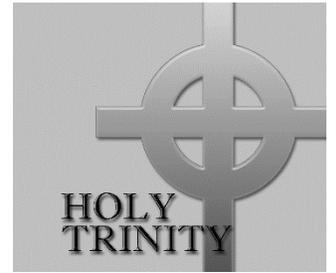


Holy Trinity Anglican Church  
189 Main St. P.O. Box 539  
Lucan, ON N0M 2J0  
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**Dear parishioners, friends and family of Holy Trinity Parish Lucan,**

To our newest members we send a special welcome into our faithful community and want to include you and all members in this communication.

Parishioners, these are unprecedented and challenging times for us all. As your wardens, we wanted to update you on the financial status of our parish.

At the moment, our status is stable - thanks in large part to the generosity of parishioners, the contributions of Rev. Matt and the hard work of our treasurer, Calvin Charbonneau. However, as you can imagine, without weekly services and collections on Sunday - our revenue has dropped dramatically.

While our income has decreased, our expenses have continued, and we will reach a point where we can no longer meet our monthly expenses.

Even though we cannot meet as a congregation, which we all miss dearly, we are asking you to consider your continued giving to our parish.

Our priest, Rev. Matt, continues to do excellent work in the community. Ministering to those in need, especially during this difficult time. He has also thought outside of the box and is doing online worship services on Sundays, as well as prayers and motivation over Facebook. He has offered frequently, and is available, over phone if you need his support at 519-694-6564 or e-mail at [revmattmartin@gmail.com](mailto:revmattmartin@gmail.com).

Holy Trinity has been standing tall and strong since 1908, and we have weathered many storms. We hope - together - we can weather this one as well, and come out the other side with a renewed energy, faith and connection.

We understand that some of you may not be able to contribute due to a fixed income. Please know we understand that, and would never ask anyone to jeopardize their lifestyle in order to donate to the church.

If you are able, there are a variety of ways to give. If you have any questions, Shelley and Linda are available to assist with any of these options:

### 1. Pre-authorized giving

You can begin pre-authorized giving (PAG). To those already on PAG, thank you! At times like this, we realize how important PAG is. For those not yet on PAG, please prayerfully consider this as a way to make your offering to Holy Trinity by completing one of the attached forms (to be withdrawn from either your bank account or credit card). Or by calling Beth Smith (519-227-4905), who can assist with filling out the form. You can scan and email as an attachment to [holytrinitylucan@gmail.com](mailto:holytrinitylucan@gmail.com), drop it in the mail, or if you prefer, or we can also arrange to pick it up from you (from a safe distance, of course).

### 2. Mail in cheque

You can mail your offering (cheque only) to: Holy Trinity Anglican Church, P.O. Box 538, 189 Main St. Lucan, ON N0M 2J0. You may want to double check with the post office to ensure there are no changes to their services. At this time, they are running with shortened hours.

### 3. Pick up your offering

We will be happy to have someone pick up your offering, from a safe distance. Please contact the church office and leave a message (519-227-1740) and someone will get back to you.

### 4. Use the Diocese of Huron website

Using [diohuron.org](http://diohuron.org) – scroll down and click the “Donate to your Parish” button, which takes to you “Donate to Canadian Charities” website. From there you can search for our church name and donate through them. The link is also available on our website. Tax receipts for this option are generated by the website and will be emailed to you.

We thank you so much for considering this request to keep our church alive while we wait patiently to return to the comfort of its surroundings - and each other.

Thank you so much, your Wardens:

Shelley Reynolds & Linda Smith

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