

THANKSGIVING NEW MEMBERS



SUNDAY, OCTOBER 11, 2026

9:15 AM | 11:00 AM



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9:15 ORDER OF SERVICE

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PRELUDE

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

OPENING SONG

"Goodness of God"

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
Oh, I will sing of the goodness of God
Cause all my life You have been faithful
And all my life You have been so, so good
With every breath that I am able
Oh, I will sing of the goodness of God

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

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

'Cause Your goodness is running after, it's running after me
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With my life laid down, I'm surrendered now
I give You everything
'Cause Your goodness is running after, it's running after me

OPENING PRAYER *PLEASE BE SEATED*

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.**

MUSICAL REFLECTION *CHOIR ONLY*

"Gratitude"

Brandon Lake
Chamber Choir

All my words fall short; I got nothing new; how could I express all my gratitude? I could sing these songs as I often do but every song must end and You never do. So I throw up my hands and praise You again and again 'cause all that I have is a hallelujah. Hallelujah and I know it's not much but I've nothing else fit for a King except for a heart singing hallelujah. Hallelujah, I've got one response, I've got just one move with my arm stretched wide I will worship You. Hallelujah, so come on, my soul oh, don't you get shy on me, lift up your song 'cause you've got a lion inside of those lungs; get up and praise the Lord! So I throw up my hands, praise You again and again 'cause all that I have is a hallelujah. Hallelujah and I know it's not much but I've nothing else fit for a King except for a heart singing hallelujah. Hallelujah.

PRAYER WITH THE CHILDREN

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

SCRIPTURE READING

Ezekiel 11:14-25

Lisa Brisebois

14 Again the word of the Lord came to me, saying, 15 "Son of man, your brethren, your relatives, your countrymen, and all the house of Israel in its entirety, are those about whom the inhabitants of Jerusalem have said, 'Get far away from the Lord; this land has been given to us as a possession.' 16 Therefore say, 'Thus says the Lord God: "Although I have cast them far off among the Gentiles, and although I have scattered them among the countries, yet I shall be a little sanctuary for them in the countries where they have gone." ' 17 Therefore say, 'Thus says the Lord God: "I will gather you from the peoples, assemble you from the countries where you have been scattered, and I will give you the land of Israel." ' 18 And they will go there, and they will take away all its detestable things and all its abominations from there. 19 Then I will give them one heart, and I will put a new spirit within them, and take the stony heart out of their flesh, and give them a heart of flesh, 20 that they may walk in My statutes and keep My judgments and do them; and they shall be My people, and I will be their God. 21 But as for those whose hearts follow the desire for their detestable things and their abominations, I will recompense their deeds on their own heads," says the Lord God.

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SERMON

“Sanctuary in the Wilderness”

Dayle K. Barrett

PASTORAL PRAYER

INVITATION TO OFFERING

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

“Thankful”

Foster

Chamber Choir

Some days, we forget to look around us, some days, we can't see the joy that surrounds us, so caught up inside ourselves, we take when we should give, so for tonight we pray for, what we know can be, and on this day we hope for, what we still can't see, it's up to us, to be the change, and even though we all can still do more, there's so much to be thankful for, look beyond ourselves, there's so much sorrow, it's way too late to say, I'll cry tomorrow. Each of us must find our truth, it's so long overdue, so for tonight we pray for, what we know can be, and every day, we hope for, what we still can't see, it's up to us, to be the change, and even though we all can still do more, there's so much to be thankful for, even with our differences, there is a place we're all connected, each of us can find each other's light, so for tonight, we pray for what we know can be, and on this day, we hope for, what we still can't see, it's up to us, to be the change, and even though this world needs so much more there's so much to be thankful for.

CELEBRATION OF NEW MEMBERS

WORDS OF INTRODUCTION

PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES

Profession of Faith:

Colin Blayney

Micah Collins

Ryan Collins

BAPTISMAL VOWS

CONGREGATIONAL COMMITMENT

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We will, God being our helper.

Saints, please rise, so we may pledge our continued support and care.

We will continue to support you, walk with you, and grow with you.

With God's help, we will live out our baptism as a loving community in Jesus Christ: nurturing one another in faith, upholding one another in prayer, and encouraging one another in God's work.

APOSTLES CREED

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's 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;
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On the third day he rose again;
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he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come 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 life everlasting. Amen.**

POURING OF WATER

BAPTISM

ASPERGES OF REMEMBRANCE

RITE OF CHRISMATION

PRESENTATION OF GIFTS

PRAYER OF CONFIRMATION *SAY TOGETHER*

Confirm, O God, what you have brought about in us, and preserve in the hearts of your faithful the gifts of the Holy Spirit: may they never be ashamed to confess Christ, crucified and risen, and by devoted charity may they ever fulfill his commands. Amen.

CLOSING HYMN *PLEASE STAND*

"Great Is Thy Faithfulness"

Great is thy faithfulness, God our Creator,
there is no shadow of turning with thee;
thou changest not, thy compassions, they fail not;
as thou has been thou forever wilt be.

Refrain:

Great is thy faithfulness!

Great is thy faithfulness!

Morning by morning new mercies I see;

all I have needed thy hand hath provided --

great is thy faithfulness, ever to me!

Summer and winter and springtime and harvest,
sun, moon, and stars in their courses above
join with all nature in manifold witness
to thy great faithfulness, mercy and love. *Refrain*

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth,
thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide,
strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow --
wondrous the portion thy blessings provide. *Refrain*

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Our Children and Youth Ministry is continuing to grow, and with that growth comes a need for more volunteers. We're inviting you to come alongside us by serving just one Sunday a month. Whether it's helping lead a small group, connecting with children, playing games, or simply being another trusted adult in the room, there's a place for you to make an impact.

