



FOR THE WEEK OF APRIL 9 - APRIL 16, 2023

If you haven't liked us on [Facebook](#) and [Instagram](#) be sure to do so! We have a lot going on in our church family and we're continually updating these pages with info and images about our church life.

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

Contact the Church Office at info@arlingtonwoods.ca if you would like to receive our **Weekly Email Blast** to stay informed on the life of our church.

To **donate** to Arlington Woods Church, go to <https://arlingtonwoods.ca/donate.php>.

Are you new? by filling out our **online welcome card** we are able to connect you to our church community! <https://arlingtonwoods.ca/welcome.php>.

Watch **Kidzone weekly videos** at <https://arlingtonwoods.ca/kids.php>. These include worship, drama and animation for kids of all ages.

Small groups are an important part of our church community life. Click [HERE](#) to find a list of our current small groups.

FRIDAY

For Friday, April 7, 2023, Good Friday:

9:30-9:50 a.m. - PRE-SERVICE PRAYER IN PERSON & ON ZOOM: All are welcome on Good Friday for pre-service prayer! Check your weekly church emails for the ZOOM link or join us in person in the Prayer Room.

10:00 a.m. - ARLINGTON WOODS CHURCH SERVICE - IN PERSON & ON ZOOM: Join us this Friday at 10 a.m. for our **Good Friday Service!** Please note that the Good Friday service is a family service, and there will **NOT** be nursery or KIDZONE. There will be some coloring/activity sheets available for the kids

IN REMEMBRANCE OF JESUS: We want to welcome you to our Good Friday service. This year we will be putting ourselves into the shoes of the disciples and Jesus' family just after He died. This service is "In Remembrance of Jesus."

We will be taking part in communion on Good Friday. If you are joining us online please make sure you have bread or a cracker and juice ready.

Follow the Good Friday Message with YouVersion [Click to view the notes for this Friday!](#)

2:00-9:45PM Friday, APRIL 7 - CATALYST YOUTH, (grades 6-12) Today our youth are joining with hundreds of other teens to participate in **NO OTHER NAME!** Drop off is at Cedarview Alliance Church (2784 Cedarview Rd. Nepean). Email ben@arlingtonwoods.ca for more information.

SATURDAY

No events scheduled!

THIS SUNDAY

For Sunday, April 9, 2023, Easter Sunday:

9:00-9:30 a.m. - WHITE PINE CAFÉ OPEN: Our Café is open before and after services. For details visit <https://arlingtonwoods.ca/cafe>. Interested in volunteering at or baking for our café? Email cafe@arlingtonwoods.ca.

9:00-9:45 a.m. - EASTER BREAKFAST: Join us for a continental breakfast in the Evergreen Hall.

9:30AM (Don't be late!) - EASTER EGG HUNT: The kids can join us for an Easter Egg Hunt in the KIDZONE area.

9:30-9:50 a.m. - PRE-SERVICE PRAYER IN PERSON & ON ZOOM: All are welcome every Sunday morning for pre-service prayer in Prayer Room or by zoom link through email.

10 a.m. - ARLINGTON WOODS CHURCH SERVICE - IN PERSON & ON ZOOM:

THERE IS LIFE IN JESUS:

This Sunday we are excited to celebrate the story of Easter which is about the ultimate triumph over evil, where God demonstrates his victory over death. It's the ultimate story of love and forgiveness. Come and celebrate the hope of the resurrection with us.

The nursery will be staffed and KIDZONE will be happening.

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

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

KIDZONE JK-6 kids program on Sunday mornings. [Click](#) for more information.

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

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

MONDAY

WHITE PINE CAFÉ: Please note that the White Pine Café will be closed today due to the Easter holiday. Visit <https://arlingtonwoods.ca/cafe>.

POP (Parents of Preschoolers) - Please note that there will not be POP today due to the Easter holiday. We look forward to seeing you next week! Visit <https://arlingtonwoods.ca/pop> for details and to register.

7:00-8:00 p.m. - 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

9:00-11:30 a.m. - 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 or relax alone. Visit <https://arlingtonwoods.ca/cafe>. Interested in volunteering at or baking for our café? Email cafe@arlingtonwoods.ca.

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

FRIDAY

6:30 - 9:00PM - IGNITE, a Prayer and Worship Summit, Arlington Woods is going to be hosting Ignite on April 14! We would love for you to be a part of this great evening starting at 6:30PM. Click [HERE](#) for more information and to register.

CATALYST YOUTH (grades 6-12) Please note that tonight Catalyst Youth will not be meeting. Instead, we're encouraging the youth to attend the Ignite event!

SATURDAY

No events scheduled.

NEXT SUNDAY

For Sunday, April 16, 2023:

9:00-9:30 a.m. - WHITE PINE CAFÉ OPEN: Our Café will be open before and after the service. For details visit <https://arlingtonwoods.ca/cafe>. Interested in volunteering at or baking for our café? Email cafe@arlingtonwoods.ca.

