

Remembrance Day Services Sunday, November 5, 2023 9:15 & 11:00 a.m.





In proud and loving memory of these congregation members who gave their lives so we might be free:

World War I

John Crawford Anglin Quinton W. Bannister Edward B. Booth Burnal Brown C. Elbridge Burden James L. Burton Arthur J. Duncan George R.S. Fleming John G. Hill A. Clive Hurst

World War II

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9:15 & 11:00 ORDER OF SERVICE

Please turn off all electronic devices. Nursery care is available. The 11:00 a.m. service is live streamed (a live video presentation)

THE APPROACH

PRELUDE

"Prayer of St. Gregory"

Alan Hovhaness Paul Sanvidotti, trumpet; Stephen Boda, organ

PROCESSIONAL HYMN *PLEASE STAND AND SING TOGETHER* No. 659 "Eternal Father, Strong to Save"

RECOGNITION OF FLAGS

RECOGNITION OF THE BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE

READING OF THE HONOUR ROLL

LAST POST

MOMENT OF SILENT REMEMBRANCE

REVEILLE

NATIONAL ANTHEM *SING TOGETHER*

No. 524, verse 1 O Canada! Our home and native land! True patriot love in all of us command. With glowing hearts we see thee rise, the True North, strong and free! From far and wide, O Canada, we stand on guard for thee. God keep our land glorious and free! O Canada, we stand on guard for thee. O Canada, we stand on guard for thee.

PRAYER OF APPROACH *PLEASE BE SEATED*

WELCOME

MINISTRY OF MUSIC CHOIR ONLY

"Kontakion"

Rupert Lang Chamber Choir (9:15 a.m.) Sanctuary Choir (11:00 a.m.)

LCol David Temple, CD, AdeC

Paul Sanvidotti, trumpet

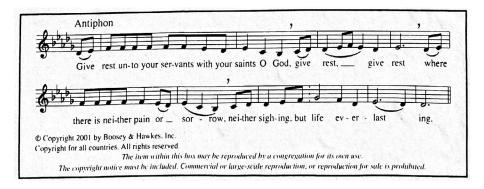
Paul Sanvidotti, trumpet

Give rest unto your servants with your saints, O God.

Where there is neither pain nor sorrow, neither sighing, but life everlasting. For you, God only are immortal; the creator and the maker of us all, And we are mortal formed of the earth, and to the earth we shall return. Melita

O Canada

For so did you ordain when you created me saying: "You are dust, and to dust you shall return. All of us go down to the dust, yet even at the grave we make our song: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia."



THE WORD OF GOD

SCRIPTURE READING

1 Corinthians 13:1-13

Will Byassee (9:15 a.m.) Barbara Temple (11:00 a.m.)

If I speak in the tongues of humans and of angels but do not have love, I am a noisy gong or a clanging cymbal.² And if I have prophetic powers and understand all mysteries and all knowledge and if I have all faith so as to remove mountains but do not have love, I am nothing.³ If I give away all my possessions and if I hand over my body so that I may boast but do not have love, I gain nothing.

⁴ Love is patient; love is kind; love is not envious or boastful or arrogant ⁵ or rude. It does not insist on its own way; it is not irritable; it keeps no record of wrongs; ⁶ it does not rejoice in wrongdoing but rejoices in the truth. ⁷ It bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things.

⁸ Love never ends. But as for prophecies, they will come to an end; as for tongues, they will cease; as for knowledge, it will come to an end. ⁹ For we know only in part, and we prophesy only in part, ¹⁰ but when the complete comes, the partial will come to an end. ¹¹ When I was a child, I spoke like a child, I thought like a child, I reasoned like a child. When I became an adult, I put an end to childish ways. ¹² For now we see only a reflection, as in a mirror, but then we will see face to face. Now I know only in part; then I will know fully, even as I have been fully known. ¹³ And now faith, hope, and love remain, these three, and the greatest of these is love.

HYMN OF PREPARATION PLEASE STAND AND SING TOGETHER

"O Valiant Hearts"

O valiant hearts, who to your glory came Through dust of conflict and through battle flame; Tranquil you lie, your knightly virtue proved, Your memory hallowed in the land you loved.

