

FOR THE WEEK OF MARCH 13 - MARCH 20, 2022

Our Church building is open in a limited capacity due to COVID-19. We have now begun holding in-person Sunday services (limited numbers) that are also being streamed to our [Youtube channel](#) and on [Facebook](#). We also have a number of virtual meetings and events taking place during the week. See below for all the details.

[Like and Subscribe to us on YouTube](#) so you don't miss one of our livestreams!

Contact Alanna at info@arlingtonwoods.ca if you would like to receive our Weekly Update Email to stay informed of important things happening in our church community.

You can download our bulletin in PDF form at the bottom of this page.

THIS SUNDAY

For Sunday, March 13th, 2022:

9:30-9:50AM- **PRE-SERVICE PRAYER ON ZOOM**: All are welcome every Sunday morning for pre-service prayer! Email info@arlingtonwoods.ca for the login link.

10AM- **ARLINGTON WOODS CHURCH SERVICE - IN-PERSON & ONLINE**: Join us this Sunday, March 13, 2022 at 10am for our service (**Time change starts today!**)! This week, Pastor Mike will be continuing our Lent series, "I AM the Last Word" by exploring what Jesus meant when he called himself "the gate" in John 10.

To connect to our livestream service, [click here](#).

For more information on what in-person services look like visit arlingtonwoods.ca/covid19 (registration is no longer required!).

KIDZONE is our Sunday morning kids program for kids grades JK-6. For more information, please visit <https://arlingtonwoods.ca/kids.php>

Follow along to the Sunday Message with our YouVersion Notes! [Click here to view the notes for this Sunday!](#)

If you missed the message from last Sunday, [view the livestream service here](#)

MONDAY

7:00-9:00PM- **POTTER'S SMALL GROUP ON ZOOM**, meets every Monday, open to all, currently studying "Daniel - Spiritual living in a secular world", a Lifeguide bible study by Douglas Connelly. New members welcome!

7:00-8:00PM- **VIRTUAL PRAYER MEETING ON ZOOM**, special focus on Canada and our leaders, email info@arlingtonwoods.ca for the login link.

7:00-9:00PM- **WIDOWS' SUPPORT GROUP**, bi-weekly on zoom. Please email groups@arlingtonwoods.ca for more information.

TUESDAY

9:30-11:00AM- **VAN DYK SMALL GROUP ON ZOOM**, is studying Paul's first letter to Timothy. New members are welcome!

7:00-8:30PM- **VIRTUAL PRAYER MEETING ON ZOOM**, special focus on Young Adults, email info@arlingtonwoods.ca for the login link.

WEDNESDAY

9:30-11:00AM- **WOMEN'S SMALL GROUP ON ZOOM**, studying "The Sermon on the Mount" by John Stott. All ladies welcome!

THURSDAY

7:00-9:00PM- **MCCLUNG SMALL GROUP ON ZOOM**, currently studying the book of Romans.

7:00-8:00PM- **VIRTUAL PRAYER MEETING ON ZOOM**, special focus on Pastors and church leaders, email info@arlingtonwoods.ca for the login link.

FRIDAY

6:30-7:00PM- **CATALYST YOUTH** drop-in time and worship band practice in the Creekside Room.

7:00-9:00PM- **CATALYST YOUTH** (for teens grades 6-12) is meeting in the Creekside Room! Each week features fun group games, worship, a Bible-based talk, discussion, and a chance to connect with each other. Parents can pick-up their kids from the Creekside parking lot door. For more info visit www.arlingtonwoods.ca/teens.

SATURDAY

No events scheduled!

NEXT SUNDAY

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COMING EVENTS

1. JOY – On March 17th @ 1:30pm JOY (Just Older Youth) is back! This is a fun free event for **ALL AGES**. Featuring the Macdonald Highland Dancers (with an Irish jig) perfect for March break and St. Patrick's Day! Feel free to bring your family 😊

2. Lent – This week begins the season of Lent. Have you ever wondered what that means? This year, for each week of Lent we will have different devotional activities (10-15 mins) that will answer questions, help us to grow and is open to all ages. [Click here](#) to check out our new page for Lent/Easter!

3. White Pine Cafe – Our Cafe will be open Thursdays 1-4pm and Mondays 8:30-11:30am (the Café will not be open during March Break), serving Equator fair trade coffee and tea! Invite a friend and stop in for a cup:) We have a new Cafe webpage! [Click here](#) for more information about our cafe :) If you are interested in volunteering at our café, please email cafe@arlingtonwoods.ca.

CHURCH NEWS & INFORMATION

1. Kids Easter Eggs - If you can donate wrapped chocolate for Easter egg goodie bags, please email Pastor Ben (ben@arlingtonwoods.ca) or drop them off at the Church Office.

2. Donations Update - Due to the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic, tithing and building campaign donations by cash or cheque received at the church will now be processed by the tellers in the middle and at the end of the month, until further notice. Individuals can still tithe or donate by Pre-Authorized Auto Debit, ONLINE or by CREDIT CARD by going to the church website <https://arlingtonwoods.ca/donate>. Thank you for your continued financial support. If you have any questions, please contact the Head Teller at giving@arlingtonwoods.ca.

3. Small Groups - Would you like to join a small group at Arlington Woods? Do you have questions about what groups are offered? Please contact groups@arlingtonwoods.ca!

4. FAMSAC Donations - We so appreciate all that FAMSAC does for our community! They are in need of certain items, especially due not being able to collect items during COVID. Therefore,

we are bringing back our FAMSAC Bin! It is located in the Coat Room (in the Foyer). We are thankful for your contributions!

Items needed: School snacks (fruit cups//juice boxes/no nut granola bars), Canned tomatoes, Cookies, Can Fruit, Condiments (eg. Ketchup/mustard/mayo), Canned Ham, Canned Chicken, Juice (family size)

COMMUNITY NEWS & EVEN

1. Respond Ottawa - Many local agencies (foodbanks, community houses, inner-city missions) are running low on essential items due to the effect of the pandemic on their normal collection abilities. The number of requests has actually more than doubled in the last 2 weeks! We need some key volunteers: **Volunteer Drivers:** We need 4 drivers who can give 4 hours each per week; **Volunteer Sorters:** We need 5 sorters who can give 3-5 hours a week. **If you can volunteer please contact our new coordinator - Melissa ([email](#)) [Learn all about the Ottawa Giving Project](#).**

2. Friends For Dinner - Welcome an International Student into your home for dinner this Easter! [Click here](#) for more information.