



SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 2025

BLESSING OF THE PETS – 9:15 AM

TRADITIONAL – 11:00 AM



**TIMOTHY EATON
MEMORIAL
CHURCH** 
a place for life

9:15 ORDER OF SERVICE

Please turn off electronic devices. Nursery care is available.

PRELUDE

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

OPENING SONG

"Indescribable"

From the highest of heights to the depths of the sea
Creation's revealing Your majesty
From the colors of Fall to the fragrance of Spring
Ev'ry creature unique in the song that it sings
All exclaiming

Chorus 1

*Indescribable uncontainable
You placed the stars in the sky
And You know them by name
You are amazing God
All powerful untamable
Awestruck we fall to our knees
As we humbly proclaim
You are amazing God*

Who has told ev'ry lightning bolt where it should go
Or seen heavenly storehouses laden with snow
Who imagined the sun and gives source to its light
Yet conceals it to bring us the coolness of night
None can fathom
You are amazing God

Chorus 2

*Indescribable uncontainable
You placed the stars in the sky
And You know them by name
You are amazing God
Incomparable unchangeable
You see the depths of my heart
And You love me the same
You are amazing God*

You see the depths of my heart
And You love me the same
You are amazing God
(REPEAT)

You see the depths of our hearts
And You love us the same
You are amazing God

CCLI Song # 4403076

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.**

BLESSING ANTHEM

"Lord of the Small"

*Dan Forrest
David Moote*

Praise to the Lord of the small broken things, who sees the poor sparrow that cannot take wing. who loves the lame child and the wretch in the street who comforts their sorrows and washes their feet. Praise to the Lord of the faint and afraid who girds them with courage and lends them His aid, He pours out his spirit on vessels so weak, that the timid can serve and the silent can speak. Praise to the Lord of the frail and the ill who heals their afflictions or carries them till, they leave this tired frame and to paradise fly. To never be sick and never to die. Praise him, O praise Him all ye who live who've been given so much and can so little give our frail lisping praise God will never despise- He sees His dear children through mercy-filled eyes.

BLESSING OF THE PETS

(During the blessing hymn, all who have brought pets are invited to process down the centre aisle and into the chancel where all the animals will receive a blessing. Following the blessing children leave for Sunday School.)

BLESSING HYMN

No. 242 "Let All Things Now Living"

The Ash Grove

SCRIPTURE

Exodus 16:2-5, 13-18, 22-26, 30-31, & 35

Nico Crane

² The whole congregation of the Israelites complained against Moses and Aaron in the wilderness. ³ The Israelites said to them, "If only we had died by the hand of the Lord in the land of Egypt, when we sat by the pots of meat and ate our fill of bread, for you have brought us out into this wilderness to kill this whole assembly with hunger."

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¹³ . . . in the morning there was a layer of dew around the camp. ¹⁴ When the layer of dew lifted, there on the surface of the wilderness was a fine flaky substance, as fine as frost on the ground. ¹⁵ When the Israelites saw it, they said to one another, "What is it?" For they did not know what it was. Moses said to them, "It is the bread that the Lord has given you to eat. ¹⁶ This is what the Lord has commanded: Gather as much of it as each of you needs, an omer per person according to the number of persons, all providing for those in their own tents." ¹⁷ The Israelites did so, some gathering more, some less. ¹⁸ But when they measured it with an omer, those who gathered much had nothing over, and those who gathered little had no shortage; they gathered as much as each of them needed.

²² . . . "This is what the Lord has commanded: Tomorrow is a day of solemn rest, a holy Sabbath to the Lord; bake what you want to bake and boil what you want to boil, and all that is left over put aside to be kept until morning." ²⁴ So they put it aside until morning, just as Moses commanded them, and it did not rot, and there were no maggots in it. ²⁵ Moses said, "Eat it today, for today is a Sabbath to the Lord; today you will not find it in the field. ²⁶ Six days you shall gather it, but on the seventh day, which is a Sabbath, there will be none." ³⁰ So the people rested on the seventh day.

³¹ The Israelites called it manna; it was like white coriander seed, and the taste of it was like wafers made with honey. ³⁵ The Israelites ate manna forty years, until they came to a habitable land; they ate manna, until they came to the border of the land of Canaan.

SERMON

"Give us this day our daily bread"

Rev. Dr. Jason Byassee

PASTORAL PRAYER

INVITATION TO OFFERING

OFFERTORY ANTHEM *CHOIR ONLY*

"All Things Bright and Beautiful"

Rutter
Chamber Choir

All Things bright and beautiful all creatures great and small, all things wise and wonderful, the Lord God made them all. Each little flower that opens, each little bird that sings, he made their glowing colours, he made their tiny wings. The purple-headed mountain, the river running by, the sunset and the morning that brightens up the sky. The cold wind in the winter, the pleasant summer sun, the ripe fruits in the garden - he made them every one. He gave us eyes to see them, and lips that we might tell how great is God Almighty, who has made all things well.

