



## FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 22 - JANUARY 29, 2023

We invite you to join us in-person on Sunday mornings. We also stream our services on our [Youtube channel](#).

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

There are many virtual meetings and events taking place during the week. See below for all the details.

Contact the Church Office at [info@arlingtonwoods.ca](mailto: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.

If you would like to give to **support Arlington Woods Church**, you can do so at <https://arlingtonwoods.ca/donate.php>.

If you are new to our church we would love to get to know you! Filling out our **online welcome card** really helps us learn your name and connect you into our church community! <https://arlingtonwoods.ca/welcome.php>.

Watch **this week's kids' video content** at <https://arlingtonwoods.ca/kids.php>. There are videos for kids of all ages that include worship, drama, and fun animation.

**Small groups** are an important part of our church community life. Check out our list of small groups that have started this Fall at <https://arlingtonwoods.ca/smallgroups.php>.

## FRIDAY

**6:30-9:00PM Friday, Jan. 20 - CATALYST YOUTH**, (grades 6-12) is meeting in the Creekside Room. Drop in between 6:30-7pm to hang out and play on some of our games tables or challenge a friend to a board game. CATALYST then runs from 7-9pm featuring fun games, worship music, a Bible-based talk, and a chance to connect in groups. Email [ben@arlingtonwoods.ca](mailto:ben@arlingtonwoods.ca) for more information.

## SATURDAY

No events scheduled.

## THIS SUNDAY

### For Sunday, January 22, 2022:

**9:00-9:30AM - WHITE PINE CAFÉ OPEN:** Our Café will be open before and after the service. For details visit <https://arlingtonwoods.ca/cafe>. If you are interested in volunteering at or baking for our café, please email [cafe@arlingtonwoods.ca](mailto:cafe@arlingtonwoods.ca).

**9:30-9:50AM - PRE-SERVICE PRAYER IN PERSON & ON ZOOM:** All are welcome every Sunday morning for pre-service prayer! Check your weekly church emails for the ZOOM link or join us in person in the Prayer Room.

## **10AM - ARLINGTON WOODS CHURCH SERVICE - IN PERSON & ON ZOOM:**

### **Fresh Start: What Does Your Soul Need?**

Having regular, consistent, 'connecting' times with God is a challenge, isn't it? This Sunday Pastor Grant is going to speak to this challenge and why it is crucial to overcome it. Join us at 10:00AM in-person or online to look deeper into what your soul really needs.

Note that the nursery will **NOT** be staffed this Sunday.

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

[Click here](#) to check out our FAQ on in-person services.

KIDZONE is our Sunday morning kids program for kids grades JK-6. [Click here](#) for more information.

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**

**9:00-11:30AM - WHITE PINE CAFÉ:** The café will be open Mondays at 9 am, serving fair trade, organic Equator coffee and teas as well as homemade baking! Invite a friend and stop in for a hot cup :) or a cold drink. For details, visit <https://arlingtonwoods.ca/cafe>. If you are interested in volunteering at or baking for our café, please email [cafe@arlingtonwoods.ca](mailto:cafe@arlingtonwoods.ca).

**9:00-11:00AM - POP (Parents of Preschoolers) -** We invite you to attend POP with your preschoolers and help our church connect with our community. Visit <https://arlingtonwoods.ca/pop> for details and to register.

**7:00-8:00PM - VIRTUAL PRAYER MEETING ON ZOOM**, special focus on Canada and our leaders. Check your weekly church emails for the ZOOM link.

## TUESDAY

**7:00-8:30PM - VIRTUAL PRAYER MEETING ON ZOOM**, special focus on Church and Community needs. Check your weekly church emails for the ZOOM link.

## WEDNESDAY

No events scheduled.

## THURSDAY

**9:00AM-11:30AM - WHITE PINE CAFÉ OPEN:** Our Café will be open Thursdays at 9 am, serving fair trade, organic Equator coffee and teas as well as homemade baking! Invite a friend and stop in for a hot cup:) or a cold drink. For details, visit <https://arlingtonwoods.ca/cafe>. If you are interested in volunteering at or baking for our café, please email [cafe@arlingtonwoods.ca](mailto:cafe@arlingtonwoods.ca).

**7:00-8:00PM - VIRTUAL PRAYER MEETING ON ZOOM**, special focus on Pastors and church leaders, Check your weekly church emails for the ZOOM link.

## FRIDAY

**7:00-10:00PM Friday, Jan. 27 - SLIDE JAM**, The youth will be participating in Slide Jam in Kanata on January 27th from 7-10PM.

## SATURDAY

No events scheduled.

## NEXT SUNDAY

### For Sunday, January 29th, 2023:

**9:30-9:50AM - PRE-SERVICE PRAYER IN PERSON & ON ZOOM:** All are welcome every Sunday morning for pre-service prayer! Check your weekly church emails for the ZOOM link or join us in person in the Prayer Room.

**10AM - ARLINGTON WOODS CHURCH SERVICE - IN-PERSON & ONLINE:** Join us this Sunday at 10am for our Service!

Note that the nursery will be staffed this Sunday.

## COMING EVENTS

**1. Christmas Eve Offering for Harmony House** - We are so excited to share that together we raised \$1,154.21 from our Christmas Eve offering for Harmony House Women's Shelter! The pastoral staff just want to take the time to thank you for your generosity and appreciate you donating to this amazing organization.

