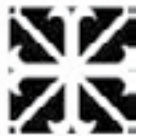




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TIMOTHY EATON  
MEMORIAL  
CHURCH



A Place for Life

# 9:15 AM – ORDER OF SERVICE

*Please turn off all electronic devices. Nursery care is available at both services.*

## PRELUDE

## WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

## MINUTE MESSAGE

Thanksgiving Dinner

Rev. Dayle Barrett

## CONGREGATIONAL SONG

“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]*

## OPENING 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.**

## PRAYER WITH THE CHILDREN

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

## MUSICAL REFLECTION

"Christ is Lower Still"

Breathe in reach out  
Touch the hem of Your garment now  
Help me heal me  
My mind my body and soul

*Chorus:*

*Let the King descend living word made flesh  
Lift this heavy heart to Your throne o God  
In Your wounds I find room for all of mine  
When from grace I fell Christ was lower still*

Humbly lowly  
Jesus waits in the valley  
My Savior suffers with me  
With Him I'll rise again

*Chorus:*

*Let the King descend living word made flesh  
Lift this heavy heart to Your throne o God  
In Your wounds I find room for all of mine  
When from grace I fell Christ was lower still  
Til the Earth is filled Christ is lower still*

*Bridge:*

*We lift it all up to You Lord We lift it all up to You Lord  
We lift our heads We lift our hands  
We lift it all up to You Lord We lift our dreams  
We lift our plans We lift it all up to You Lord  
We lift our sorrow And our pain  
We lift it all up to You Lord We cast our cares  
On You again We lift it all up to You Lord*

## SCRIPTURE

Matthew 11:25-12:8

Ryan McDonald

<sup>25</sup> At that time Jesus 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;"<sup>26</sup> yes, Father, for such was your gracious will. <sup>27</sup> All things have been handed over to me by my Father, and no one knows the Son except the Father, and no one knows the Father except the Son and anyone to whom the Son chooses to reveal him. <sup>28</sup> "Come to me, all you who are weary and are carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest. <sup>29</sup> Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. <sup>30</sup> For my yoke is easy, and my burden is

light." At that time Jesus went through the grain fields on the Sabbath; his disciples were hungry, and they began to pluck heads of grain and to eat. <sup>2</sup> When the Pharisees saw it, they said to him, "Look, your disciples are doing what is not lawful to do on the Sabbath." <sup>3</sup> He said to them, "Have you not read what David did when he and his companions were hungry? <sup>4</sup> How he entered the house of God, and they ate the bread of the Presence, which it was not lawful for him or his companions to eat, but only for the priests? <sup>5</sup> Or have you not read in the law that on the Sabbath the priests in the temple break the Sabbath and yet are guiltless? <sup>6</sup> I tell you, something greater than the temple is here. <sup>7</sup> But if you had known what this means, 'I desire mercy and not sacrifice,' you would not have condemned the guiltless. <sup>8</sup> For the Son of Man is lord of the Sabbath."!

## **SERMON**

### **"Do We Only Have Nine Commandments?" Rev. Dayle Barrett**

## **PASTORAL PRAYER**

## **OFFERTORY**

## **OFFERTORY ANTHEM**

"River in Judea"

*Feldman*  
Chamber Choir

Oftentimes I dream of music, of the river that freely flows. And it sings a song sweeter than honey, one everybody knows. Late at night, I hear it singing, then again when I wake at dawn. And it fills me up with hope and goodwill, the will to go on. There is a river in Judea that I heard of long ago. And it's a singing, ringing river that my soul cries out to know. I believe it keeps on trav'lin' but it rests on the Sabbath day. And the time when it pauses in stillness, I almost hear it pray. When I'm weary and downhearted, how I long for the song it sings, For the calm within its gentle blue, the peace that it brings, it brings. May the time not be too distant when we meet by the river (meet by the) shore. 'Til then dream of that wonderful day as we sing once more, once more: There is a river in Judea that I heard of long ago. And it's a singing, ringing river that my soul cries out to know. Hallelujah!!!

## **CLOSING SONG**

"Be Unto Your Name"

We are a moment You are forever  
Lord of the ages God before time  
We are a vapor You are eternal  
Love everlasting reigning on high

*Chorus:*

*Holy holy Lord God Almighty  
Worthy is the Lamb Who was slain  
Highest praises honor and glory  
Be unto Your name  
Be unto Your name*

We are the broken You are the healer  
Jesus Redeemer mighty to save  
You are the love song we'll sing forever  
Bowing before You blessing Your name

Be unto Your name

(REPEAT)

*CCLI Song # 2177476*

## **BENEDICTION**

## **POSTLUDE**

### **CONTEMPORARY BAND**

John Arndt (band leader, arranger),  
Noel Di Tosto (guitar), Stephen San Juan (drums),  
Elaine Choi, Rosanna Scopacasa, Will Byassee (strings)  
Olivia LaPointe, Anthony Varahidis (vocals)

CCLI: 2792602



### **TEMC CHOIR SCHOOL**

TEMC Choir School is now in session! For the first month, we're offering a trial period for new students ages 4-17 to experience our dynamic music program for free! Rehearsals are every Wednesday from 5:30-6:30 pm.

