



# The Week @ Bridlewood PC

## **BRIDLEWOOD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

Sun.	08	Worship via ZOOM / in-person Fellowship - Wendy and Jamie (Celia Watson)	10:30 am
Tue.	10	CRAFT & CHAT SESSION / BOARD OF MANAGERS (Budget)	2:30 pm 5:30 pm
Wed.	11	Bible Study - 1 Samuel Youth Connect on line	7:00 pm 6:45 pm
Thu.	12	Prayer Meeting - via ZOOM	10:30 am
Sun.	15	Worship - via ZOOM / in-person Fellowship - Arlene Sukhu / Diane Seymour	10:30 am

## **PRAY FOR OUR FRIENDS**

**AMICA (Toronto)**  
Hazel Quan

**Hanover, ON**  
Martie Dorland

**Home**  
Margaret D'Aguiar  
Richard Hosein  
David Leggett  
Michael Ling  
Bev Money  
Giah Purificacion  
Bill van Zyl

**Kingsway Place (Aurora)**  
Shirley Charleson

**Oshawa, ON**  
June Macaulay

**Shepherd Lodge / Village**  
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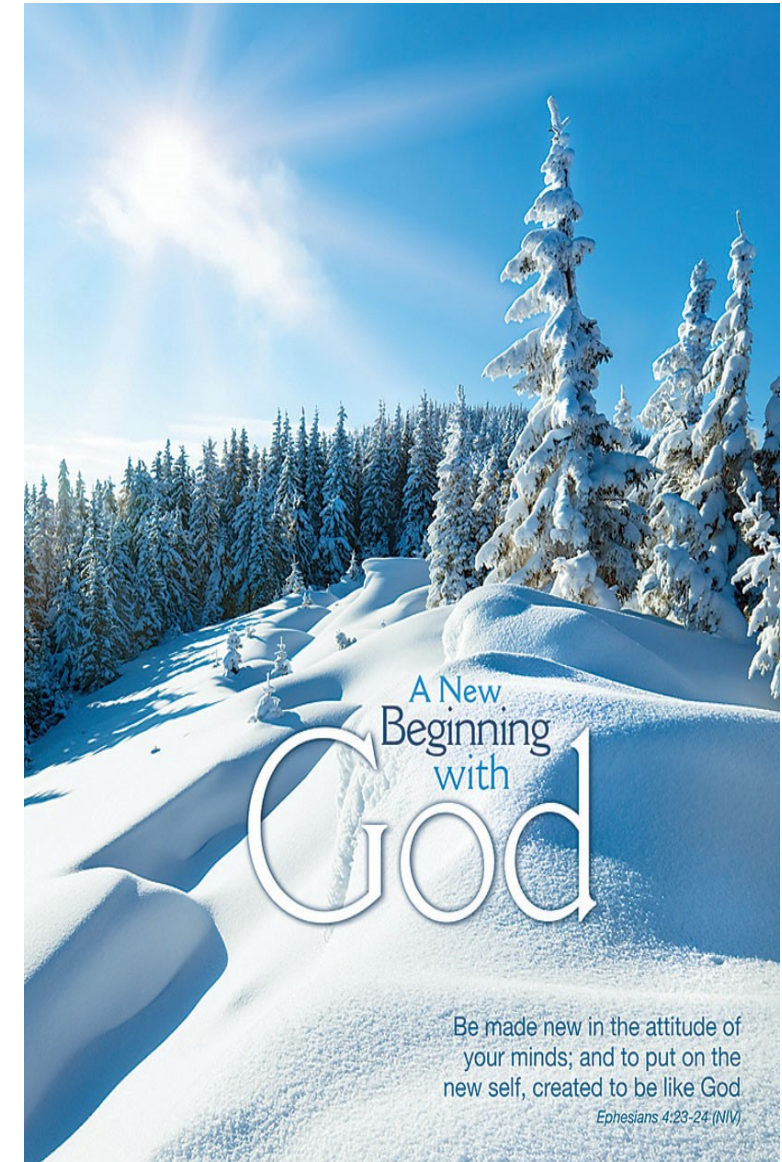
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## **WORSHIP SERVICE January 08, 2023**