CLOSING SONG *PLEASE STAND*

"Great Are You Lord"

You give life You are love

You bring light to the darkness

You give hope You restore ev'ry heart that is broken

And great are You Lord

Chorus

It's Your breath in our lungs

So we pour out our praise

We pour out our praise

It's Your breath in our lungs

So we pour out our praise to You only

And all the earth will shout Your praise

Our hearts will cry these bones will sing

Great are You Lord

(REPEAT)

CCLI Song # 6460220

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

*If you would like to be mentioned in our pastoral prayer
please contact Joanne Leatch.*

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.

11:00 AM – ORDER OF SERVICE

*Please turn off all electronic devices. Nursery care is available.
These services are live streamed (a live video presentation)*

THE APPROACH

ORGAN PRELUDE

Concerto in G Major

J.S. Bach
Stephen Boda

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

PROCESSIONAL HYMN *PLEASE STAND*

No. 213 "Rejoice, the Lord Is King"

Darwall's 148th

CALL TO WORSHIP *PLEASE REMAIN STANDING*

Minister: We rejoice in the LORD, who supplies all our needs, according to his riches in glory through Christ Jesus.

All: Our God fills us with the finest of wheat. The meek shall eat and be satisfied.

Minister: I have never seen the righteous forsaken, nor their seed begging bread.

All: God gives us wine to make the heart glad, oil to make the face shine, and bread to strengthen our hearts.

Minister: Yet, we shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceeds from the mouth of God

All: O LORD, give us the true bread from heaven!

**All Sing: Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah,
Pilgrim through this barren land,
I am weak, but thou art mighty,
Hold me with thy powerful hand.
Bread of heaven, bread of heaven,
feed me till I want no more,
feed me till I want no more.**

(No. 615, v.1)

PRAYER OF APPROACH *PLEASE BE SEATED*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION *SAY TOGETHER*

O Heavenly Father, we have tempted you in our hearts by asking after our own desires. Though you command the clouds from above and open the doors of heaven, we have not believed in you, nor have we trusted in your salvation. We have flattered you with our lips and lied to you with our tongues, but our hearts have not been right with

you, neither have we been steadfast in your covenant. We return to you now, O LORD our God, and we enquire after your mercy. Son of God, full of compassion, forgive us our iniquity. Spirit of God, blow like the east wind and rain God's goodness upon us. We hunger and thirst for your righteousness. Fill us now, O Bread of Heaven, that we might eat of you and be satisfied. 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. 218 v.3

With voices united our praises we offer,
and gladly our songs of thanksgiving we raise.
Our sins now confessing, we pray for your blessing,
to you, our great Redeemer, forever be praise!

THE WORD OF GOD

MINISTRY OF MUSIC

"All Things Bright and Beautiful"

Rutter

Sanctuary Choir

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HYMN OF PREPARATION PLEASE STAND

No. 288 "Great Is Thy Faithfulness"

Faithfulness

SERMON

"Give us this day our daily bread"

Rev. Dr. Jason Byassee

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

“Notre Père”

Durufle

Sanctuary Choir

*Notre Père, qui es aux cieux,
que ton nom soit sanctifié,
que ton règne vienne,
que ta volonté soit faite sur la terre comme au ciel.
Donne-nous aujourd'hui notre pain de ce jour.
Pardonne-nous nos offenses,
comme nous pardonnons aussi à ceux
qui nous ont offensés.
Et ne nous soumetts pas la tentation
mais délivre-nous du mal.*

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.

RECESSIONAL HYMN PLEASE REMAIN STANDING

No. 325 “Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation”

Westminster Abbey

BENEDICTION

CHORAL AMEN

Amen in D

Boda

ORGAN POSTLUDE

Postlude on “Duke Street”

*David Lasky
Stephen Boda*

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please contact Joanne Leatch.*

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 5, 2025 – COMMUNION

9:15 AM: CONTEMPORARY | 11:00 AM: TRADITIONAL

Dayle K. Barrett preaching:

“Forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us”
from Matthew 6:12 and Luke 11:4

Addoldy Cymraeg Toronto

Bilingual Welsh/English Service at 2:00 PM
in the East Chapel followed by tea in the Reception Room

ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

Mark your calendars!

Sunday, October 19 at 12:30 PM in the Flora McCrea Auditorium

TODAY at 12:15 PM



LUNCH & LEARN



THANKSGIVING HOMECOMING & TEA THURSDAY, OCTOBER 9 AT 2:00 PM

Mark your calendars!

If you need a ride or you can drive please contact:
joanneleatch@temc.ca or 416-925-5977 ext. 230.

