

Central Queens Pastoral Charge
United Church of Canada
April 10, 2022 – 10:30 am

Palm Sunday

Central Queens' Mission Statement

Central Queens United Church is a loving and living community called to support the life stages of all people; celebrating joy and sharing in pain. Through faith and fellowship, we are united by God's love to live and serve as Disciples of Christ.

Gathering for Worship

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Birthdays & Special Occasions

Lighting of the Christ Candle

Quiet Preparation for Worship

Lenten Litany

Will you follow Jesus with this final rock into death?
Will you follow Jesus to the cross and witness death?
Will you witness the oppression, pain and suffering that led Jesus to this place?
Will you bear witness to the oppression, pain and suffering of our own world?

The fifth rock is placed

The rock will not be moved.
May God's spirit walk with us.

*Introit Don't Be Afraid MV #90

Introduction

Dialogue

Scripture Reading - John 12:12-13a

the next day the crowd that had come to the festival heard that Jesus was coming to Jerusalem. So they took branches of palm trees and went out to meet him, shouting:

Hosanna! Blessed is the One who comes in the name of our God. Peace in heaven! Hosanna in the highest heaven!

*Hymn Hosanna, Loud Hosanna VU #123

Passing the Peace

As we are greeting the coming Messiah, let us also greet one another with the peace of Christ. Peace be with you.

And also with you.

Opening Litany

The Messiah, our hope for the future; the one who will set us free.

Come, Messiah, come!

The Messiah, the one who will overturn oppressive rulers and colonial powers.

Come, Messiah, come!

The Messiah, who shares our pain, who understands and comforts.

Come, Messiah, come!

The Messiah, who wipes all tears away and ushers in the peaceable Kin-dom.

Come, Messiah, come!

Scripture Reading – Matthew 21:1-8, 10-11

Hymn like a child VU #366

Dialogue

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A Warm Welcome to All – We are delighted you've joined us. May God's word today strengthen your faith, inspire curiosity and learning, and motivate your service of others. All are welcome.

Today's Bulletins are placed in loving memory of Martha Carver. Lovingly remembered by Walter & Pat Carver and family.

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Easter Services –
Good Friday – April 15th at 10:30 am
Sunrise Service – April 17th at 6:30 am
Easter Service with Communion – April 17th at 10:30 am

Life and Work of Our Church

Greg's Office Hours: Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 9 am – 12 pm. If anyone is in the hospital or would like a visit from Greg, please call him at 902-964-2291. If you wish to meet with Greg outside the scheduled hours, please call 902-964-2291 or email minister@cquc.ca for an appointment.

In-Church Services: At the recent meeting of the Official Board, it has been decided that registration is no longer required. Masks are still required.

Official Board Meeting – The Official Board will be meeting on Sunday, April 24th, following the worship service. The agenda item will be COVID protocols. All are welcome to attend.

E-Transfers – Central Queens United Church is set up to accept E-Transfers. If you wish to give your offerings through E-Transfer, please send via email to veldabertram@gmail.com.

Rosewood Services are held the third Thursday of every month. Greg will be leading the service on Thursday, April 21st, at 2 pm.

Scent-Free – *"No scents makes good sense."* Recognizing that some of our church attendees have sensitivity and/or allergic reactions to various fragrant products. Thank you for your cooperation so that everyone can attend our church.

FundScrip – The next order date will be Sunday, April 17th. You can reach Janet Howes by email (jhowes1969@gmail.com) or by phone or text (902-393-1527). E-transfers accepted.

Pop Can Pull Tabs – Remember your pull tabs!! George Mason is collecting pop can pull tabs when are then given to the Daughters of the Nile women's organization. The funds go to the Shriners Hospital in Montreal where they are used to buy reading materials for children in the hospital. Your can tab collections can be dropped off here at the church. Thank you.

Weekly Bulletins can be sponsored by you in celebration or remembrance of a loved one. There is a signup sheet on the table at the back of the sanctuary. Cost is \$20.00.

Community News

Rescheduled - Central Queens Funeral Co-Op Annual Meeting – The Central Queens Funeral Co-op Annual Meeting has been rescheduled to Saturday, April 23, 2022, at the funeral home, 2538 Glasgow Road. Open House from 1:00 - 2:00 p.m. Meeting to begin at 2:00 p.m. Everyone welcome. 902-964-2886.

Spring Park United Church will be holding a yard sale on Saturday, April 30th, from 8:30 am – 12 pm (65 Kirkwood Dr, Charlottetown). Proceeds for the life and work of the Church.

Fiddlers' Sons at Park Royal United Church – Award winning Prince Edward Island folk music group, Fiddlers' Sons, will play at Park Royal United Church (11 Christie Dr, Charlottetown) on Sunday afternoon, May 1st, from 2 – 4 pm. The band features storyteller, author and three-time Music PEI Male Vocalist of the Year, Eddy Quinn; singer, songwriter and guitarist, John B. Webste; and multi-instrumentalist, vocalist and step-dancer, Keelin Wedge. Together the group plays a mix of Island music at its best with lots of toe-tapping tunes, local stories, heartfelt ballads and a few laughs for good measure. For this special concert, they will feature some music from their acclaimed recordings, as well as some traditional selections. Eddy Quinn will also feature some stories from his recently released book *Island Characters Volume 2*. Books and CDs will be available for sale from the performers. **Admission is \$20, payable at the door.** For more information, please call the Church Office at 902-894-9656.

