

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 – April 8, 2018

*Please stand as you are able where this symbol appears

Our Approach to God

Welcome & Announcements

Prelude

Call to Worship:

L: Living Lord,

P: We come to worship!

L: Living Lord,

P: We come to praise!

L: Living Lord,

P: Speak to us now your word of love!

*Hymn # 258

Thine be the glory

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

New Testament

John 20:19-31 (NLT)

M: This is the word of the Lord;

P: Thanks be to God!

*Hymn # 389

Breathe on me, breath of God

Sermon

*Hymn # 500

Open my eyes that I may see

Presenting our gifts

Ministry of Music

Solo by Fred Moss

Offertory

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

Prayer of thanks and request

*Hymn # 248

At the dawning of salvation

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
Monday	April 9	10:00 am	Circle 6
Wednesday	April 11	1:00 pm	Bible Study
Thursday	April 12	6:30 pm	Choir Practice

You are invited to join us for refreshments following the Service

"Out of this World" Vacation Bible Camp

Paterson Church will be hosting an "Out of this World" themed Vacation Bible Camp from July 9-13, 2018 (9:00 a.m.-11:45 a.m.) for children who have finished

JK-Grade 5. If you are interested in being a helper, please contact Pastor Allan Farris. We are looking for people to help with registration, snacks, crafts, and music. Parents can register children on the website: www.patersonchurch.ca. Spots are limited, so register early!

Easter Hymn Sing, April 8th at 6:30 PM

Huron Baptist Church, 1285 Michigan Avenue
Food and Fellowship afterwards, All welcome-- no cost

Ham and Pies Galore Dinner

Friday, April 20, 6:00 pm

Cost: \$15.00

Tickets are available at the Church Office
and Virginia Shaw

YIP – Presbyterian Youth event,

Friday, April 20, 7:00 pm at St. Giles

Tuesday, April 17. St. Giles Presbyterian Church, Sarnia. 7.00pm A

Conversation About Suicide

Understanding the mind of someone who may be contemplating suicide is important for us to learn if we are to be of help. **Cheryl Waters IWLC** will take you on a journey through the thoughts and perceptions of someone who may be thinking of taking their own life. During the evening she will explore three key ideas that are present and would lead someone to act on life threatening thoughts. She will provide the audience with guidance and understanding about the importance of seeing things from their perspective, while teaching ways you can be of support. Join us for an in depth conversation about suicide.

Contact Suzanne : 519-542-2253 ,

stgilespresbyterian@cogeco.net to indicate your presence .

PCC Mission Moment:

Easing suffering in Bangladesh

Since the outbreak of state-led violence against the Rohingya minority in Myanmar's Rakhine state, Safiri has been living in fear. Her husband was shot and her entire village burned to the ground. One night, fearing an attack by members of the army, she fled with her children across dangerous countryside to the Balukhai camp in Bangladesh. Their arrival brought new challenges—shelter conditions were miserable and food, water and sanitation services scarce.

Safiri's story of suffering is hard to grasp, but her needs for survival are very real. PWS&D, alongside Canadian Foodgrains Bank and ACT Alliance, is helping Rohingya refugees like Safiri meet their basic needs and find hope that life will once again be normal.



PWS&D responds to meet the needs of refugees