A New  
Beginning  
with  
**God**

Be made new in the attitude of  
your minds; and to put on the  
new self, created to be like God  
Ephesians 4:23-24 (NIV)

### A New Year's Prayer

May God make your year a happy one!  
Not by shielding you from all sorrows and pain,  
But by strengthening you to bear it, as it comes;  
Not by making your path easy,  
But by making you sturdy to travel any path;  
Not by taking hardships from you,  
But by taking fear from your heart;  
Not by granting you unbroken sunshine,  
But by keeping your face bright,  
even in the shadows;  
Not by making your life always pleasant,  
But by showing you  
when people and their causes need you most,  
and by making you anxious to be there to help.  
God's love, peace, hope and joy to you  
for the year ahead.

~Anonymous

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## ORDER OF SERVICE

### GATHERING

Prelude  
Welcome & Responsive Call to Worship  
(Isaiah 12:4-6)

Give praise to the Lord, proclaim his name;  
**make known among the nations what he has done,  
and proclaim that his name is exalted.**  
Sing to the Lord, for he has done glorious things;  
**let this be known to all the world.**  
Shout aloud and sing for joy, people of Zion,  
**for great is the Holy One of Israel among you.**

*To God Be The Glory  
Only A Holy God*

Prayer of Confession

*Before The Throne Of God Above*

Good News and Passing of Peace

*This Is Amazing Grace*

Prayer for the Children

### WORD

Scripture Reading – 1 Samuel 1  
Sermon – “**Dawning of a New Era**”

### TABLE/RESPONSE

Offering & Ministry Update  
Prayer of Intercession

### SENDING

*Guide Me O Thou Great Jehovah*

Benediction  
Postlude

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## TO GOD BE THE GLORY

W&C #66

To God be the glory! great things He hath done!  
So loved He the world that He gave us His Son,  
Who yielded His life an atonement for sin,  
And opened the lifegate that all may go in.

### Chorus

***Praise the Lord, Praise the Lord,  
Let the earth hear His voice!  
Praise the Lord, Praise the Lord,  
Let the people rejoice!  
O come to the Father thru Jesus the Son,  
And give Him the glory  
Great things He hath done!***

O perfect redemption, the purchase of blood!  
To every believer the promise of God;  
The vilest offender who truly believes,  
That moment from Jesus a pardon receives.

Great things He hath taught us,  
great things He hath done,  
And great our rejoicing  
through Jesus the Son:  
But purer and higher and greater will be  
Our wonder, our transport,  
when Jesus we see!

## ONLY A HOLY GOD

Farren et al

Who else commands all the hosts of heaven  
Who else could make every king bow down  
Who else can whisper and darkness trembles  
Only a Holy God

What other beauty demands such praises  
What other splendour outshines the sun  
What other majesty rules with justice  
Only a Holy God

### [Chorus]

***Come and behold Him  
The One and the Only  
Cry out, sing holy  
Forever a Holy God  
Come and worship the Holy God***

What other glory consumes like fire  
What other power can raise the dead  
What other name remains undefeated  
Only a Holy God

### [Chorus]

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Come and worship the Holy God***

Who else could rescue me from my failing  
Who else would offer His only Son  
Who else invites me to call Him Father  
Only a Holy God  
Only my Holy God

## BEFORE THE THRONE OF GOD ABOVE

Charitie Lees Bancroft | Vikki Cook

Before the throne of God above  
I have a strong and perfect plea  
A great High Priest whose name is Love  
Who ever lives and pleads for me  
My name is graven on His hands  
My name is written on His heart  
I know that while in heav'n He stands  
No tongue can bid me thence depart (repeat)

When Satan tempts me to despair  
And tells me of the guilt within  
Upward I look and see Him there  
Who made an end of all my sin  
Because the sinless Savior died  
My sinful soul is counted free  
For God the Just is satisfied  
To look on Him and pardon me (repeat)

