



Sunday, May 22, 2022
11:00 AM



TIMOTHY EATON
MEMORIAL
CHURCH



A Place for Life

ORDER OF SERVICE

Please turn off all electronic devices.

This service is live streamed (a live video presentation)

TEMC continues to recommend that all those who attend worship services and activities at the church be masked for the safety and protection of the most vulnerable in the congregation, especially when socializing and travelling through the building.

THE APPROACH

ORGAN PRELUDE

"Aria on a Chaconne"

*Joel Martinson
Stephen Boda*

PROCESSIONAL HYMN *PLEASE STAND*

No. 339 "When Morning Gilds the Skies"

Laudes Domini

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Let us come before God whose spirit guides us each day

All: Thank you God for speaking to us through your spirit

Leader: The spirit God gave us does not make us timid but gives us power and love

All: Thanks be to God who speaks to all who listen

**All sing: Open my eyes, that I may see
glimpses of truth thou hast for me;
place in my hands the wonderful key
that shall unclasp and set me free.**

**Silently now I wait for thee,
ready, my God, thy will to see.**

Open my eyes, illumine me, Spirit divine!

(No. 371 v. 1)

PRAYER OF APPROACH *PLEASE BE SEATED*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION *SAY TOGETHER*

Omnipotent and merciful God: we come before you wounded and scarred by bad decisions. Despite knowing your safe direction, in pride and ignorance we have frequently veered off course. As we sped down the highway of life, we have not heeded the stop signs you placed before us and missed out on many meaningful moments. We have ignored your caution signs and recklessly hurt ourselves

and others. When presented with planned detours, we arrogantly ignored the safe route, which led to avoidable hardships. Oh Lord, we pray for forgiveness as we recalibrate our spiritual compass. Grant us humility, and receptivity, that your spirit, might guide us safely home, through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

KYRIE *SING TOGETHER*

Lord have mercy upon us;
Christ have mercy upon us;
Lord have mercy upon us.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

DOXOLOGY *PLEASE STAND*

No. 334 v. 1
All hail the power of Jesus' name!
Let angels prostrate fall;
bring forth the royal diadem,
and crown him, crown him, crown him,
crown him Lord of all.

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHILDREN'S TIME

(Children leave for their classes using the stairs in the back of the church by the narthex.)

THE WORD OF GOD

MINISTRY OF MUSIC

"Footsteps"

Hurley
Sanctuary Choir

Sweetly, Lord, we have heard thee calling, "Come follow me," and we know where thy footsteps falling lead us to thee. Footsteps of Jesus that make the pathway glow, footsteps of Jesus, we will follow wherever they go. If they lead through the temple holy, teaching the word, or in homes of the poor and lowly, serving the Lord, footsteps of Jesus... Then at last when on high he sees us, our journey done, we will rest where the steps of Jesus end at his throne. Footsteps of Jesus...

SCRIPTURE READING

John 6:25-40

Adam Wood

When they found him on the other side of the sea, they said to him, "Rabbi, when did you come here?" Jesus answered them, "Very truly, I tell you, you are looking for me, not because you saw signs, but because you ate your fill of the loaves. Do not work for the food that perishes, but for the food that endures for eternal life, which the Son of Man will give you. For it is on him that God the Father has set his seal."

Then they said to him, "What must we do to perform the works of God?" Jesus answered them, "This is the work of God, that you believe in him whom he has sent." So they said to him, "What sign are you going to give us then, so that we may see it and believe you? What work are you performing? Our ancestors ate the manna in the wilderness; as it is written, 'He gave them bread from heaven to eat.'" Then Jesus said to them, "Very truly, I tell you, it was not Moses who gave you the bread from heaven, but it is my Father who gives you the true bread from heaven. For the bread of God is that which comes down from heaven and gives life to the world." They said to him, "Sir, give us this bread always." Jesus said to them, "I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty. But I said to you that you have seen me and yet do not believe. Everything that the Father gives me will come to me, and anyone who comes to me I will never drive away; for I have come down from heaven, not to do my own will, but the will of him who sent me. And this is the will of him who sent me, that I should lose nothing of all that he has given me, but raise it up on the last day. This is indeed the will of my Father, that all who see the Son and believe in him may have eternal life; and I will raise them up on the last day."

