

**Update from All Saints'**  
**Email to the Parish from The Venerable Christopher Dunn**  
**26 April 2020**

After we held our Virtual Coffee Hour this morning I decided that it was time to get outside with the camera. I headed down to Andrew Haydon park and spent about two hours photographing ducks. I may have seen an otter, but he was not cooperating!

So, tonight, I have some news.

First, an update on the **COVID-19 positive parishioner** that I mentioned to you a number of weeks ago. The individual continues to recover and do rehabilitation in hospital following the 15 days spent on a Respirator. After talking to a family member tonight though, I was able to call the individual and speak with them directly. Everyone is absolutely amazed that they are doing so well and while the voice on the phone is very raspy, it was wonderful to connect and send prayers and a blessing.

I learned this evening that the granddaughter of another parishioner who works in a long-term care facility has tested positive for COVID-19. Please keep the young lady, her Grandmother, and all her family in your prayers this week.

Finally, I learned this afternoon of the death of **Miriam Kumagai** who has been a long-time member of All Saints' Westboro. Miriam died at the age of 96 and had been a resident of the Peter D Clark Centre for the past five years. This is not a COVID-19 related death. Miriam attended the 8:00 a.m. services at All Saints' up until about 10 years ago. She was a Japanese survivor of the Internment Camps in Western Canada during World War II. She will be buried at a future date beside her husband in Toronto. Please keep Miriam and her extended family in your prayers this week. "Rest eternal, grant to her O Lord, and let light perpetual shine upon her."

Tonight's patio art work comes to us as an **important message from Ayla.**



Thanks for sharing this Ayla.

Tonight's prayer:

*Helper of the helpless, comfort of the afflicted, may your servants who stand in the midst of pain and trouble find strength in the knowledge of your presence, and praise you for the wonders of your love; through Jesus Christ our Redeemer. **Amen.***

As this evening's TV show reminds us, we are **stronger together,**  
Chris