

# PATERSON MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

120 S. Russell St. Sarnia, ON N7T 3L1



**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 – April 28, 2019

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

#### Our Approach to God

##### Prelude

##### Welcome & Announcements

##### Call to Worship:

Leader: We believe! Christ is risen!

**People: We have no doubt—He is risen indeed!**

Leader: The stone that the builders rejected has become the chief cornerstone.

**People: This is the Lord's doing; it is marvelous in our eyes.**

\*Hymn # 422

**Sing a new song unto the Lord**

##### 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 118:14-29

Read responsively (see pp)

**New Testament**

John 20:19-31

M: This is the word of the Lord;

P: Thanks be to God!

\*Hymn # 436

God, we praise you for the morning

Verses 1, 2, 5, 6

**Sermon**

\*Hymn # 585

Christ, you call us all to Service

**Presenting our gifts**

**Collection**

**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 Dedication**

**Prayers of the People** – see pp

\*Hymn # 258

Thine be the glory

**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](mailto:patersonch@cogeco.net)

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

Day	Date	Time	Event
Wednesday	May 1	1:30 pm	Bible Study
Thursday	May 2	6:30 pm	Choir practice
Friday	May 3		Office closed

You are invited to join us for refreshments following the Service

**On Sunday May 5 there will be a short presentation and chance for feedback on worship times and the proposed relationship with Laurel Lea St. Matthew's Presbyterian church. Please stay after worship and help discern God's call to us!**

**"Kings of the Keyboards Crawl" - Sarnia Pipe Organ Crawl, Sat. May 4, 2019 12:30 to 4:45 p.m.**

A "rare" (!) opportunity to hear (and play, if you wish) historic pipe organs in four of Sarnia's historic churches in a single afternoon. There will be a 45 minute to 1 hour stop at each church on the tour.

Tour begins at St. Paul's United Church, 360 Devine St., at 12:30.

Admission: \$20 at the door; \$17 in advance (tickets at Cheeky Monkey, 130 Christina St. North).

Students (including college & university): Free.

See Cheeky Monkey website, "Events" tab.

For more info, contact Ian at [sarniapipeorgancrawl@gmail.com](mailto:sarniapipeorgancrawl@gmail.com); 519-864-1119.

**The property committee reminds everyone** to make sure doors are locked during activities and when they leave the church.

**PCC Mission Moment:  
Rebuilding businesses and dreams**

In Malawi, Lucia and her husband care for their six orphaned grandchildren. It's a lot of work to meet the needs of a large family, but Lucia was earning a good income running a grocery store—a dream she'd always had. When her husband fell ill, Lucia used all her earnings to pay hospital bills and could no longer afford her grandchildren's school fees. When her husband was discharged, Lucia had no money left to rebuild the business she loved. An answer to her prayers, Lucia received a loan to get her store running again through a Presbyterian World Service & Development-supported self-help group. "I was worried about how I would pay school fees and provide for my grandchildren's basic needs," Lucia said. "Self-help groups have really helped."

*PWS&D empowers families out of poverty*

**In support of ongoing clean water projects through Paterson Memorial Presbyterian Church and St. Giles Presbyterian Church,** Trevor Jamieson will be displaying a series of paintings at the Refined Fool Brewing Company's Davis St. location. The artworks raise awareness of the urgency of the climate crisis and the necessity of clean water. Trevor's artwork will be on display for the month of April, with a special First Friday Opening on Friday, April 5<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm. All proceeds from the sale of this artwork will be in support of Water First, "Canada's leading charitable organization working with First Nations communities to solve local water challenges through education, training and meaningful collaboration."