HYMN OF PREPARATION PLEASE STAND

No. 341 "Fairest Lord Jesus"

Crusaders' Hymn

SERMON

"Why Jesus?"

Part 2 of Series: Start With 'Why?'"

Rev. Lorraine Diaz

THE RESPONSE

PASTORAL PRAYER

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.**

OFFERING

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

"We Are Not Alone"

Ed Connell
Sanctuary Choir

We are not alone, we live in God's world. We believe in God who has created and is creating, who has come in Jesus, We believe in God. We are not alone; We believe in God who has come in Jesus, the Word made flesh, and make new, by the Spirit. We trust in God. We are called to the Church: to celebrate God's presence, to love and serve others, to proclaim Jesus, crucified and risen, our judge and our hope. In life, in death, in life beyond death. God is with us. We are not alone. Thanks be to God. Amen.

PRESENTATION OF THE OFFERING *PLEASE STAND*

No. 541

Old 100th

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
praise God, all creatures high and low;
give thanks to God in love made known:
Creator, Word, and Spirit, One.

RECESSIONAL HYMN *PLEASE REMAIN STANDING*

No. 256 "O God Beyond All Praising"

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BENEDICTION

CHORAL AMEN

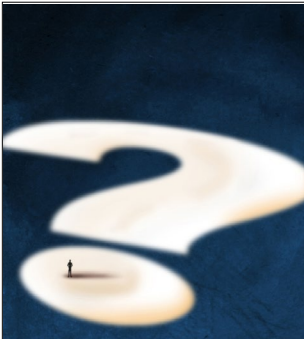
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Norman Johnson

ORGAN POSTLUDE

"The Heavens Declare the Glory of God"

Benedetto Marcello, arr. Gouin
Stephen Boda



NEXT SUNDAY

SUNDAY, MAY 29, 2022

11:00 AM WORSHIP SERVICE

Rev. Dr. Orville James preaching:
Part 3: "Start with 'Why'" – "Why GIVE?"
from Deut. 26:1-10; Matt. 6:16-24

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING – MAY 29 AT 12:15 PM

Members of the congregation are asked to attend a congregational meeting to vote on the amalgamation of Dewi Sant Welsh United Church with TEMC. Prior to attending the meeting, whether on Zoom or in person, you are asked to register online at temc.ca and read the Amalgamation Covenant Agreement, copies of which are available in the narthex. To receive an electronic copy, contact sonyaswainsbury@temc.ca



Sunday School will be held in the East Chapel following Children's Time.



COFFEE TIME

Please join us for coffee at 10:00 a.m. in the Atrium

BAPTISM – SUNDAY, JUNE 12

Baptism Sunday is June 12. If you are interested in baptism for your child or yourself, please contact: sonyaswainsbury@temc.ca.



PICNIC TIME!

BRING YOUR FRIENDS... HAVE FUN!

JOIN US ON JUNE 12 FROM 12:00 – 2:00 PM
to celebrate the return of our annual

Church Picnic!

There will be games, fun, and great food!
You don't want to miss it.

CONFIRMATION & NEW MEMBER SUNDAY - JUNE 19

Have you been attending TEMC for a while? Have you considered joining the congregation? Our next **Reception of New Members' Sunday is June 19**. If you are interested, contact sonyaswainsbury@temc.ca or 416-925-5977 x 224.

CHURCHES ON-THE-HILL FOOD BANK

The MAY Food of the Month donation is BOXES OF CHEERIOS. The food bank continues to operate through the pandemic, providing food parcels to any increasing number of clients outdoors and home deliveries to infirm and elderly clients.

Visit us at our website cothfoodbank.ca for more information or to donate. On behalf of the clients and volunteers, thank you for your support.

SHINING WATERS REGION ASKS US TO PRAY FOR THE FOLLOWING CHURCHES THIS WEEK:

Bradford United Church
Wesley United Church, Stouffville
North Bramalea United Church, Brampton
Sandhill United Church, Caledon



Timothy Eaton Memorial Church

The United Church of Canada

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