



# The Week @ Bridlewood PC

## **BRIDLEWOOD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

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|-------|----|---|--------------------|
| Sun.  | 09 | Worship via ZOOM / in-person<br>Fellowship - Evelyn McKnight / Celia Watson | 10:30 am           |
| Tue.  | 11 | <b>CRAFT &amp; CHAT</b><br><b>BOARD OF MANAGERS</b>                         | 2:00 PM<br>6:30 PM |
| Wed.  | 12 | Bible Study - Book of Judges<br>Youth Connection (on line)                  | 7:00 pm<br>6:45 pm |
| Thur. | 13 | Prayer Meeting via ZOOM   | 10:30 am           |
| Sun.  | 16 | Worship - via ZOOM / in-person  | 10:30 am           |

## **PRAY FOR OUR FRIENDS**

**AMICA (Toronto)**  
Hazel Quan

**Hanover, ON**  
Martie Dorland

**Home**  
Margaret D'Aguiar  
David and Kristine Leggett  
Rose Lowe  
Bev Money  
Bill Newstead  
Giah Purificacion  
Sandra Singh

**Home cont./...**  
Bill and Frances van Zyl

**Kingsway Place (Aurora)**  
Shirley Charleson

**Oshawa**  
June Macaulay

**Shepherd Lodge**  
Velma Bricker

**Shepherd Village**  
Marva Khan

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**October 9, 2022**



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## ORDER OF SERVICE

### GATHERING

Welcome & Call to Worship

*How Great Thou Art  
Forever  
Goodness of God*

Prayer of Confession

*Good To Me*

Assurance of Pardon  
Passing of Peace

*This I Believe (The Creed)*

Prayer for the Children

### WORD

Scripture Reading: 2 Corinthians 1:1-11  
Sermon – “**God of Comfort**”

### TABLE/RESPONSE

Offering & Ministry Update  
Prayer of Intercession

### SENDING

*Now Thank We All Our God*

Benediction

All songs used with  
permission

### HOW GREAT THOU ART

W&C #4

O Lord my God,  
When I in awesome wonder,  
Consider all the worlds  
Thy Hands have made;  
I see the stars, I hear the rolling  
thunder,  
Thy power throughout  
the universe displayed.

Then sings my soul,  
My Saviour God, to Thee,  
How great Thou art,  
How great Thou art.  
Then sings my soul,  
My Saviour God, to Thee,  
How great Thou art,  
How great Thou art!

When through the woods,  
and forest glades I wander,  
And hear the birds  
sing sweetly in the trees.  
When I look down, f  
rom lofty mountain grandeur  
And see the brook,  
and feel the gentle breeze.

And when I think,  
that God, His Son not sparing;  
Sent Him to die,  
I scarce can take it in;  
That on the Cross,  
my burden gladly bearing,  
He bled and died  
to take away my sin.

When Christ shall come,  
with shout of acclamation,  
And take me home,  
what joy shall fill my heart.  
Then I shall bow,  
in humble adoration,  
And then proclaim:  
"My God, how great Thou art!"

### FOREVER

Chris Tomlin

Give thanks to the Lord  
Our God and King  
His love endures forever  
For He is good He is above all  
things  
His love endures forever  
Sing praise, sing praise  
Sing praise, sing praise

**Chorus**  
**Forever God is faithful,**  
**Forever God is strong**  
**Forever God is with us,**  
**Forever, forever**

With a mighty hand  
And an outstretched arm  
His love endures forever  
For the life that's been reborn  
His love endures forever  
Sing praise, sing praise  
Sing praise, sing praise

From the rising to  
the setting sun  
His love endures forever  
And by the grace of God  
We will carry on  
His love endures forever  
Sing praise, sing praise  
Sing praise, sing praise

### GOODNESS OF GOD

Ben Fielding et al

I love You Lord  
Oh Your mercy never fails me  
All my days  
I've been held in Your hands  
From the moment that I wake up  
Until I lay my head  
I will sing of the goodness of God

**Chorus**  
**All my life You have been faithful**  
**All my life You have been**  
**so so good**  
**With every breath that I am able**  
**I will sing of the goodness of God**

I love Your voice  
You have led me through the fire  
In darkest night  
You are close like no other  
I've known You as a father  
I've known You as a friend  
I have lived in the goodness of God

**Bridge**  
**Your goodness is running after**  
**It's running after me**  
**Your goodness is running after**  
**It's running after me**  
**With my life laid down**  
**I'm surrendered now**  
**I give You everything**  
**Your goodness is running after**  
**It's running after me**

### GOOD TO ME

Craig Musseau

I cry out for your hand of mercy  
to heal me.  
I am weak, I need your love  
to free me.  
Oh Lord, my rock, my strength  
in weakness,  
Come rescue me, oh Lord.

