questions that pertain to those ideas. You are encouraged to discuss these ideas and questions with family, friends, colleagues on ministry teams at the church, etc. Next Sunday, October 5th, you are invited to join in conversation about the first three reflections and the accompanying questions, during the time for refreshments and fellowship following worship. As the Ad Hoc Community Hub Team explores the possibilities for future ministry in the Aldershot community, your thoughts are very valuable.

Thank you to the Support Group, Robert Terry, and Kevin Burnison for all that they did to make the Celebration of Life service for Connie Irving a memorable occasion for all who attended.

As always, I am available to discuss any of the information written in this “Journal.”

You can reach me at: revjanmcc@gmail.com or on my cell phone: 905-630-8202.

Blessings,

Pastor Jan