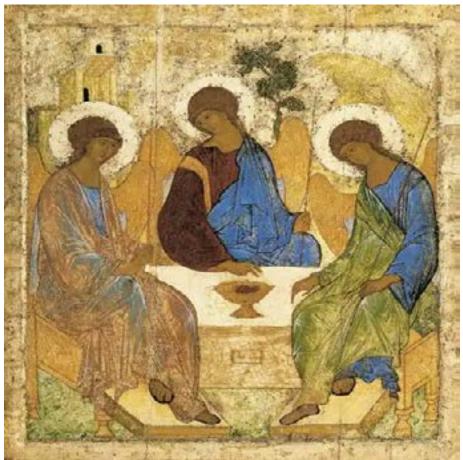
# TRINITY



# SUNDAY, JUNE 15, 2025 9:15 AM (2-5) 11:00 AM (6-9)





# 9:15 ORDER OF SERVICE

Please turn off electronic devices. Nursery care is available.

#### PRELUDE

#### **WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### **OPENING SONG**

"This Is My Father's World"

This is my Father's world, and to my listening ears all nature sings, and round me rings the music of the spheres. This is my Father's world; I rest me in the thought of rocks and trees, of skies and seas, his hand the wonders wrought

This is my Father's world: the birds their carols raise; the morning light, the lily white, declare their Maker's praise. This is my Father's world; he shines in all that's fair. In the rustling grass I hear him pass; he speaks to me everywhere.

This is my Father's world; oh, let me not forget that, though the wrong seems oft so strong, God is the Ruler yet. This is my Father's world; why should my heart by sad? The Lord is King, let the heavens ring! God reigns; let earth be glad.

#### **OPENING PRAYER** *PLEASE BE SEATED*

#### **INVITATION TO OFFERING**

#### **OFFERTORY ANTHEM**

"You Have Me"

Gungor arr. Arndt Chamber Choir

Out on the farthest edge, there in the silence You were there my faith was torn to shreds, my heart in the balance you were there Always faithful always good You still have me you still have my heart I thought I had seen the end, everything broken but You were there I've wandered at heaven's gates I made my bet in hell you were there, still Always faithful always good You still have me you still have my heart You have me you have me You have my heart completely

#### PRAYER WITH THE CHILDREN

We invite all the children to come up for a short prayer before proceeding to Sunday school.

#### SCRIPTURE

#### 1 John 5:6-13

Nancy Naylor

<sup>6</sup> This is He who came by water and blood—Jesus Christ; not only by water, but by water and blood. And it is the Spirit who bears witness, because the Spirit is truth. <sup>7</sup> For there are three that bear witness in heaven: the Father, the Word, and the Holy Spirit; and these three are one. <sup>8</sup> And there are three that bear witness on earth: the Spirit, the water, and the blood; and these three agree as one. <sup>9</sup> If we receive the witness of men, the witness of God is greater; for this is the witness of God which He has testified of His Son. <sup>10</sup> He who believes in the Son of God has the witness in himself; he who does not believe God has made Him a liar, because he has not believed the testimony that God has given of His Son. <sup>11</sup> And this is the testimony: that God has given us eternal life, and this life is in His Son. <sup>12</sup> He who has the Son has life; he who does not have the Son of God does not have life. <sup>13</sup> These things I have written to you who believe in the name of the Son of God, that you may know that you have eternal life, and that you may continue to believe in the name of the Son of God.

#### SERMON

"Three Bear Witness – The Father, the Word, and the Holy Spirit" Rev. Dr. Jason Byassee

#### PASTORAL PRAYER

## HOLY COMMUNION

#### PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING AND CONSECRATION

Minister:	The Lord be with you.
People:	And also with you.
Minister:	Lift up your hearts!
People:	We lift them up to the Lord!
Minister:	Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People:	It is right to give our thanks and praise.
Minister:	It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Almighty God And so, with your people on earth and all the company of heaven we praise your name and join their unending hymn:
Choir:	<ul> <li>Holy, holy Lord. God of power and might.</li> <li>Heaven and earth are full of your glory.</li> <li>Hosanna in the highest.</li> <li>Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.</li> <li>Hosanna in the highest.</li> <li>No. 942</li> </ul>
Minister:	Holy are you, and blessed is your Son Jesus Christ And so, in remembrance of these your mighty acts in Jesus

Christ, we offer ourselves in praise and thanksgiving as a holy and living sacrifice, in union with Christ's offering for us, as we proclaim the mystery of faith.