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10:00 a.m. - ARLINGTON WOODS CHURCH SERVICE - IN-PERSON & ONLINE: Join us this Sunday at 10 a.m. for our Service!

We will be welcoming a special guest speaker: Dr. Isaac Gimba.

The nursery will be staffed. The Deeper Roots teens (gr. 7+) will meet in the Creekside Room when the kids go down for KIDZONE.

COMING EVENTS

- 1. No Other Name** Attention parents of teens and teens, registration is now open for No Other Name! No Other Name will be taking place on April 7 (Good Friday). Click [HERE](#) for more information.
- 2. Good Friday and Easter** We're looking forward to our Good Friday and Easter services. For more details on our various Easter programs click [HERE](#).
- 3. IGNITE, a Prayer and Worship Summit** Arlington Woods is going to be hosting Ignite on April 14! We would love for you to be a part of this great evening starting at 6:30PM. Click [HERE](#) for more information and to register.

4. Church Parking Lot Clean Up Join us on April 29 at 8 am to clean up the parking lot for the upcoming Bike Rodeo. Bring your rakes, brooms and wheelbarrows! The parking lot clean up will take place rain or shine.

5. CONNECT: Young Adults Lunch Join us on April 30th from 12-2:30pm. Contact Pastor Ben (ben@arlingtonwoods.ca) for more info or to RSVP.

6. Spring Hikes Join us for some casual hiking at the Bruce Pit Sunday April 30 & May 28 after church at 11:50AM. Click [HERE](#) to link to the meeting spot map.

7. Annual General Meeting Join us on Monday, May 8 at 7:00PM as we talk about 2022 and meet afterwards for **PIE!** Click [HERE](#) to view a copy of the annual report online or there are paper copies available at the welcome desk.

8. Bike Rodeo Mark your calendar for our 11th annual community Bike Rodeo taking place on Saturday, May 13 from 11 am to 3 pm. For more information, visit <https://arlingtonwoods.ca/bikerodeo.php>. Email ben@arlingtonwoods.ca if you would like to join the Bike Rodeo volunteer team.

9. Ushindi Africa Children's Choir Save the date! We're looking forward to hosting the Ushindi Africa Children's Choir on June 3 at 6:00PM. This is sure to be a memorable concert for all ages! The choir will also be joining us on Sunday morning (June 4) as well for a portion of the service. More details will follow.

10. Springarama 2023 Springarama is taking place June 2-3 this year. Join with women from various Free Methodist Churches at Wesley Acres as they speak about the heart of worship. Visit the welcome desk to pick up a brochure with more information.

11. Staffed Nursery The nursery will be staffed on the following Sundays: Apr. 9, Apr. 16, Apr. 23, May 7, May 14, and May 28. For more details visit. www.arlingtonwoods.ca/kids.

12. Deeper Roots for Teens (grade 7+) This monthly Sunday small group for teens will meet in the Creekside Room on these Sundays: Apr. 16, May 14, and June 18. Email christinev@arlingtonwoods.ca for details.

CHURCH NEWS & INFORMATION

1. AWC Men's Ministry - If you would like to be added to the Men's Ministry email list, please email mensministry@arlingtonwoods.ca.

2. Small Groups are an important part of our church community life. Click [HERE](#) to find a list of our current small groups.

3. Widows Support 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). The meetings take place on the last Tuesday each month.

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

5. Membership If you are interested in becoming a member at Arlington Woods Church, please email Pastor Mike at mike@arlingtonwoods.ca

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.

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 March-April-May 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 with your mailing address.

COMMUNITY NEWS & EVENTS

1. TACA Clean Up - Trend Arlington Community Association (TACA) is hosting their annual cleanup on April 29, click [HERE](#) for more information.

2. Brooke Nicholls - Brooke Nicholls is coming to Kemptville Sunday, May 14 at 7:00PM to celebrate the release of her newest book 'Faithful Then, Faithful

Now' with an acoustic night of song and stories. Brooke and her husband will lead worship and some of her own original songs, as well as share testimonies of God's faithfulness from their lives and stories from the book. You won't want to miss this event on **Mother's Day!** Click [HERE](#) for more information.

3. Camp Iawah Open House - If you have a kid or teen heading to Camp IAWAH this summer you won't want to miss this! Meet at Camp IAWAH Saturday, May 20 10:30am-3:30pm for a tour of the camp and BBQ lunch at 12:30PM . Be sure to RSVP at iawah.com

4. Respond Ottawa - Many local agencies (foodbanks, community houses, inner-city missions) are running low on essential items and the number of requests has grown significantly. Click [here](#) for a list of food banks in the Ottawa area to contact.

5. FAMSAC Donations - Please bring your food bank donations to the FAMSAC bin in our church lobby. Regular donations are vital to their sustainability.

Most needed items: Peanut Butter, chickpeas, jam, cereal, rice (900g), flour and cooking oil.