If you're interested in serving with us or would like more information, please reach out to bonniemarsh@temc.ca

Thank you for partnering with us as we help our children and students grow in their relationship with Jesus!



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

11:00 ORDER OF SERVICE

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THE APPROACH

ORGAN PRELUDE

Adoration

Florence Price

Stephen Boda

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

PROCESSIONAL HYMN *PLEASE STAND*

No. 516 "Come, You Thankful People, Come"

St. George's Windsor

CALL TO WORSHIP

Minister: O Come let us sing to the Lord,
Let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!

**All: Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving;
Let us make a joyful noise to him with songs of praise!**

Minister: For the Lord is a great God and a great King above all gods.

**All: In his hand are the depths of the earth;
The heights of the mountains are his also**

Minister: The sea is his, for he made it,
And his hands prepared the dry land.

**All: O come, let us worship and bow down;
Let us kneel before the Lord, our Maker!**

PRAYER OF APPROACH *PLEASE BE SEATED*

THE WORD OF GOD

MINISTRY OF MUSIC

"Harvest"

Ager

Chamber Choir

The year is swiftly waning, the summer days are past; and life, brief life, is speeding, the end is nearing fast. The ever changing seasons in silence come and go; but Thou Eternal Father, no time or change canst know. O by each mercy sent us, and by each grief and pain, by blessings like the sunshine, and sorrows like the rain. Our barren hearts make fruitful with every goodly grace. That we Thy name may hallow, and see at last Thy face. Amen.

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Robert Positano

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Baptism:

Gordon Lew-Tong

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Profession of Faith:

Cheryl Burt

Janefrances Namutebi

William Rooney

Transfer:

Bruce Suds

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CLOSING HYMN *PLEASE STAND*

No. 236 "Now Thank We All Our God"

Nun Danket

BENEDICTION

CHORAL AMEN

Amen in C Major

Carillo

POSTLUDE

"Now Thank we all our God" from Cantata 79

*J.S. Bach arr. Virgil Fox
Stephen Boda*

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2026

9:15 AM | 11:00 AM

Rev. Dr. Jason Byassee preaching:
"What'd Sodom Do Wrong Again?"
from Ezekiel 16:49, 53-63

ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

Sunday, November 8 at 12:30 p.m. in the Flora McCrea Auditorium

HEART 'N' HANDS GROUP

You're invited to join us on Tuesday, October 13! The group gets together in the Lawson Room every other Tuesday from 1-3 p.m. Beginners and experienced knitters or crocheters are welcome. Our items are donated to Davenport-Perth Church. The group is a great way for people to get to know each other and give back to the community.

If anyone has extra yarn and would like to donate it to the group, it would be appreciated. Please contact: janecraig@sympatico.ca for more information.

CHURCHES ON-THE-HILL FOOD BANK

The OCTOBER Food of the Month donation is FAMILY SIZE PEANUT BUTTER. 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 cothfoodbank.ca for more information or to donate. Thank you for your support.

STEWARDSHIP

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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.

SON OF A PREACHERMAN

written and performed by Ins Choi

*A funny, heartfelt, and irresistibly
engaging production from the
creator of Kim's Convenience.*

October 1 - 25

Timothy Eaton Memorial Church
230 St. Clair Ave. W.

Tickets: pacifictheatre.org



If you'd like to help with our production of *Son of a Preacherman* as an usher (and to see the show for free as a reward for your labours!) please contact Pam Earle: pam@clostertofofine.ca



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THANKS COMMUNITY MEALS GIVING



FREE

OCTOBER 12, 2026

12:00pm | 2:30pm | 5:00pm

Timothy Eaton Memorial Church

230 St. Clair Ave. West



REGISTER

Bring your friends and family for a hearty holiday meal,
including turkey, gravy, cranberry sauce, potatoes,
stuffing, salads, and even dessert!
Vegan and gluten free options will be available

Scan QR Codes or visit temc.ca to register or volunteer.
Questions? daylebarrett@temc.ca



VOLUNTEER

MUSICAL MOSAIC

OCTOBER 13 | 12 PM

230 ST. CLAIR AVE. W

JOIN US IN THE ATRIUM

FEATURING:

OSCAR RANGEL
SOLO CLASSICAL GUITAR



Lignum et Umbra — La Madera y la Sombra

Oscar Rangel presents *Lignum et Umbra — La Madera y la Sombra*, a solo classical guitar recital exploring the instrument's darker, more atmospheric side. Blending classical repertoire with original music and subtle cinematic soundscapes, the program moves through memory, folklore, shadow, and quiet intensity. Rangel is a Mexican-Canadian guitarist and composer whose work bridges classical tradition, contemporary storytelling, and evocative sound design. Conceived especially for resonant historical spaces, *Lignum et Umbra* invites the audience into an intimate world where wood, stone, silence, and music seem to remember one another.



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FALL FAIR

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 25 FROM 12:00-2:00 PM IN THE AUDITORIUM

LUNCH OPTIONS | PUMPKIN CARVING | BAKE SALE | MAGIC SHOW | FACE PAINTING

Fun for the whole family!

Bakers and volunteers needed. Contact: annestephenson@temc.ca

Worship Information:

- ✚ Wheelchair access is through the northwest entrance.
- ✚ 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.
- ✚ The 11:00 a.m. service is live-streamed at temc.ca/livestream or youtube.com/@TEMCToronto/streams
- ✚ Copies of recent sermons are available in the narthex or at temc.ca/sermons.

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