People: Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.

Minister: Pour out your Holy Spirit on us gathered here, and on these gifts of bread and wine...Through your Son Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit in your holy Church, all honour and glory is yours, almighty Father, now and for ever.

People: Amen

THE LORD'S PRAYER SAY TOGETHER Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy Kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

#### HOLY COMMUNION

Those wishing to receive communion will be ushered forward. You will receive the elements by dipping the wafer into the communion cup. Gluten-free wafers are available from the ministers; please raise your hand to receive one.

#### **COMMUNION ANTHEM**

"This Table is Yours"

Good Shepherd Collective Chamber Choir

Am I a stranger among my own? Is this a place where I can be known? What do I have to hide just to belong? Is this my table? Am I alone?

Chorus: This table is yours. This table is mine. Christ breaks the bread and pours the wine. So we lift the cup And we join the feast God's holy mystery

Christ was a stranger among his own. He was rejected without a home He touched the leper. He threw no stone. Come to the table. You're not alone Jesus he cried out while on the tree Oh God forgive them they cannot see Is love forsaken? Is mercy weak? Yet at this table we hear him speak

#### **POST-COMMUNION PRAYER** SAY TOGETHER

Most Holy God, we thank you for this bread, the true flesh of Christ, which came down from heaven that we may eat and live forever. We thank you for this wine, the true blood of Christ, by which we have redemption – the forgiveness of sins. As we have consumed Your flesh and blood into our bodies, so, consume us by Your Holy Spirit into Christ's body, that You may dwell in us, and we in You. To the glory of God, the Father. Amen.

#### **CLOSING SONG** *PLEASE STAND*

"He Leadeth Me"

He leadeth me: O blessed thought! O words with heavenly comfort fraught! Whate'er I do, where'er I be, still 'tis God's hand that leadeth me.

Refrain: He leadeth me! He leadeth me! By his own hand he leadeth me! His faithful follower I would be, for by his hand he leadeth me!

Sometimes 'mid scenes of deepest gloom, sometimes where Eden's bowers bloom, by waters calm, o'er troubled sea, still 'tis God's hand that leadeth me. [Refrain]

Lord, I would clasp thy hand in mine, nor ever murmur nor repine, content, whatever lot I see, since 'tis my God that leadeth me. [Refrain]

And when my task on earth is done, when by thy grace, the victory's won, even death's cold wave I will not flee, since God through Jordan leadeth me. [Refrain]

#### BENEDICTION

#### POSTLUDE

## 11:00 AM - ORDER OF SERVICE

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## THE APPROACH

#### **ORGAN PRELUDE**

"Air"

J.S. Bach Stephen Boda

#### **WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### PROCESSIONAL HYMN PLEASE STAND

No. 315 "Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty"

Nicæa

#### CALL TO WORSHIP PLEASE REMAIN STANDING

Minister:	Let us speak God's wisdom, mysterious, hidden, which God predetermined before the ages for our glory.
All:	What eye has not seen, and ear has not heard, and what has not entered the human heart:
Minister:	We worship one God, the Father of us all
All:	who is over all and through all and in all
Minister:	with Christ our Lord, the Word made flesh,
All:	the only begotten of the Father, full of grace and truth.
Minister:	We worship God in Spirit and in truth
All:	for we are God's temple, and His Spirit dwells in us.
Minister:	Let us lift our voices to the Triune God!
All Sing:	Worship the Lord! (Worship the Lord) Worship the Father, the Spirit, the Son, Raising our hands (Raising our hands) In devotion to God who is One! (No.401, Refrain)

PRAYER OF APPROACH PLEASE BE SEATED

## THE WORD OF GOD

#### SCRIPTURE READING

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Olivia LaPointe

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#### OFFERING

#### **OFFERTORY ANTHEM**

"The Word Was God"