For more information, contact us at [temcchoirschool@gmail.com](mailto:temcchoirschool@gmail.com).

Come sing with us!

# 11:00 AM – ORDER OF SERVICE

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These services are live streamed (a live video presentation)*

## THE APPROACH

### ORGAN PRELUDE

“Concerto in G Major”

*J.S. Bach*  
Stephen Boda

### WELCOME

### PROCESSIONAL HYMN *PLEASE STAND*

No. 315 “Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty”

*Nicæa*

### CALL TO WORSHIP *PLEASE REMAIN STANDING*

Leader: This is the day that you have made Lord. Let us think on you.

**All: Let us forget all our worries, all our work and for this time, fix our eyes only on you.**

Leader: We're tired already and it's only the middle of September.

**All: Help us to remember that you said, “Come unto me all that labour and are heavy laden and I will give you rest.”**

Leader: We come to you Lord

**All: Let us rejoice in you and rest in you.**

**All sing: Drop thy still dews of quietness  
till all our strivings cease  
Take from our souls the strain and stress  
and let our ordered lives confess  
The beauty of thy peace.**

*(No. 608 v. 4)*

### PRAYER OF APPROACH *PLEASE BE SEATED*

### PRAYER OF CONFESSION *SAY TOGETHER*

**Almighty God, we are not living as you have shown us. We do not stop and rest in you. We have stumbled in today Lord, frazzled, so busy that we don't know how everything will get done, convinced that if we stop to take a breath, everything will fall apart. We have been seduced by the cult of busyness. We know that you want us to take time to be with you, to meditate on you, to listen for you. Help us to start by doing it just for the hour that we are here and then maybe work up to more. Calm our beating hearts, still our racing minds and let us pray and worship and be quiet and at peace in and with you. We ask this in the name of your beloved son, our true saviour, Jesus Christ. 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. 385 v. 5

Spirit divine, attend our prayers;  
make a lost world your home;  
descend with all your gracious powers,  
O come, great Spirit, come!

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **MINUTE MESSAGE**

Thanksgiving Dinner

Rev. Dayle Barrett

# THE WORD OF GOD

## **MINISTRY OF MUSIC**

"River in Judea"

*Feldman*

Sanctuary Choir

Oftentimes I dream of music, of the river that freely flows. And it sings a song sweeter than honey, one everybody knows. Late at night, I hear it singing, then again when I wake at dawn. And it fills me up with hope and goodwill, the will to go on. There is a river in Judea that I heard of long ago. And it's a singing, ringing river that my soul cries out to know. I believe it keeps on trav'lin' but it rests on the Sabbath day. And the time when it pauses in stillness, I almost hear it pray. When I'm weary and downhearted, how I long for the song it sings, For the calm within its gentle blue, the peace that it brings, it brings. May the time not be too distant when we meet by the river (meet by the) shore. 'Til then dream of that wonderful day as we sing once more, once more: There is a river in Judea that I heard of long ago. And it's a singing, ringing river that my soul cries out to know. Hallelujah!!!

## **SCRIPTURE READING**

Matthew 11:25-12:8

Marni Whitaker

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**HYMN OF PREPARATION** *PLEASE STAND*

No. 635 “All the Way My Saviour Leads Me”

*All the Way*

**SERMON**

**“Do We Only Have Nine Commandments?”**

**Rev. Dayle Barrett**

## 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**

“O for a Closer Walk with God”

*Stanford  
Sanctuary Choir*

O for a closer walk with God, a calm and heavenly frame. A light to shine upon the road that leads me to the lamb! Return, O holy Dove, return! Sweet messenger of rest, I hate the sins that made thee mourn and drove me from thy breast. So shall my walk be close with God, calm and serene my frame, so purer light shall mark the road that leads me to the lamb.



**PRESENTATION OF THE OFFERING** *PLEASE STAND*

*Old 100th*

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise God, all creatures here below;  
Praise God above, ye heavenly host;  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

**RECESSIONAL HYMN** *PLEASE REMAIN STANDING*

No. 327 "All Praise to Thee"

*Sine Nomine*

**BENEDICTION**

**CHORAL AMEN**

No. 968

*Norman Johnson*

**ORGAN POSTLUDE**

"How Great Thou Art"

*arr. Dan Miller  
Stephen Boda*

**JOIN US AFTER THE SERVICE FOR  
LAWN BOWLING & BBQ SOCIAL**

Wells Hill Lawn Bowling Club

*(located at Bathurst and St. Clair Ave, behind the Wychwood Public Library.)*

Enjoy a delicious BBQ lunch and friendly game of lawn bowling (demonstration included). Bring your lawn chairs and sun hats.

Friends and family of all ages and skill levels are welcome!

Price: \$5.00 donation on the day of the event. Cash or credit card accepted.



