

# **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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### **Order of Worship – Nov. 5, 2017**

\*Please stand as you are able where this symbol appears

#### **Our Approach to God**

##### **Welcome & Announcements**

##### **Prelude**

**Gather us in (choir)**

##### **Call to Worship:**

L: God, you make all things well,

**P: May we work and rest in the joy of your truth.**

##### **\*Hymn**

**Oh when the Saints go marching in (see pp)**

##### **Prayer**

**Calling on God**

**Praising God**

**Asking God's forgiveness**

##### **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.**

##### **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**

**Old Testament**

Psalm 107                      Give thanks to the Lord (see pp)

**New Testament**

Matthew 23:1:13 (NLT)

M: This is the word of the Lord;

P: Thanks be to God!

\*Hymn # 722                      Lord, whose love in humble service

**Sermon**

\*Hymn # 229                      Jesu, Jesu, fill us with your love

**Presenting our gifts**

**Ministry of Music**                      Peace Prayer

**Offertory**

All that we have and all that we offer  
Comes from a heart both frightened and free  
Take what we bring now and give what we need  
All done in his name

**Prayer of thanks and request**

\*Hymn # 725                      Freedom is coming

**Blessing**

This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine  
This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine  
This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine  
Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine!

**Postlude**

**Announcements**

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

Day	Date	Time	Event
Tuesday	Nov. 7	9:00 am	Soup making
Wednesday	Nov. 8	1:00 pm	Bible Study
Thursday	Nov. 9	6:30 pm	Choir Practice

You're invited to join us for refreshments following the Service.

Fall Clean-up at the Church  
Tuesday, Nov. 7<sup>th</sup> and Nov. 14<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 am  
Bring rakes and pruners.  
All help is much appreciated!

**Preparations for our Annual Christmas Bazaar held on Nov. 18, 9:30 – noon, have started. HELP is needed in all the tasks before and during the Bazaar.**

Dates for upcoming bakes are:

Nov. 7 - Soups

Nov. 13 – Shepherd's Pies      All bakes start at 9:00 am

Sign up sheets are available in the Kitchen.

All hands are needed!!

Donations of books, jewelry and items for Grandma's Cupboard, etc. can be brought to the Church on any morning.

Thank you!

**The Sunday School is in need of donations for juice and snacks.  
Thank you for your help!**

We have had a project called "**Toonie Tubes**" in support of the Capital & Maintenance Fund. This is a painless way of contributing to the capital repairs and projects needed. Tubes can be found at the Russell St. and Kathleen Ave. doors. When full, a tube is placed in the offering plate and then deposited to the C&M Fund. If you are able and interested please take a tube on your way home. Any help given is much appreciated

**Please join us at St. Giles Presbyterian Church for a video series featuring Andy Stanley titled "Starting Point."**

We meet **Tuesday mornings at 9:30 a.m. or if you prefer**, you may come on **Wednesday evenings at 6:00 p.m.**

We share in pot luck at 6:00 pm on Wednesday evenings and the video is shown at 6:40 with discussion at 7:00 p.m. You are welcome to join us for any or all of the activities.

All are welcome and bring a friend!

Please hold the date of **Saturday, November 18th for the second installment of our L.E.A.D - Leading with Love - Conference.** More information is coming your way soon.

## A PCC Mission Moment:

### We have much to teach

Pray for the 20 congregations attending the *Stewards By Design* conference in Orillia, Ontario this week (November 9- 12). Keynote speaker Dr. Kennon Callahan will inspire participants as they learn how to nurture faithful giving and abundant living, expand and strengthen their mission and ministry and make generous giving an ongoing, joyful experience. Dr. Callahan will work with each team to develop a concrete plan suited for their unique situation. A past conference participant shared, "What a tremendous event! The worship was truly inspiring, the fellowship was joyful and the prayers are uplifting. The conference sessions were a true blessing for us all. We learned much and now we have much to teach." About half of the cost of *Stewards By Design* is funded by gifts to *Presbyterians Sharing* and undesignated bequests.



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