

October 25, 2020 - 11:00 a.m.

As a safety precaution due to the pandemic, please either take this order of service home with you or deposit it in the recycling bin on your way out.

Thank you so much and stay safe.



11:00 AM - ORDER OF SERVICE

Please turn off all electronic devices.
This service is live streamed (a live video presentation)
Congregational singing is NOT permitted at this time.

Please remain seated and masked throughout the service.

THE APPROACH

PRELUDE

"Prelude in C Major"

J.S. Bach

... Stephen Boda, organ

OPENING HYMN CHOIR ONLY

No. 213 "Rejoice! The Lord is King"

Darwall

Rejoice, the Lord is King! Your risen Lord adore! Rejoice, give thanks and sing and triumph evermore:

Refrain:

Lift up your heart, lift up your voice; rejoice; again I say, rejoice!

Jesus the Saviour reigns, the God of truth and love; when he had purged our sins, he took his seat above. [Refrain]

God's kingdom cannot fail; Christ rules o'er earth and heaven; the keys of death and hell are to our Jesus given. [Refrain]

Rejoice in glorious hope, for Christ, the Judge, shall come to glorify the saints for their eternal home: We then shall hear the archangel's voice; the trump of God shall sound, rejoice!

CALL TO WORSHIP

Minister: Wherever Christ is proclaimed, there is great joy among his

people.

All: We rejoice that God is at work in every area of life.

Minister: Wherever Christ is proclaimed with authority and power,

names are written in heaven's book of life.

All: Praise, nothing but praise be to you Father, Son and Holy

Spirit!

OPENING PRAYER

PRAYER OF CONFESSION SAY TOGETHER

Sometimes we are so busy or self absorbed that we don't notice the needs of others; sometimes we are too proud to undertake humble tasks or too stubborn to seek the help of others; sometimes we magnify small wrongs done to us or are insensitive, inflexible or unteachable; forgive us, loving God, and save us from ourselves.

RESPONSIVE KYRIE

Minister: Lord have mercy upon us;

All: Christ have mercy upon us;

Minister: Lord have mercy upon us.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

WELCOME

THE WORD OF GOD

MINISTRY OF MUSIC

"Shout for Joy!"

American spiritual arr. Bullard

... TEMC Trio

O Lord! Shout for Joy! Early in the morning, Shout for joy! Late in the evening, Shout for Joy! Feel like shouting, feel like praying O Lord! Shout for Joy!

CHILDREN'S TIME

SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 10:17-24

The seventy returned with joy, saying, "Lord, in your name even the demons submit to us!" He said to them, "I watched Satan fall from heaven like a flash of lightning. See, I have given you authority to tread on snakes and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy; and nothing will hurt you. Nevertheless, do not rejoice at this, that the spirits submit to you, but rejoice that your names are written in heaven." At that same hour Jesus rejoiced in the Holy Spirit and said, "I thank you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, because you have hidden these things from the wise and the intelligent and have revealed them to infants; yes, Father, for such was your gracious will. All things have been handed over to me by my Father; and no one knows who the Son is except the Father, or who the Father is except the Son and anyone

to whom the Son chooses to reveal him." Then turning to the disciples, Jesus said to them privately, "Blessed are the eyes that see what you see! For I tell you that many prophets and kings desired to see what you see, but did not see it, and to hear what you hear, but did not hear it."

SONG OF PREPARATION CHOIR ONLY

"How Can I Keep From Singing"

There is an endless song
Echoes in my soul
I hear the music ring
And though the storms may come
I am holding on to the rock I cling

Chorus:

How can I keep from singing your praise How can I ever say enough How amazing is your love How can I keep from shouting your name I know I am loved by the King And it makes my heart (want to sing)

I will lift my eyes
In the darkest night
For I know my savior lives
And I will walk with you
Knowing you'll see me through
And sing the songs you give Chorus

Bridge:

I can sing in the troubled times
Sing when I win
I can sing when I lose my step
And fall down again
I can sing 'cause you pick me up
Sing 'cause you're there
I can sing 'cause you hear me lord
When I call to you in prayer
I can sing with my last breath
Sing for I know
That I'll sing with the angels
And the saints around the throne Chorus

I am loved by the king And it makes my heart I am loved by the king And it makes my heart want to sing Yeah I can sing

SERMON

"Joy – Hidden and Revealed" The Rev. Dr. Andrew Stirling

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

Please place your offering in one of the available containers as you leave.