Proudly you gathered, rank on rank to war, As who had heard God's message from afar; All you had hoped for, all you had, you gave To save mankind-yourself you scorned to save.

Splendid you passed, the great surrender made; Into the light that nevermore shall fade; Deep your contentment in that blest abode, Who wait the last clear trumpet-call of God.

O risen Lord, O Shepherd of our dead, Whose Cross has bought them, and whose star has led, In glorious hope their proud and sorrowing land Commits her children to Thy gracious hand.

SERMON

"Giving Love, Giving Life"

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 CHOIR ONLY

"In Flanders Fields"

Eleanor Daley Chamber Choir (9:15 a.m.) Sanctuary Choir (11:00 a.m.)

In Flanders fields the poppies blow between the crosses, row on row, that mark our place; and in the sky the larks, still bravely singing, fly scarce heard amid the guns below. We are the Dead. Short days ago we lived, felt dawn, saw sunset glow, loved, and were loved, and now we lie in Flanders fields. Take up our quarrel with the foe: to you from failing hands we throw the torch, be yours to hold it high. If ye break faith with us who die we shall not sleep, though poppies grow in Flanders fields.

RECESSIONAL HYMN PLEASE STAND AND SING TOGETHER

No. 436 "Abide With Me"

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BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

"Highland Cathedral"

traditional piping tune Billy Boulet, bagpipes Stephen Boda, organ

Our thanks to Paul Sanvidotti (trumpet), Billy Boulet (bagpipes) and the TEMC Choirs for participating in today's service.



Sunday School will be held on the third floor.

NEXT WEEK SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 2023

9:15 & 11:00 AM: WORSHIP SERVICES

Rev. Dr. Jason Byassee preaching: "Foolishness: the new Wisdom" from 1 Corinthians 1:18-25

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

EAST END UNITED CHURCH HOSTING 30 ASYLUM SEEKERS

Many of you will have heard about the number of asylum seekers from African countries who have been left stranded outside 129 Peter Street. One night earlier this month, in a crisis situation and with the help of Lawrence Park Community Church and Eglinton St. George's, East End United hosted 100 asylum seekers who had temporarily been displaced from Dominion Church. The landlord for Dominion has given the congregation a November 1st deadline to get everybody out. There are also people showing up at Peter Street every single day, out in the cold, without any provisions for the coming winter months.

If you are able to provide any of the items listed below, please drop them off at 310 Danforth Avenue, Jackman entrance labelled "refugee guests". They can be left inside the doors between 9am-10pm. Alternatively, you can drop your labelled items off at the volunteer office here at the church.

Items needed include:

- Towels
- Washcloths
- Toiletries (soap, shampoo, razors, shaving cream, menstrual products)
- Underwear
- Good condition winter clothing
- Winter Coats
- Boots (good/near new condition)
- Phone charging cables (lighting, USB-C)
- USB charging bricks
- Refillable water bottles
- laptop or desktop computers capable of decently running Zoom calls
- a couple of printers (with ink or the capability of easily obtaining ink)
- Snack foods (fruit, veggies, granola bars, etc.)
- Dish towels

We are deeply grateful for your contribution.

IN MEMORIAM

In memory of Bill Smallman, a donation has been made to the General Fund by David and Elizabeth Edmison.

In memory of my friend, soprano Sheila Almack Smith, a donation has been made to the Choir School by Joanne Leatch.

In memory of Marion Langford, a donation has been made to the General Fund for Grants by Ellen Edmonds.



MUSICAL MOSAIC

Midday Concert Series



about the performance:

Alana & Leigh Cline are a Toronto-based father and daughter Celtic fiddle and guitar instrumental duo who play traditional fiddle tunes from the 17th to 21st century, combining fiery Cape Breton music with danceable Irish tunes and 17th and 18th century Scottish fiddle music.

Learn more at: alanaleighcline.com

Presenting: Alana and Leigh Cline

Genre: Celtic

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Location:

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Event Info

In-person in the beautiful Wilder Atrium

To help support the musicians, free will donations are welcome!





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> MEMORIAL CHURCH



NOVEMBER 27 AT 7:00 PM Miriam's Kitchen: A Memoir by Elizabeth Ehrlich Rev. Jason hosting

A limited number of copies are available for purchase in the Volunteer Office (\$23).