**2. An Invitation From the FMCiC National Prayer Team** - The FMCiC senses the Lord is stirring up a spirit of prayer in us and we do not want to neglect this gift. So, you are invited to join us for 12-noon, Eastern Time, 6-days -a-week (Monday to Saturday), prayer meetings, until the end of January. The format will be to read a Scripture verse that inspires prayer, a brief comment about it, some things to pray for our movement, and then praying for the FMCiC till 12:30pm. (The meetings will start at 12 noon ET, but the Zoom room will be open about 15 minutes beforehand). These prayer meetings are open to anyone who would like to join in prayer for the FMCiC.

Join Zoom Meeting: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83398497735>

Meeting ID: 833 9849 7735

**3. Widows Prayer Group** - The Widows Support Group provides a place to meet others who have lost their spouse and others who understand your loss, provides support to others who are feeling isolated and alone, and provides an opportunity to meet new friends. For more information, contact Jean Gordon by email or by phone (819-360-3398). Please note that the next meeting for the widows prayer group will be on Tuesday January 24th. Following this meeting the following meetings will take place on the last Tuesday each month.

**4. Slide Jam** - The youth will be participating in Slide Jam on January 27th from 7-10PM. If you're in youth join us for some freestyle sledding, challenges and an after-party with goodies, hot chocolate and games! Deadline for sign up is Friday January 20th. Click [HERE](#) for more information and the permission form.

**5. Canal Skate** - Saturday February 4th at 10AM meet us at 1785 Colonel By Drive by the Bronson Ave. canal entrance for a fun morning of skating and beaver tails with your church family.

**6. Membership** - The next Membership Sunday will be Sunday, February 5. If you are interested in becoming a member at Arlington Woods Church, please email Pastor Mike at [mike@arlingtonwoods.ca](mailto:mike@arlingtonwoods.ca) before **January 15**.

**7. Discovery Lunch** - The next Discovery Luncheon will be Sunday, February 5. If you are interested in joining us, please register [HERE](#) before **January 29**.

**8. AWC Men's Retreat** - There will be a men's ministry retreat from Friday February 10-Sunday February 12. Click [HERE](#) to get more information and register online.

**9. Coldest Night of the Year** - This is a family-friendly walk to raise money for charities serving people experiencing homelessness, hurt, and hunger. **This year's walk takes place on February 25, 2023.** Our

Arlington Woods Church team will be walking to raise money for Capital City Mission and Jericho Road. Click [HERE](#) to get more information..

**10. Staffed Nursery** - The nursery will be staffed on the following Sundays: Jan. 29, Feb. 5, Feb. 12, Feb. 26, Mar. 5, Mar. 19, Mar. 26. For more details visit [www.arlingtonwoods.ca/kids](http://www.arlingtonwoods.ca/kids).

**11. Deeper Roots for Teens (grade 7+)** – This monthly Sunday small group for teens will meet in the Creekside Room on these Sundays: Feb. 26, Mar. 19, Apr. 16, May 14, and June

18. Email [christinev@arlingtonwoods.ca](mailto:christinev@arlingtonwoods.ca) for details.

## CHURCH NEWS & INFORMATION

**1. 2022 Tax Receipts** - To ensure we have your correct mailing address for 2022 Tax Receipts please notify the church office at [info@arlingtonwoods.ca](mailto:info@arlingtonwoods.ca) ASAP.

Thank you

Head Teller.

**2. AWC Men's Ministry** - If you would like to be added to the Men's Ministry email list, please email [mensministry@arlingtonwoods.ca](mailto:mensministry@arlingtonwoods.ca).

**3. Small Groups - Small groups** are an important part of our church community life. Check out our list of weekly small groups at <https://arlingtonwoods.ca/smallgroups.php>.

**4. White Pine Café New Part-Time Position** - There is a **new Café Manager part-time position!** Click [HERE](#) for details.



**5. Membership** - The next Membership Sunday will be Sunday, February 5. If you are interested in becoming a member at Arlington Woods Church, please email Pastor Mike at [mike@arlingtonwoods.ca](mailto:mike@arlingtonwoods.ca) before **January 15**.

**6. Tithes and Offerings** - Visit the church website <https://arlingtonwoods.ca/donate> for Online, Credit Card or Pre-Authorized Auto Debit options **or** visit the Welcome Centre in person for a Pre-Authorized Auto Debit brochure and form. Thank you for your continued financial support. If you have any questions, please contact the Head Teller at [giving@arlingtonwoods.ca](mailto:giving@arlingtonwoods.ca).

**7. Hymnals** - Feel free to take home a hymnal or two from the Welcome Desk.

**8. Daily Bread Devotional Guides** - Copies of the Daily Bread devotional guides for December-January-February are available at the Welcome Desk. If you can't be at church in person but would like a copy of Daily Bread, please email [info@arlingtonwoods.ca](mailto:info@arlingtonwoods.ca) with your mailing address.

## COMMUNITY NEWS & EVENTS

**1. Respond Ottawa** - Many local agencies (foodbanks, community houses, inner-city missions) are running low on essential items and the number of requests has actually grown significantly. To help your local food bank, please connect with them first and find out what their current needs are! Click [here](#) for a list of food banks in the Ottawa area.

**2. FAMSAC Donations** - Please bring your food bank donations to the FAMSAC bin in our church lobby. We are happy to support FAMSAC financially on a quarterly basis, but regularly being able to donate food items is also very important to their sustainability.



**Items most needed:** Canned goods (specifically these ones: green and yellow beans, corn, tomatoes, pasta, chicken, fruit), fruit cups for lunches, jam, cooking oil, sugar, flour.

**3. Trend Arlington Winter Carnival** Get ready for the annual Trend Arlington Winter Carnival on Saturday January 21st. There will be music, wagon rides, skating, indoor entertainment, food and snacks! Stay tuned to [THIS](#) webpage for more details.