CHURCHES ON-THE-HILL FOOD BANK

The SEPTEMBER Food of the Month donation is CANNED FRUIT. 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 to donate either on a one time or a pre-authorized monthly basis. Thank you for your support.

Join us for Thanksgiving Dinner

On Monday, October 13, we will be hosting our second annual Thanksgiving Community Dinner in the Flora McCrea Auditorium.

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.

In service to the people of Toronto, we will not be charging for this event. Donations can be made with cash, card, or non-perishable food item – NOBODY gets turned away! Meals will be served at 12:00, 2:30, & 5:00 PM. Register at temc.ca and choose your mealtime.

HOW YOU CAN HELP:

1. Volunteer – We expect lots of people to come for food that day, so we need volunteers to serve food, greet people, clear tables, and accept donations. Contact daylebarrett@temc.ca if you'd like to serve.
2. Come and eat – We want our community to know how lovely you all are, so come and meet them, eat with them, and help make this day truly special.
3. Donate – We're giving back to our community, but not everyone has the same resources. Give what you can, so we can put on more events like this in the future.



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or for more info.



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“WEDNESDAY NIGHT STUDY”

CHRISTIANITY 201

COMING UP:
N.T. WRIGHT'S
"THE LORD AND
HIS PRAYER"

STARTING
OCTOBER 1 | 5:30PM | TEMC
LED BY PASTOR JASON

Join us for Christianity 201 at 5:30 starting October 1, a chance to gather with friends and Rev. Jason to read, reflect, and wonder together about the Christian faith. Starting Oct. 1 at 7 pm, we'll discuss N.T. Wright's The Lord and His Prayer, connecting with our sermon series. Copies are available in the library. Come ready to ask questions, share thoughts, and grow together.

TEMC CHOIR SCHOOL

Every Wednesday at 5:30 PM

Open to Grades JK-12. All skill levels are welcome!



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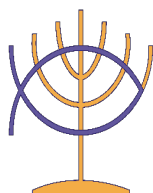


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Celebrating 50 Years of Dialogue

As we rejoice in the gifts of encounter and dialogue, we invite you to join us in celebrating the 50th anniversary of the formal launch of the



Christian-Jewish Dialogue of Toronto

Giving thanks for our **PAST** ...

Rejoicing in our **PRESENT** ...

Looking with hope toward our **FUTURE** ...



Event Details

Date: Sunday, October 19, 2025
Time: 4:00 – 6:00 p.m.
Location: Timothy Eaton Memorial Church
230 St. Clair Ave W., Toronto
Venue: Flora McCrea Auditorium

Venue Access

- From the church parking lot, follow the paved path on the **north side** to the **main entrance on Dunvegan Avenue** (wheelchair-accessible).
- The **Dunvegan TTC stop** is directly across from this entrance.
- Parking** is available in the **church lot**. Additional **street parking** can be found on **Warren** and **Dunvegan**.

Light Kosher Refreshments • Free Admission • Donations are appreciated:

<https://www.canadahelps.org/en/charities/christian-jewish-dialogue-of-toronto/>

All are warmly welcome at this event, but pre-registration is required.

To register, please e-mail your name and contact information no later than **October 13** to
CJDT50TH@gmail.com





In a landmark 4,200th episode of the podcast & blog Day1, our very own Rev. Dr. Jason Byassee and Rabbi Yael Splansky of Holy Blossom Temple join host Rev. Dr. Katie Givens Kime for an interfaith reflection on Psalm 79. This milestone episode is especially significant as Rabbi Splansky is the very first Jewish voice to be featured in Day1's 80-year history. Together, they explore how ancient lament can be transformed into song and how

faith responds to devastation with both defiance and hope. LISTEN AND WATCH NOW at: day1.fm/4200

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Rabbi Yael Splansky
Insisting on Praise:
Reading Psalm 79 Together
Psalm 79

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Join our new TEMC Family Facebook Group! We've created a new space for our church family to stay connected, share encouragement, and celebrate life together. Post events, share prayer requests, and keep up with what's happening in our community as we walk in faith side by side.

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COURAGE to create

The Role of the Artist
in Troubled Times

Timothy Eaton Memorial Church

230 St. Clair Avenue West

Tuesday October 21 at 7:30 p.m.

\$10 at the door. Parking available at the Church.



MURRAY WATTS

An award-winning playwright and screenwriter and the author of many books. A founding director of Riding Lights Theatre Company in the UK and the screenwriter for the film *The Miracle Maker*. He has directed many plays and in 2000, he founded The Wayfarer Trust, an international arts

charity, based at Freswick Castle in Scotland, which aims to encourage, inspire and give renewed hope to many artists around the world. He first spoke at an IMAGO event in Toronto in 2001. His new play, *The Beloved Son* will be performed in Toronto on October 22, 2025, at Knox Presbyterian Church, 630 Spadina at 7:30 p.m.

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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