CRIB, CROSS, NEW CREATION: A PILGRIMAGE TO WALES INFORMATION SESSION WEDNESDAY, NOV. 22 AT 7:00 PM

As many of you know, TEMC is proud to have recently amalgamated with Dewi Sant Welsh United Church. Wales has more than 1500 years of church history. But if you're like me, you're relatively unaware of that history. So, I've planned a pilgrimage to Wales, devoted to learning about Christ's work through the church in Wales, past and present. Wales inherited a unique strand of the Christian tradition called Celtic Christianity. The Celts, called the Galatians in the Bible, were a people with a vast territorial expanse north of the Roman Empire. With no written language, much of their culture is now forgotten. Much of what remains is in the form of the Celtic Church, which arrived in the British Isles well before Roman Christianity did. It is a Christian faith deeply in touch with nature, rigorous in its discipline, and beautiful in its poetry. Wales also has a rich history of evangelical renewal, including a massive revival in the early 20th century, powered by hymn singing.

We will explore all this and much more in our journey, and I hope you'll come! **Dates are July 20 - August 3, 2024**. I am so excited to lead you, in partnership with Dr. Iwan Russell-Jones of Cardiff (Research Professor at Regent College, Vancouver—he'll preach for us January 21!) and Pastor Bronwyn Spilsbury (Director of Pilgrim Way Ministries.) Together we've planned a journey of deep history and living hope.

Come to an information meeting in person and online, planned for Wednesday, November 22 at 7:00 PM. At that time we will share the itinerary, cost, and travel details. Please be in touch with me with any questions. Rev. Dr. Jason Byassee

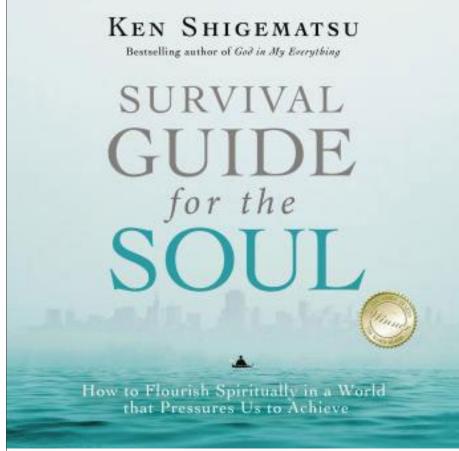


CHRISTMAS COOKIE PROJECT

Once again this Christmas, the Pastoral Care committee is recruiting volunteers to bake, pack and deliver cookies to TEMC members with special needs.

Home bakers please bring three dozen cookies (no nuts or squares please), clearly marked "Christmas Cookie Project" to the Volunteer Office before Friday, December 1. If you are able to pack cookies on Saturday, December 2

from 8:30 - 11:00 a.m., or deliver them beginning Sunday, December 3, please contact Rev. Lorraine Diaz.



ADVENT STUDY BEGINS WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 29

The Advent and Christmas seasons are often busy and rushed!

Our Advent study will encourage you to take the time to slow down and connect with God in the midst of all the hustle and bustle in a way that you will be able to carry with you into the New Year and beyond!

For this study, we'll be reading and discussing the book *Survival Guide for the Soul* by Ken Shigematsu. The study will take place over four weeks on Wednesday evenings at 7:00PM, either online or in-person. You will be encouraged to read a section of the book each week and try out some of the practices that are suggested.

You are asked to purchase the book and read Part 1 prior to the first session on November 29. The books are available to purchase at: <u>www.temc.ca/adult-ministry</u> or you can buy a copy from Rev. Lori.



CHRISTMAS AT TEMC

Sunday Advent Services: 9:15 & 11:00 am December 3, 10, 17, 24

Saturday, December 16: Yule Sing! Concert 4:00 PM: TEMC with special guests, The Weston Silver Band.

