



Greetings from First United Church



Families are invited to attend our family worship service **Sunday Mornings at 10:15** in the Assembly Hall at First. We will be following all Co-vid guidelines and parents & kids must wear a mask. We are planning to have a lesson/scripture, video/activity, and a craft each week.

Please RSVP by emailing Karen Auckland at 27Swifty@gmail.com or to answer any questions you may have.



Online Sundays at 10:30am!

We continue to offer the Worship Service Virtually at 10:30am for our own First family, as well as friends from Central United!

This is a great opportunity to connect with your faith community and our friends from other United Churches in St. Thomas!

Link to join is:

<https://meet.google.com/pjg-zbez-nax>

Easter Concert

Sunday, April 11 at 10:30am during Sunday Morning Worship

with music from First, Central & St. Andrew's Westminster United Church in London.



Happy birthday to:

Bev Fellows, Sharron

Ripple, Bert Donaldson, Diane Irwin, Betty Lou Donaldson, Gene Whiteman.



Happy Anniversary to:

Ruby & Hank Dodson





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We continue with
"Coffee & Conversation" Time
Monday Mornings at 10:30am

As part of our conversation about the Healing Church we take a look at the old practice of Spiritual Direction in this story telling video. We discover the ancient practice of Spiritual Direction and the practice that is ours today too! It is an easy watch, easy to follow, explores different religious forms of direction, and is probably the least intellectual but most evocative of our videos this year! In this video we wonder, "How do we connect with and find bodily expression in our Spiritual life.

I won't be able to make coffee and conversation this week as I have a funeral to attend to. However, share what stands out for you and how Spiritual Direction might be reclaimed in our church's ministry!

Coffee Cheers,
Daryl

Link for the Video:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=a12F-dudWOU>

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Youth Group at First United
has been postponed until
further notice



**It's almost Mother's Day
and we need your help!**



**We'd like you to participate in
celebrating our mother's – whether here
or gone.**

**Each person who would like to
participate (all welcome – kids and
adults) will be given a random letter
from a certain phrase (which will be a
surprise until the Mother's Day Service
on May 9th).**

**Then we'd like you to create this letter
by drawing it on a piece of paper (be
creative and make it fun and colourful),
printing the letter off the computer,
finding one of these letters in your home
– anything.**

**Then take a picture of yourself holding
the letter you were given and email the
picture to Erin Chute
at erinchute@hotmail.com.**

**Please email Erin as soon as possible if
you'd like to participate. Submissions
will need to be in by Friday, May 7th at
the very latest.**