

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 29, 2018

*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's got the whole world in his hands

Call to Worship:

L: There is no part of creation that does not reflect God's image.

P: Jesus presents life in all its fullness

L: The church is commissioned to celebrate life and to resist all life-destroying forces

P: Mission begins in the heart of God

L: Mission is about transformation of God's creation

P: The church exists to bring healing and reconciliation to the world.

*Hymn # 761

Who's gonna tell the story

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 22 I will praise you, Lord (see pp)

New Testament

John 4:7-30

M: This is the word of the Lord;
P: Thanks be to God!

*Hymn # 740 Make me a channel of your peace

Sermon The Shady Lady and WMS

*Hymn # 726

May the God of hope go with you every day

Presenting our gifts

Ministry of Music

Jesus met the woman at the well

Offertory

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

Offertory prayer

People's response:

Transforming God,
Make us humble in your service

*Hymn # 755

Go ye, go ye into the world

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 2 | 1:00 pm | Bible Study |
| Thursday | May 3 | 6:30 pm | Choir Practice |
| Wednesday | | | Office closed |
| Thursday | | | Office closed |
| Friday | | | Office closed |

You are invited to join us for refreshments following the Service

Ham and Pies Galore Dinner A Big Thank You

To all who helped to make this year's dinner
A great success once again!

"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!

Spring has sprung! Cleaning is done?!

Please remember Grandma's cupboard and Attic Treasures when you are doing your spring cleaning. Donations of china, jewelry, crystal, linens, seasonal decorations, etc. would be greatly appreciated. They can find a new home at the church for our Fall Bazaar. Thanks for your help!

PCC Mission Moment:

A shining light



Inspired by the words in Matthew's gospel, Lighthouse Arabic Ministry is a shining light in the city of Winnipeg, inviting all to see how great and wonderful God is. The congregation is known for providing newly arrived Arabic speaking immigrants with a spiritual home and support through Christian community. This ministry, supported by gifts to *Presbyterians Sharing*, is one of the PCC's most recent new church developments and has seen consistent growth since its founding. The ministry is broad, and reaches many. It is exciting to see people's lives change as they follow Jesus. For people struggling to adapt to Canadian society, it is truly a lighthouse offering direction and pointing to God's love.

Presbyterians Sharing is growing congregations

