

# 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 – Aug. 18, 2019

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

### Our Approach to God

#### Prelude

#### Welcome & Announcements

#### Call to Worship:

Minister: The foolish say – “There is no God.”

**People: We come trusting in Jesus – the face – the voice – the presence of the God who loves us.**

Minister: The doubters around us ask – “Why do you seek after God?”

**People: We come in this time – because God’s grace has flowed into our lives.**

Minister: The hopeless around us think – “No one cares about me.”

**People: We come in this time to this place – because Jesus cares and has found us and brought us home.**

\*Hymn # 290

Immortal, invisible, God only wise

#### 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

Luke 15:1-32

M: This is the word of the Lord;

P: Thanks be to God!

\*Hymn # 373

Jesus loves me, this I know

#### Sermon

Precious in God's sight

\*Hymn # 670

Amazing Grace

### Presenting our gifts

#### Collection

#### Offertory

All that I am, all that I do  
All that I'll ever have  
I offer now to you

### Prayer of thanks and request

\*Hymn # 499

Tell me the old, old story

#### Blessing

King of kings and Lord of lords,  
glory, hallelujah!  
King of kings and Lord of lords,  
glory, hallelujah!

Jesus, Prince of Peace,  
glory, halleluiah!  
Jesus, Prince of Peace,  
glory, hallelujah!

#### Postlude

**We welcome our guest speaker  
Rev. Barry VanDusen  
And our Guest Musician Esther Kim**

**Announcements**

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

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

**Starting Sunday September 1,  
Paterson Church will begin having worship at 9:30 am with a  
free community breakfast starting at 8:45. Please come enjoy a  
meal together!**

**A morning for women:  
“Unshaken”, with Carol Kent.**

**At Temple Baptist church, Saturday, September 28,  
8:30 am -12:30 pm, cost \$25.00**

**Register online: [templebaptist.com/womens-ministry](http://templebaptist.com/womens-ministry)**

**Or at church office** Carol Kent is a best selling author and popular international public speaker. Join with others as Carol encourages us to live unshaken in an uncertain world.

**A PCC Mission Moment**

**World Humanitarian Day**

In communities ravaged by violent conflict, people are driven from their homes and left without access to food, water and safe shelter. The horror of life disrupted by conflict has become a tragic reality for Alifa from yanmar. She still feels numb with shock nine months after being forced to flee her home when the military opened fire on her village. Alifa and her family managed to find shelter in Bangladesh, but the uncertainty of life keeps her in darkness. What does bring comfort is that she has been able to feed her children through support from PWS&D and members of Canadian Foodgrains Bank. This support is keeping Alifa’s family alive until they can return to a peaceful home.

*PWS&D responds to people displaced by conflict*