December 24: Christmas Eve 11:00 AM Worship Service 3:00 & 5:00 PM: Christmas pageant 9:30 PM: Carols by candlelight: in the nave 10:00 PM: Christmas Eve service with communion (live streamed)

December 25 & 26: Christmas Day/Boxing Day

Church Closed

Sunday, December 31: New Year's Eve 11:00 AM Worship Service

January 1 Church Closed

Sunday, January 7: Epiphany with Communion

9:15 & 11:00 AM Worship Services

SHINING WATERS REGION ASKS US TO PRAY FOR

Deutsche Evangeliumskirche United Church, Toronto Forest Hill United Church, Toronto Onnuri Korean United Church, Toronto

Did you know? We are part of a larger church community across Ontario, specifically the Shining Waters Regional Council. There are many events happening throughout the year at different churches. Visit: <u>shiningwatersregionalcouncil.ca/events/</u> if you are interested in checking some out.

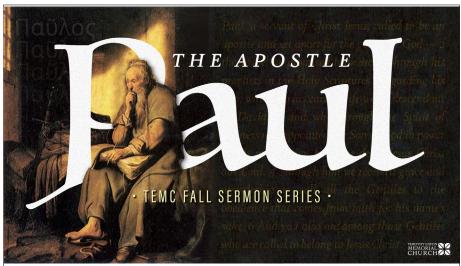
FLORA MCCREA GROUP: THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7 AT 1:00PM

Flora McCrea UCW gathering for Christmas fellowship. All the ladies of the congregation are welcome to attend for some refreshments, carol-singing and a special performance of *A Child's Christmas in Wales*.

CONFIRMATION & RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS: SUNDAY, DECEMBER 10 AT 9:15 AM

BAPTISM: SUNDAY, DECEMBER 10 AT 11:00AM

We will be holding a confirmation and reception of new members service at 9:15 AM and a Baptism Service at 11:00 AM. on Sunday, December 10. If you are interested in joining the church or baptism for your child or yourself please contact: <u>sonyaswainsbury@temc.ca</u>.



TUESDAY BIBLE STUDY

Each week Rev. Jason or Rev. Lori will lead a study on the focus passage for the coming Sunday's sermon. It's a great way to prepare for Sunday, ask questions, and dive deeper into the passage. Our fall series will focus on St. Paul.

St. Paul is one of the most important interpreters of the Christian faith. Yet he is not often read, studied, or preached from in churches like ours (and he is sometimes vilified instead!). How do we make sense of this difficult, irascible apostle? And how might our life of faith, prayer, and service deepen for having spent time in his presence?

Please join us at 1:30 pm in the Seminar Room.

HOLY YOGA Certified Instructor JOIN ME FOR CLASS!

JOIN US AT HOLY YOGA ON MONDAYS AND WEDNESDAYS

Mondays at 10:00 am and Wednesdays at 5:30 pm.

Classes consist of 60 minutes, suitable for all levels. All participants are asked to bring their own mats and any props they need, but there are a small number of mats, blocks and straps available for those who are unable to bring their own. If you haven't participated before, please register at <u>temc.ca/adult-ministry</u>.

STEPHEN MINISTRY

Stephen Ministry equips lay-people to provide Christian care to people in our congregation and community who are experiencing difficulties in their lives. It is a confidential ministry. The identity of those receiving care and everything they discuss with a Stephen Minister remains private.

- Could you benefit from the confidential one-to-one care and support of a Stephen Minister?
- Do you know someone who could benefit from Stephen Ministry?

For more information pick up a brochure in the literature rack at the back of the church or contact Rev. Lorraine Diaz.

CHURCHES ON-THE-HILL FOOD BANK



The NOVEMBER Food of the Month donation is CANNED FRUIT. With rising food and fuel costs the food bank is serving record numbers of clients. In order to ensure that the food bank can continue in future years we need financial support of the community. Visit us at cothfoodbank.ca for

more information or to donate. You can also scan the QR code. On behalf of the clients and volunteers, thank you for your support.

Worship Information:

- Nursery staff care for infants and children up to age four during the worship service. The nursery and Sunday School rooms are located on the third floor, off the northeast balcony. Classes are held for children from Junior Kindergarten through Grade 6 during the 9:15 service.
- Wheelchair access is through the northwest entrance. Large-print copies of the orders of service and assistive hearing devices are available upon request.
- The 11:00 a.m. service is live-streamed at <u>temc.ca/livestream</u> or <u>facebook.com/</u> <u>temctoronto</u> and audio broadcast on CHIN 1540 AM.
- Copies of recent sermons are available in the narthex, and online at <u>temc.ca/</u> <u>sermons</u>.

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