**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 2024**

**9:15 AM: BLESSING OF THE PETS**

**11:00 AM: TRADITIONAL SERVICE**

Rev. Dr. Jason Byassee preaching:

"So ... which dogs go to heaven?"

Revelation 21:22-26



## **ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING (AND LUNCH)**

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6  
IN THE FLORA MCCREA AUDITORIUM**

Please register at [temc.ca](http://temc.ca)

Hard copies of the Annual Report are available in the narthex.  
Contact [sonyaswainsbury@temc.ca](mailto:sonyaswainsbury@temc.ca) for an electronic copy.

We want your feedback on the 5-year Strategic Vision for TEMC.  
A session hosted by the Strategic Vision Committee will immediately follow the meeting to gather your input.

## **BEGINNER LINE DANCING CLASSES TUESDAYS FROM 6:00-7:30 PM IN ALLAN BEATTIE ROOM**

This fun intro to line dancing class is for absolute beginners of all ages!

Bring your dancing shoes, learn some new footwork,  
and most importantly – HAVE FUN!

Drop-in Fee: \$10 donation at the door. Cash or Credit Card Accepted.



Scan to register or for more information.

## **CHIN RADIO BROADCAST**

We've long been proud of our broadcast ministry at TEMC. But the time may have come to stop paying CHIN radio \$70,000 per year to send out our signal. We do have some listeners without internet access. If you know anyone, please relay their name and contact information to our staff. We will work to get each one access to our worship. Delivering recordings personally will mean they get more pastoral attention from our church than ever.



### **WORSHIP WITH OUR ELDER SIBLINGS SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5**

One year ago, on October 7, Hamas terrorists massacred over 1200 people in Israeli, including young concertgoers, mothers, fathers, children, and the elderly. Over 250 were seized as hostages and more than 100 are still in captivity as the war claims yet more innocents throughout the region. As that doleful anniversary approaches, let's join our Jewish elder siblings to share in their grief and to stand with them in solidarity. We plan to have a TEMC group in attendance at Beth Tzedec and at Holy Blossom synagogues on **Saturday, October 5**—please contact Rev. Jason or Lisa Brisebois ([lisabrisebois3@gmail.com](mailto:lisabrisebois3@gmail.com)) for more information. The UJA Federation is planning an event on October 7 for which you must register on their website.



### **THANKSGIVING COMMUNION SERVICE THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10 AT 2:00 PM**

Thanksgiving Communion Service followed by afternoon tea.  
Thursday, October 10, 2024 at 2:00 PM

If you need a ride or you can drive, please email Joanne Leatch at [joanneleatch@temc.ca](mailto:joanneleatch@temc.ca) or phone her at 416-925-5977 ext. 230.





## **BAPTISM – SUNDAY, OCTOBER 20**

Baptism Sunday is October 20. If you are interested in baptism for your child or yourself please contact: [sonyaswainsbury@temc.ca](mailto:sonyaswainsbury@temc.ca).

Please plan to participate in the seminar held on Thursday, October 10 at 7:00 PM

## **JOIN US FOR BIBLE STUDY**



Each week Rev. Jason 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.

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

## **CHRISTIANITY 201 – WEDNESDAYS AT 7:00 PM**

Never been confirmed, or are looking for more after Alpha? Let's gather on Wednesday nights at 7:00 PM in the Allan Beattie Room. If you know some things about the faith but hunger to know more, this class is for you.



[www.temc.ca/fallfair](http://www.temc.ca/fallfair)

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# FALL FAIR

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 27  
12:30 – 2:30 PM

Pumpkin Carving  
Bake Sale  
Line Dancing  
Fall Drinks



## **COVER TO COVER BOOK CLUB**

**Monday, October 28 – 7:00 PM**

*The Brickworks* by Lucy E.M. Black

*The Brickworks* starts with the collapse of the Tay Bridge and the repercussions of the catastrophe. The manuscript demonstrates the contemporaneous sense of globalization and possibility that took place at the turn of the twentieth century. Central to the work is a cautionary tale about the effects of industrialization on both the landscape and the lives of those for whom it initially held such potential.

Copies can be purchased online at [amazon.ca](https://www.amazon.ca). Rachel MacMillan, who will be hosting the event, also has a few copies available for cash purchase. You can email her at: [rachkmc@yahoo.com](mailto:rachkmc@yahoo.com)

Copies will also be available for purchase at the book club event.

## **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 [librarycat.org/lib/TEMCLibrary](https://librarycat.org/lib/TEMCLibrary). 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: [library@temc.ca](mailto:library@temc.ca)

## **CHURCHES ON-THE-HILL FOOD BANK**

The SEPTEMBER Food of the Month donation is CANS OF SALMON (used for 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 [cothfoodbank.ca](https://cothfoodbank.ca) for more information or to donate.

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 [temc.ca/livestream](http://temc.ca/livestream) or [facebook.com/temctoronto](https://facebook.com/temctoronto) and audio broadcast on CHIN 1540 AM.
- Copies of recent sermons are available in the narthex, and online at [temc.ca/sermons](http://temc.ca/sermons).

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