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Sunday, May 24, 2026

Coffee Hour: Please join our hostess, *Sue*, after the service, in the church hall, for a hot cup of coffee or tea, and some tasty treats.

An A-Choired Afternoon: Join us this afternoon, **Sunday, May 24th at 3 pm** for an afternoon of incredible music provided by local community and church choirs. A free will offering will be taken with all proceeds going to Multifaith Housing Initiative.

Contemplative Prayer/Meditation: Our meetings have begun and we invite you to join us **at 11:00am in the Counting/Prayer Room** (i.e. the room next to the office), **after our Wednesday Morning Prayer service.** This group is open to everyone, members and non-members of St. Thomas.

Next to New Clothing Sale: The A.C.W.'s next sale will be on **Friday, May 29th from 1 pm until 5 pm and Saturday, May 30th from 9 am until 1 pm.** We look forward to having you join us.

ACW Spring luncheon: The A.C.W. Ladies Luncheon will be held on **Monday, June 1st at 12 noon at The Mandarin in Kanata.** All ladies of the Parish are invited to attend. The large buffet is \$26.99 with 20% discount off for Seniors. **RSVP by Sunday, May 31st**—please, sign the sheet in the Narthex. For more information, contact Diane Clement, ACW President, at 613-825-6223 or email her at bill.di@sympatico.ca. If you require transportation, this can also be arranged for you ahead of time.

Prayer and a Pint: Our next meeting will be on **Thursday 4 June at 7:15 pm in the Council Room.** Dave Hazen will be leading a study prepared by Richard Rohr entitled "Falling Upwards." Please call William Passmore(613 836 2876) or Dave Hazen (613-831-3093).

Annual Cemetery Service: The annual cemetery service will take place on **Sunday, June 14th, 2026 @ 11:00 am at the St. Thomas Cemetery.** Please bring a lawn

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chair. In case of inclement weather the service will be held in St. Thomas Church 1619 Stittsville Main St.

Volunteers to Cut the Grass: We are in need of help for groundskeeping. Please consider signing the sheet at the back of the church to assist with grass cutting. For more information, you can speak with Bill Deevy or email him at d.warden.stthomasstittsville@gmail.com with your questions.

Garden Help is Needed: Do you have a green thumb? Do you enjoy a beautiful garden or seeing the fruits of your labour grow? We have just the thing for you! Our garden has been lovingly tended to by Pam Hazen for years. Last year she retired and Jane Walsh took care of things over the summer. This year, she is once again looking for help. Our gardens will not remain beautiful without a team of individual's working with Jane. If you are interested in helping, or you have questions, please email her at jpwalsh@rogers.com.