



Welcome to St. Giles Sarnia

Sunday March 24, 2024

Palm Sunday

The Reverend Rebecca Roushorne-Lau

*Wherever you are in your journey of faith there is a place for you here at St. Giles.
We are a vibrant gathering of individuals united in our desire to follow Jesus.*

*Following the service you are encouraged to join us in the Gathering Place
for a time of connection and refreshment.*

Order of Worship
St Giles Presbyterian Church, Sarnia
March 24, 2024

Opener: Hosanna (Palm Sunday)

Prelude: Hosanna

Call to worship - Selections from Psalm 118

Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good;
his love endures forever.

**The stone the builders rejected
has become the cornerstone;**

the Lord has done this,
and it is marvellous in our eyes.

**The Lord has done it this very day;
let us rejoice today and be glad.**

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
From the house of the Lord we bless you.

**The Lord is God,
and he has made his light shine on us.**

With boughs in hand, join in the festal procession
up to the horns of the altar.

**You are my God, and I will praise you;
you are my God, and I will exalt you.**

Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good;
his love endures forever.

Opening Hymn: All Glory, Laud and Honour

Prayer of Adoration and Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Children's Story

Video: The Suffering Saviour: Liturgy of the Palms

Scripture Reading: Scripture: Mark 11:1-11

Hymn: Hosanna, Loud hosanna

Sermon:

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Intercession *followed by 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 forever and ever. Amen.

Invitation to the Offering

Offertory Music: Hosanna

Offertory Prayer

Children's Procession

Closing Words

Benediction

Closing Hymn: In Christ Alone

ST GILES ANNOUNCEMENTS: March 24, 2024

Role	Today	March 31
Greeter	Joyce N	Paul K
Reader	Pam W	Helen V
Sunday School	Rainie, Margo	Leanne
Nursery	Bevin	Mady
Tellers	Susan L & Suzanne	Dave & Kathy
Fellowship Hosts	Chili Lunch	Suzanne & Mady

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A weekly podcast of the sermon &
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Visit [youtube.com/stgileschurchsarnia](https://www.youtube.com/stgileschurchsarnia)
for livestream, or on demand services.

Find us on the web.
www.stgilessarnia.ca

Welcome to St. Giles! It is a joy to gather for worship. Our community is committed to helping people grow into hope-filled followers of Jesus.

Babies and toddlers are welcome before and during the service in our staffed Nursery downstairs to the left. **Children of all ages** are invited to join our Sunday School that begins after the Children's Time in the service.

PRAYER REQUESTS

George Wilson, Lee Wilson as he recovers at home,
Bobby (son of David Barret), Brittae Carey (daughter of Dana Carey), Anne-Marie, Rosie Ng as she is in hospital

Bill Blake, Afton Park Place **Wanda James**, Vision Nursing Home
Ruth Leitch, North Lambton Lodge **John Collins**, Meadowview Villa
Bette Fitzpatrick, Twin Lakes Terrace **Ralph Dick**, Vision Nursing Home

For the gathering of God's people in this place.

Bulletin Prayer Requests can be emailed to: office@stgilessarnia.ca

The **PASTORAL CARE TEAM** works in partnership with the Ministry team to provide visitation, encouragement, and connection to members of our church family. If you feel called to this ministry, please email Rev Becky.

THIS WEEK AT ST. GILES

Monday: Special Olympics Floor Hockey 6:00 pm
Tuesday: Bible Study 9:30 am
Beavers 6:15 pm
Wednesday: Study Group 11:00 am in the Sanctuary
Ladies' Book Club 1:00 pm
Scouts 7:00 pm
Thursday: Coffee Time 10:00 am in the Gathering Place
Maundy Thursday Service 7:00 pm
Friday: Good Friday 10:00 am
Sunday: Worship Service 10:30 am

CONGREGATIONAL LIFE

Congregational Life invites you to a **Chili Luncheon after the Service today** in Mackenzie Hall. A free will offering will be gratefully accepted.

Also, join us for Hot Cross buns, coffee and tea **immediately following** the Good Friday Service on March 29th in The Gathering Place.

CUPCAKE DECORATING

Just in time for your next special celebration! Learn how to beautifully decorate cupcakes with Mary-Ann Tuer.

When: Wednesday, April 17th 7:00 pm

Where: Mackenzie Hall, St Giles Church

Cost: \$15 per person

Sign-up today in the Church foyer or call Nicole 519-542-2253, to reserve your spot! Space is limited.

UPCOMING EVENTS

April 2-Board of Managers 6:30 pm

April 11-Community Lunch 12:00 pm-please contact Nicole to sign up

April 17-Congregational Life Presentation: Cupcake Decorating 7:00 pm

THANK YOU TO OUR COMMUNITY

Thank you to everyone who joined us for our Community Lunch last Thursday! A sumptuous Irish-themed meal was enjoyed by all at this early St. Paddy's Day celebration. Mark your calendars for our next Community Lunch **on April 11th.**



Holy[†]*Week* **SCHEDULE**

March 28 (Maundy Thursday)	7 PM
March 29 (Good Friday)	10 AM
March 30 (Holy Saturday)	ONLINE
March 31 (Easter Sunday)	10:30AM

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