

# 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 – Jan. 14, 2018

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

### Our Approach to God

#### Welcome & Announcements

#### Children leave for Sunday School

#### Ministry of Music

The Mighty One of Israel

#### Call to Worship:

L: Open our ears, Lord

**P: To hear you calling.**

L: Open our eyes Lord,

**P: To see you at work.**

L: Open our hearts, Lord

**P: and fill us with your Spirit.**

#### \*Hymn

All are welcome

#### 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.**

**The Word of God**

**Old Testament**

**Psalm 139**

**“Filling me with joy” (see pp)**

**Old Testament**

**1 Samuel 3:1-18 (NLT)**

**: This is the word of the Lord;**

**P: Thanks be to God!**

**Sermon**

**\*Hymn # 592**

**Here I am, Lord**

**Presenting our gifts**

**Offertory Prayer**

**Ministry of Music**

**We are called**

**Doxology**

**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**

**Family Message**

**Invitation to the Lord's table**

**\*Hymn # 527**

**Eat this bread**

**# 564 The Great Prayer of Thanksgiving**

**The sacrament of communion**

**Ministry of Music**

**Let us be bread**

**\*Hymn # 376**

**Lord, the light of your love is shining**

**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**

Email: [patersonch@cogeco.net](mailto:patersonch@cogeco.net)

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

Day	Date	Time	Event
Wednesday	Jan. 17	1:00 pm	Bible Study
Thursday	Jan. 18	6:30 pm	Choir Practice

**You are invited to join us for refreshments following the Service.**

## Mark your calendar:

Sunday, February 25 - Annual Meeting

If you have a report due please bring or email it to the office no later than Monday, January 22. Thank you!

The next collection date for non-perishable items for the Inn of the Good Shepherd is Sunday, January 28.

February 18 – plan to stay and enjoy a Soup Luncheon

March 6, 9:00 am – join in making Buttermarts

March 10, 9:00 am – come help make Turkey Pies

March 24, 9:00 – 1:00 – Annual Book and Bake Sale

## PCC Mission Moment:

### Ready to go back to work

*Presbyterians Sharing* is helping to transform the lives of people in Montreal's Little Burgundy neighbourhood. The statistics for Little Burgundy are grim: 2/3 of children and youth live below the poverty line and 32% of students drop out before finishing high school. But Tyndale St.-Georges Community Centre is helping provide community members with the tools they need to realize their dreams, at every life stage. Tyndale's employment programs not only teach job search techniques, but also build self-esteem and life skills. Jane shares, "I came to Tyndale during the lowest time in my life, and I decided to give it a shot. I was looking for something to bring back my self-confidence that would enable me to go back to the workforce. And Tyndale delivered exactly what I was looking for. And now I'm strong, I'm back again, and I'm ready to go back to work!"



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