You are my hope, your prom-  
ise never fails me.  
And my desire is to follow  
you forever.  
For you are good,  
for you are good,  
For you are good to me.  
For you are good,  
for you are good,  
For you are good to me.

### THIS I BELIEVE (THE CREED)

Ben Fielding

Our Father everlasting  
The all creating One  
God Almighty  
Through Your Holy Spirit  
Conceiving Christ the Son  
Jesus our Saviour

**Chorus 1**  
**We believe in God our Father**  
**We believe in Christ the Son**  
**We believe in the Holy Spirit**  
**Our God is three in One**  
**We believe in the resurrection**  
**That we will rise again**  
**For we believe**  
**in the Name of Jesus**

Our judge and our defender  
Suffered and crucified  
Forgiveness is in You  
Descended into darkness  
You rose in glorious life  
Forever seated high

**Bridge**  
**We believe in You**  
**We believe You rose again**  
**We believe that Jesus Christ**  
**is Lord**

**Chorus 2**  
**We believe in life eternal**  
**We believe in the virgin birth**  
**We believe in the saints'**  
**communion**  
**And in Your holy Church**  
**We believe in the resurrection**  
**When Jesus comes again**  
**For we believe in the Name of**  
**Jesus**

### NOW THANK WE ALL OUR GOD

W & C #556

Now thank we all our God,  
with heart and hands and voices,  
Who wondrous things hath done,  
in Whom His world rejoices;  
Who, from our mother's arms,  
hath blessed us on our way  
With countless gifts of love,  
and still is ours today.

O may this bounteous God  
thro' all our life be near us,  
With ever joyful hearts  
and blessed peace to cheer us;  
And keep us in His grace,  
and guide us when perplexed,  
And free us from all ills  
in this world and the next.

All praise and thanks to God  
the Father now be given,  
The son, and Him Who reigns  
with them in highest heaven,  
The one eternal God,  
Whom earth and heav'n adore;  
For thus it was, is now,  
and shall be evermore.

## **MISSION MOMENTS**

**Sunday, October 09, 2022**

While God's message of love, hope and faith stays the same, ways of engaging in ministry are continually changing. Recognizing that God was calling them to do something new, Erskine Presbyterian Church in Hamilton, Ontario, engaged in a process of discernment where they revealed a vision of being "a healthy, loving family for each and every neighbour." This vision was put into action by rallying together with community groups to provide care and support in practical ways, such as creating a food pantry to provide food and essential items to their community. Presbyterians Sharing helps congregations engage in intentional renewal.

## **DAILY PRAYER TOPICS**

**Sunday, October 9 (Harvest Sunday)** We give thanks to God for the earth and all its beauty and resources, and we pray for a more just care of the earth and its resources.

**Monday, October 10 (Thanksgiving Day)** We give thanks and pray for ministries that operate food banks and community pantries, providing food, toiletries and other essential items to those in need.

**Tuesday, October 11** We give thanks to God for challenging us to discover and participate in God's mission each day with neighbours through our words and deeds.

**Wednesday, October 12** We pray for the staff and volunteers of Living Waters Mission in Peterborough, Ontario, who share God's love and acceptance for people who struggle with isolation, addiction and mental health.

**Thursday, October 13** The church has confessed to the harm caused when we exclude and ostracize LGBTQI people. We pray for the Holy Spirit's guidance as we work to repair damaged relationships and contribute to healing.

**Friday, October 14** We pray for the Rev. Dr. Ernest van Eck, the new principal of Knox College in Toronto, Ontario.

**Saturday, October 15** As we mark **World Food Day** tomorrow, we pray for the millions of people suffering the effects of climate change and conflict-induced hunger, and give thanks for Presbyterian World Service & Development partners who are striving to end hunger.

## **A Prayer of Thanksgiving**

Dear Father,  
We humbly come before you  
with grateful hearts,  
Praising You with all our being,  
For we know  
that every good and perfect gift  
Comes from You-  
the One who never changes.  
We recognize those good things,  
both large and small,  
With which You've blessed us.  
But we also recognize our forgetfulness  
In giving thanks each and every day.  
Forgive us in our humanity, Lord.  
May we learn to thank you for the good;  
And may we trust the evil  
to be made good by You.  
For You alone are worthy  
of our praise and thanksgiving.  
Amen.

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