*Powell* Chamber Choir

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. The same was in the beginning with God. All things were made that have been made. Nothing was made, He has not made. All things were made by Him. John 1:1-3

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## THE RESPONSE

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- Minister: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
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- Minister: It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Almighty God . . . And so, with your people on earth and all the company of heaven we praise your name and join their unending hymn:
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Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

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"Ave Verum Corpus"

Ave, verum corpus natum de Maria Virgine, Vere passum immolatum in Cruce pro homine, Cujus latus perforatum unda\* fluxit (et)\* sanguine, Esto nobis praegustatum in mortis examine. William Byrd Sanctuary Choir

Hail, true body born of the Virgin Mary, Who truly suffered, sacrificed on the Cross for man, Whose pierced side overflowed with water\* and blood, Be for us a foretaste\*\* In the test of death

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#### **RECESSIONAL HYMN** *PLEASE REMAIN STANDING*

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#### BENEDICTION

#### **CHORAL AMEN**

Amen in A

#### **ORGAN POSTLUDE**

"Finale Jubilante"

Healey Willan Stephen Boda

Boda

If you would like to be mentioned in our pastoral prayer please contact Joanne Leatch.

Timothy Eaton Memorial Church is located on the traditional territory of many nations, including the Mississaugas of the Credit, the Anishnabeg, the Chippewa, the Haudenosaunee and the Wendat peoples. We pray that the Holy Spirit will gather all people into one body of Christ.

#### JOIN US FOLLOWING THE 11 AM SERVICE TODAY!



FATHER'S DAY SUMMER BBQ – SUNDAY, JUNE 15 AT 12 PM.

Join us for a sizzling celebration of dads and father figures at our Father's Day Summer BBQ! Bring the whole family and enjoy an afternoon with delicious hamburgers, veggie burgers, hotdogs, salads, snow cones, and cotton candy! There will be live music, a bouncy castle and slide, mini-golf, and a giant-sized game of Connect Four! Whether you're a dad, know a dad, or just love a good BBQ, EVERYONE IS WELCOME! Let's fire up the grill and celebrate the awesome fathers, grandfathers, mentors, and friends in our lives!

#### SUNDAY, JUNE 22, 2025 - 11:00 AM SERVICE ONLY

The Rev. Dr. Jason Byassee preaching: "Baals and Ashtoreths" from Judges 2:11-23

9:15 services resume on September 7

## CONGREGATIONAL MEETING SUNDAY, JUNE 22, 2025

Members of TEMC, please join us in the Flora McCrea Auditorium at 12:30 PM, to receive and approve the recommendation for the appointment of the new Associate Minister.

Registration is available at temc.ca



In March 2025, TEMC's Chamber and Sanctuary Choirs partnered with the Good Shepherd Collective from New York for a special Lenten project. This collaboration brought together voices and talents from different communities to create a powerful expression of faith through music. The project resulted in a series of recordings capturing the spirit of Lent—reflection, sacrifice, and hope—through original compositions and arrangements. The experience left a lasting impression on

all involved and continues to inspire worship. We invite you to watch the videos and join us on this journey of faith and creativity. Scan the QR code to watch:

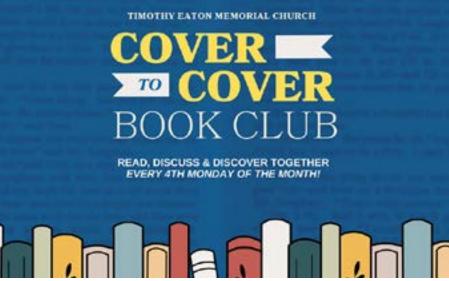


#### **IN MEMORIAM**

In memory of J. Rennie Graham, a gift of red geraniums has been planted near the Flora McCrea Auditorium entrance by the Humphrey Funeral Home A. W. Miles Newbigging Chapel.

#### STEWARDSHIP

TEMC has always felt like home to me. I enjoy our services, the wonderful music, the good company at coffee hour and the chance to volunteer in service to our community. Our pageant, our community dinners, our Art and Treasures sale and our food bank all open our doors to our congregation and our neighbours. —Nancy Naylor



Join us on **June 23 at 7 PM** to discuss *Major Pettigrew's Last Stand* by Helen Simonson.

