## Dear Parish Family,



We hope this letter finds everyone in good health.

We must acknowledge these past several challenging months since we last celebrated together and wanted to provide you with an update on what is happening at Holy Trinity.

With the province moving into Phase Three and loosening some restrictions, the Diocese of Huron has created stages and procedures to assist us when it is time to re-gather our congregation.

A sub-committee of our Church Council has been established to align our church with the recommendations of the Diocese and the province. We are early in the planning, but our focus is on the preparation for the eventual resumption of in-church services.

We will inform the congregation once more information is available, hopefully around late August/early September. In the meantime, if you could please contact Beth or Heather at 519-227-4905 or by emailing holytrinitylucan@gmail.com, and let us know if you plan on attending services inperson when the Diocese says we are able.

We understand some people may feel some apprehension in returning to the physical space, so we are working toward our virtual services being a permanent option, which is also a recommendation of the Diocese.

It will be important to understand that church how we knew it will be different and we must be patient as we go forward.

We would like to say how proud and grateful we are for such a caring congregation. Keeping in touch with one another, watching Rev. Matt online, posting on our Facebook and web pages. We feel staying in-touch and communication is key. A special thank you to Rev. Matt for keeping us all engaged with the work he continues to do during this pandemic.

As with any building or home, there are regular financial commitments that occur and thanks to our supportive congregation we have been able, so far, to keep up with these responsibilities. Your contributions are greatly appreciated during this difficult time.

To keep you apprised of the most current information we are adding a COVID-19 page to our website, www.holytrinitylucan.net. On that page you will find important information from the sub-committee and the Diocese, as we work through this unpresented time.

Thank you to all of you. We really can't wait to see you when it is safe to do so. We pray for your health and the health of our church.

Blessings,

Linda Smith and Shelley Reynolds Wardens