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

"Hark, the Glad Sound!"

Thorne ... TEMC Trio

Hark, the glad sound! The Saviour comes, The Saviour promised long! Let every heart prepare a throne, and every voice a song. He comes the prisoners to release, in Satan's bondage held, The gates of brass before him burst, The iron fetters yield. He comes, the broken heart to bind, the wounded soul to cure; and with the treasures of his grace Enrich the humble poor. Our glad hosannas, Prince of Peace, Thy welcome shall proclaim; And heaven's eternal arches ring with thy beloved name. Hark the glad sound! The Saviour comes, the Saviour promised long! Let every heart prepare a throne, and every voice a song. Our glad hosannas, Prince of Peace, Thy welcome shall proclaim; and heaven's eternal arches ring, with thy beloved name. Amen!

CLOSING HYMN CHOIR ONLY

No. 260 "God Who Gives Life its Goodness"

Abbot's Leigh

God who gives life its goodness, God creator of all joy, God who gives to us our freedom, God who blesses tool and toy: teach us now to laugh and praise you, deep within your praises sing, till the whole creation dances for the goodness of its King. God who fills the earth with beauty, God who binds each friend to friend, God who names us co-creators God who wills that chaos end: grant us now creative spirits, minds responsive to your mind, hearts and wills your rule extending all our acts to Love refined.

BENEDICTION

ORGAN POSTLUDE

"Festive Trumpet Tune"

David German ... Stephen Boda

NEXT WEEK

Sunday, November 1, 2020 11:00 a.m. Worship Service

The Rev. Dr. Andrew Stirling preaching "Good News, Bad News, and God's News" from Psalm 9

SUNDAY SCHOOL (VIRTUAL)

Every Sunday 10 am

Contact: Nupurjames@temc.ca

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CHURCHES ON THE HILL FOOD BANK

The OCTOBER Food of the Month donation is CRACKERS. Egg cartons are also needed at this time. Visit us at our website www.cothfoodbank.ca for more information or to donate. On behalf of the clients, volunteers at the COTH Food bank, thank you for your support.

TEMC 2020 ANNUAL REPORT TO THE CONGREGATION

Copies of the 2020 Annual Report to the Congregation are available upon request. If you would like a copy, please email sonyaswainsbury@temc.ca

FYI: THE COST OF DOING BUSINESS VIRTUALLY

For your information, the annual cost of producing the livestream and radio broadcast is \$80,000. Anything you could do to help offset this expense would be appreciated.

SAVE THE DATE: THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 5 NEIGHBOURHOOD INTERFAITH GROUP VIRTUAL TOUR OF JERUSALEM

On Thursday, November 5 from 7:30 - 9:00 pm the Neighbourhood Interfaith Group will be hosting a virtual tour of sites in Jerusalem that are common to our Muslim, Jewish and Christian faiths.

An experienced guide will lead the tour and it will be complemented by insights and commentary from some of the group's clergy.

Pre-Registration is required via https://bethtzedectoronto.shulcloud.com/event/neighbourhood-interfaith-group-jerusalem-tour.html?

"READING WITH REV LORI" BOOK SERIES

Nov. 9, 2020 - Crime and Punishment by Fyodor Dostoyevski

Books can be purchased through most online book sellers. To order a copy through the church, please send an email to Rev. Lori.

Join us at 7:00 pm via Zoom.

Register online at temc.ca/adult-ministry

NEW PASTORAL CARE PROGRAMMING

If you are looking for virtual programs to help you stay fit and healthy, the Pastoral Care Committee recommends two websites that provide a broad selection of virtual programs:

Better Living Centre: https://mybetterliving.ca/better-living-is-keeping-you-staying-strong-and-healthy-during-covid-19/

For information contact: 416-447-7244 ext. 622

SPRINT Senior Care: https://sprintseniorcare.org/calendar-program-flyers. For information contact Jonathan Kirby 416-481-0669 ext. 1287 or jonathan. kirby@sprintseniorcare.org.

For more details or assistance contact Dr. Hunnisett @ 416-925-8494 ext. 232

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