*Major Pettigrew's Last Stand* is a wonderful look at the way overcoming prejudices of gender, race and religion can lead us to the most meaningful encounters of our lifetimes.

#### LAWSON LIBRARY

TEMC's Lawson Library is a volunteer-run library with a wide variety of books to help you on your spiritual journey. You can browse our book selection from the comfort of your home at <u>librarycat.org/lib/TEMCLibrary</u>. On Sunday morning from 10:00-11:00AM, volunteers are on hand to help you set up your own online Library Patron account so you can sign books out whenever you want! For more information email: <u>library@temc.ca</u>

### CHURCHES ON-THE-HILL FOOD BANK

The JUNE Food of the Month donation is CANS OF SALMON (used in our babies program). With rising food costs the food bank is serving record numbers of clients (approximately 1200 people per week). In order to ensure that the food bank can continue in future years we need the financial support of the community.



Visit us at <u>cothfoodbank.ca</u> to donate either on a one time or a preauthorized monthly basis. Thank you for your support.

#### **BUSHCRAFT AND WILDERNESS SURVIVAL SKILLS**



This 5 week multi-module course will cover immediate skills to be used in any survival situation or as just a fascinating course to enjoy learning skills long lost in today's modern society. Open to youth and adults!

Modules covered:

- Lost person behaviour
- Fire making & ignition sources
- Building of shelters
- Water purification techniques and equipment
- Components of a survival kit
- Tools-safety and sharpening techniques
- Land navigation and
- Wilderness first-aid

Courses run every Wednesday from 6:00-8:30 PM. Start the course at any point. Cost: \$95.00

The Instructor Dean Copecoge is a survival, tracking and SERE Instructor. He is also Anishnawbe from the Williams Treaty Area and a Anishinaabe Traditional Knowledge Keeper and Pipe Carrier.

Register at temc.ca/survival

## **PSYCHOLOGICAL FIRST AID COURSE**

Psychological first aid is a crisis intervention tool. Our approach provides individuals the means to identify psychological distress in themselves and others, and valuable tools to effectively address it. Further, we focus on tools to be applied to one's wellness and self care addressing grief, anxiety and crisis. Our approach is interactive, with examples, video tutorials, and real world experiences. Courses run every Thursday from 6:00-8:30 PM for three weeks. Start dates available twice a month. Follow the link below to see upcoming start dates. Cost: \$95.00

The facilitator Dean Copecoge a certified Psychological First Aid instructor, an Anishnawbe Traditional Knowledge Keeper and Pipe Carrier. Register at <u>temc.ca/survival</u>

Have you checked out our blog? Visit us at <u>temc.ca/blog</u> to see what's new.

Apostles Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried: he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven. he is seated at the right hand of God, the Father Almighty; and he will come again to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Catholic church, the communion of saints. the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.

AMEN.

# **TEMC COMMUNICATIONS SURVEY**

We want to ensure we are communicating with you as effectively as possible. Please take a moment to fill out the survey and return it to one of the ushers at the end of the service.

THANK YOU.

- 1. How are you currently receiving TEMC weekly and special events news? (Circle as many as are appropriate.)
  - Order of Service
  - In-service Announcements
     Facebook
  - Sanctuary Screens
  - TEMC Weekly email
  - Website

- Instagram
   Eacobook
- YouTube
- Word of mouth
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_
- 2. How else would you like to hear from us? \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. What topics are important to you?\_\_\_\_\_

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

CONTACT INFO: \_\_\_\_\_

Want to fill out the form online? Scan the QR code below.





#### Worship Information:

- Sunday School is held for children of all ages during the 9:15 service. The nursery and Sunday School rooms are located on the third floor, off the northeast balcony.
- Wheelchair access is through the northwest entrance.
- The 11:00 a.m. service is live-streamed at <u>temc.ca/livestream</u> or <u>facebook.com/</u> <u>temctoronto</u>.
- Copies of recent sermons are available in the narthex or at <u>temc.ca/sermons</u>.

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