Behold Him there the Risen Lamb  
My perfect spotless Righteousness  
The great unchangeable I Am  
The King of Glory and of grace  
One with Himself I cannot die  
My soul is purchased by His blood  
My life is hid with Christ on high  
With Christ my Savior and my God (repeat)

## THIS IS AMAZING GRACE

Phil Wickham

Who breaks the power of sin and darkness  
Whose love is mighty and so much stronger  
The King of Glory, the King above all kings  
Who shakes the whole earth with holy thunder  
And leaves us breathless in awe and wonder  
The King of Glory, the King above all kings

***This is amazing grace  
This is unfailing love  
That You would take my place  
That You would bear my cross  
You lay down Your life  
That I would be set free  
Oh, Jesus, I sing for  
All that You've done for me***

Who brings our chaos back into order  
Who makes the orphan a son and daughter  
The King of Glory, the King of Glory  
Who rules the nations with truth and justice  
Shines like the sun in all of its brilliance  
The King of Glory, the King above all kings

## GUIDE ME, O THOU GREAT JEHOVAH

W & C #51

Guide me, O Thou great Jehovah,  
Pilgrim through this barren land;  
I am weak, but Thou art mighty;  
Hold me with Thy powerful hand:  
Bread of heaven, bread of heaven,  
Feed me till I want no more.  
Feed me till I want no more.

Open now the crystal fountain,  
Whence the healing stream doth flow;  
Let the fire and cloudy pillar  
Lead me all my journey through:  
Strong Deliverer, strong Deliverer,  
Be Thou still my strength and shield,  
Be Thou still my strength and shield.

When I tread the verge of Jordan,  
Bid my anxious fears subside;  
Bear me thro' the swelling current,  
Land me safe on Canaan's side:  
Songs of praises, songs of praises,  
I will ever give to Thee,  
I will ever give to Thee.  
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## **MISSION MOMENTS**

### **SUNDAY, JANUARY 8, 2023**

Adau Maduok Dut lives in South Sudan with her four children. Struggling to make ends meet after her husband left the family, **Adau's life improved after receiving assistance through a project, supported by Presbyterian World Service & Development and Canadian Foodgrains Bank, that provides food packages to struggling families in South Sudan.** "I knew immediately that my children would not have to suffer again since we had food and were equipped with the seeds and tools to start a fresh life," Adau said.



## **DAILY PRAYER TOPICS**

**Sunday, January 8 (Baptism of the Lord)** Let us remember our baptism and pray that we will live in ways that fulfil the promises made on our behalf, and may we boldly confess Jesus Christ as our Lord and Saviour.

**Monday, January 9** We give thanks and pray for Presbyterian World Service & Development programs that are responding to poverty, hunger and other emergency situations around the world.

**Tuesday, January 10** We pray for the people who gather and serve at Mistawasis Memorial Presbyterian Church in Northern Saskatchewan, and we give thanks for their ministry.

**Wednesday, January 11** We pray for the Rev. Jeffrey Murray, serving as clerk for the Synod of the Atlantic Provinces.

**Thursday, January 12** We pray for people, businesses and communities in Atlantic Canada who have suffered as a result of the damage caused by Hurricane Fiona.

**Friday, January 13** We pray for the P.E.I. Presbyterial of the Atlantic Mission Society as members plan for their upcoming Presbyterial Service. May this be a time to meet and grow in relationship with God.

**Saturday, January 14** We pray for people living in refugee camps and those whose homelands have been afflicted by violence and war. We pray for peace, understanding and safety.



### **IN MEMORIAM POINSETTIAS AT CHRISTMAS**

**MONEY, Evelyn and LeeAnne – Dave and Dick Money**

**MORRIS, Carol - Jacob Small and Bob Morris**

**SANFORD, Flo and Ted - Hugh / Louella Thompson**

**FRIBERG, Peter and Jean - Janine Fuchs (Friberg)**

## **SPECIAL CELEBRATION**

There was a very special reason to celebrate two birthdays in the Sikile family recently when baby Grace turned 1 year old and Moses (senior) turned 75.

As a congregation, let us pray for this family who have been a real blessing to us and to our Church on their arrival. May God grant them good health, love, peace, hope and joy in the year ahead.

