

PATERSON MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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Paterson Memorial Presbyterian Church
is a Community that exists
to shine the light and love of Christ
in our neighbourhood
and wherever we go.

Paterson Memorial Presbyterian Church

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Order of Worship – Jan. 6, 2019

*Please stand as you are able where this symbol appears

Our Approach to God

Prelude

He came down (choir)

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship:

L: God gives his love

P: to be a light in the darkness.

L: God sent his Son

P: to rescue the world.

L: God breathes his Spirit

P: to give us new life!

*Hymn # 173

We three kings

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.

New Testament

Matthew 2:1-12

M: This is the word of the Lord;

P: Thanks be to God!

Family Message

The Word of God

Old Testament

Psalm 72

Every Nation on Earth (see pp)

***Hymn # 170**

What star is this?

Sermon

Teen Challenge

***Hymn # 725**

Oh freedom, freedom is coming

Presenting our gifts

Collection

Blessed Epiphany

Offertory

**What can I give him, poor as I am?
If I were a shepherd, I would bring a lamb
If I were a Wise Man, I would do my part;
Yet what can I give him – give my heart.**

Prayer of thanks and request

***Hymn # 146**

Angels from the realms of glory

Blessing

**Go, tell it on the mountain,
over the hills and everywhere.
Go, tell it on the mountain
that Jesus Christ is born.**

Postlude

**We welcome the Team from
Teen Challenge!**

Announcements

Email: patersonch@cogeco.net

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

Day	Date	Time	Event
Wednesday	Jan. 9	1:30 pm	Bible Study
Thursday	Jan. 10	6:30 pm	Choir Practice

You are invited to join us for refreshments following the Service

It is Well!

This fall Paterson and St. Giles churches began a project to build a solar powered well in Tanzania. We planned to raise \$10,000 dollars doing events over this whole school year to bless people with clean water and see if two churches working together could be

both successful and fun. We also thought that if this works, it could be a model for this kind of teamwork in the future.

Things haven't gone as planned.

Because of some amazing generosity, we've raised more than the full amount after just two events! Thank you, thank you, thank you and wow! The money has already been sent off, and will bless a whole community. Stay tuned for what God is calling us to next!

PCC Mission Moment:

Every gift matters

Gifts to *Presbyterians Sharing* reflect the joint efforts and witness of Presbyterians across Canada who live out the gospel message in all aspects of life. Together, we put our faith into action by equipping congregations, ministries and presbyteries; engaging in evangelism, outreach and discipleship; embracing local, national and international mission work; living out God's call to justice; empowering youth; engaging in healing and reconciliation; creating new faith communities and supporting congregations— and so much more! Dr. Nick Bauman, who spent the past 2 years serving as PCC mission staff in Nepal, shares, "Our lives are not our own, but are gifts, and we are entrusted by God to be stewards of these gifts." Gifts to *Presbyterians Sharing* are making a difference, thanks to the generosity of Presbyterians across Canada. Every gift matters!

Presbyterians Sharing is making a difference



