

PATERSON MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

120 S. Russell St. Sarnia, ON N7T 3L1



**To all who are young and need counsel,
To all who are strong and need a task,
To all who are weary and need companionship,
To all who mourn and need comfort,
To all who are sinful and need a Saviour,
This church opens its doors
And in the name of Christ our Lord says
“Welcome!”**

Paterson Memorial Presbyterian Church

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Linda Plummer, Sunday School Co-ordinator

Order of Worship – April 30, 2017

*Please stand as you are able where this symbol appears

The Women’s Missionary Society is a community of Christians whose purpose, in response to the love of God in Jesus Christ, is to encourage one another and all the people of the church to be involved in local and world mission through prayer, study, service and fellowship.



Our Approach to God

Welcome & Announcements

Prelude

He leadeth me

Call to Worship:

L: Creation and creatures applaud you, God; your holy people bless you.
P: They talk about the glories of your rule, they exclaim over your splendor.
L: Letting the world know of your power for good, the lavish splendor of your kingdom.
P: Your kingdom is a kingdom eternal; You never get voted out of office.
L: God always does what he says,
And is gracious in everything he does.
P: God gives a hand to those down on their luck, gives a fresh start to those ready to quit.
L: God All eyes are on you, expectant; You give them their meals on time.

P: Generous to a fault, You lavish favour on all creatures.

L: Everything God does is right – the trademark on all his works is love.

P: God's there, listening for all who pray, for all who pray and mean it.

***Hymn # 373**

Jesus loves me, this I know

Prayer

Calling on God

Praising God

Asking God's forgiveness

Assurance of Forgiveness

Pass the peace

Please turn to your neighbor and share the peace of God, saying...

- The peace of Christ be with you...
- And also with you.

Family Message

The Word of God

New Testament

John 6:1-15

M: This is the word of the Lord;

P: Thanks be to God!

***Hymn # 534**

All who hunger

Sermon

***Hymn # 648**

I'm gonna live so God can use me

Presenting our gifts

Ministry of Music

When I lift up my voice

Offertory

Alleluia, alleluia,
Give thanks to the risen Lord;
Alleluia, alleluia,
Give praise to his name.

Prayer of thanks and request

The Lord's prayer

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil:

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever.

Amen.

***Hymn # 247**

Christ the Lord is risen today

Blessing

This is the day, this is the day,

That the Lord has made,

That the Lord has made.

We will rejoice, we will rejoice

And be glad in it, and be glad in it.

This is the day that the Lord has made,

we will rejoice and be glad in it,

this is the day, this is the day

That the Lord has made.

Postlude

Announcements

Email: patersonch@cogeco.net

Website: <http://www.patersonchurch.ca/>

Day	Date	Time	Event
Wednesday	May 3	1:00 pm	Bible Study
Thursday	May 4	6:30 pm	Choir Practice

You're invited to join us for Refreshments after the Service

Membership Classes - Are you interested in becoming a member at Paterson? Would you like to talk about the foundations of our Christian faith? What does "Presbyterian" mean anyway? Talk to Allan about timing for membership classes!

Please keep Paterson's roof project in your thoughts and plans. Currently we have raised **\$32,349.55** toward the roof.

Thank you so much for your generosity! **The total cost for the roof is \$56,000.00.** Please consider what you can give or ways that you can contribute. Thank you all so much!

50 days of Prayer:

A number of churches in Sarnia-Lambton will be participating in 50 days of prayer for our city every day between Easter and Pentecost, including a community prayer on the steps of city hall. Let's get praying with our sisters and brothers around the city!

Paper copies will be available in the church hall. If you'd like an electronic copy email patersonch@cogeco.net

Let's fill the cart for the Inn of the Good Shepherd!

Please consider picking up an extra item or two on your grocery shopping trips and adding them to the cart in the Sanctuary. Many are in need in our city and every little bit helps!

Maker Fun Factory Vacation Bible Camp

We will be offering a "Maker Fun Factory" Vacation Bible Camp the week of July 10-14, along with Central Baptist Church. We look forward to sharing the love of God with

forty children from our church and community. If you know a child age 5-11 (finished JK-grade 5) who would like to participate, they can register online at <http://patersonchurch.ca/maker-fun-factory/> or by calling the church office: 519-344-6422.

Many key leaders are already in place, and we are looking for a few more helpers to assist the main leaders:

Registration: Monday, July 10: 2 volunteers from Paterson (8:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m.): _____ and _____

Registration: Tuesday, July 11: 2 volunteers from Paterson (8:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m.): _____ and _____

Please call Judith at 519-491-0129 or email judithmariafarris@gmail.com to let her know where you can help. Thank you!

VBC is asking for the following items:

Empty apple juice/tomato juice cans,
Large buttons.
Empty paper towel rolls,
Jigsaw puzzles that are missing pieces,
Leftover "hardware" items like bolts,
washers, o-rings,



If you are able to contribute please give to Linda Plummer or Judith Farris, Thank you!