



Welcome to St. Giles Sarnia

Sunday May 12, 2024 The Seventh Sunday after Easter 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 May 12, 2024

Opener: I Am Here to Worship You

Prelude: It is Well with My Soul

Announcements and welcome

Call to worship: Psalm 8

Lord, our Lord,

how majestic is your name in all the earth!

You have set your glory in the heavens.

Through the praise of children and infants you have established a stronghold against your enemies, to silence the foe and the avenger.

When I consider your heavens, the work of your fingers,

the moon and the stars, which you have set in place,

what is mankind that you are mindful of them, human beings that you care for them?
You have made them a little lower than the angels

and crowned them with glory and honor. You made them rulers over the works of your hands;

you put everything under their feet:

all flocks and herds, and the animals of the wild,

the birds in the sky, and the fish in the sea, all that swim the paths of the seas.

Lord, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth!

Opening Hymn: To God be the Glory

Prayer of Adoration and Confession

Assurance of Pardon:

Children's Time

Video: Identity: Who Am I in Christ

Scripture Lesson: Acts 1:1-14

Hymn: Blessed Assurance

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: Amazing Grace

Offertory Prayer:

Closing Words

Benediction

Closing Hymn: O Lord My God/How Great Thou Art

Role	Today	May 19
Greeter	Joyce N	Jo-Anne
Reader	Honour M	Joyce
Sunday School	Leanne, Margo	Rainie
Nursery	Bevin	Sarah
Tellers	Dave & Kathy	Bernice & Honour
Fellowship Hosts	Gander Family	Pentecost Sunday- Family Ministry

CONNECT WITH US

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For the weekly children's program email, contact familyministry@stgilessarnia.ca For the weekly email and quarterly newsletter, contact stgilesav@gmail.com

A weekly podcast of the sermon & scripture can be found on Spotify, TuneIn, and Apple.

Visit youtube.com/stgileschurchsarnia for livestream, or on demand services.

Find us on the web. www.stgilessarnia.ca

ST GILES ANNOUNCEMENTS: May 12, 2024

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,) Brittanae Carey (daughter of Dana Carey), Anne-Marie, Rosie Ng as she continues to recover

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.

Our thanks to the Georgian Singers for providing such wonderful music for our worship this morning!

THIS WEEK AT ST. GILES

Tuesday May 14 Turkey Pie Making 9:00 am

Zoom Study 9:30am

Beavers 6:15 pm in the Gym and McKenzie Hall

Wednesday May 15 Turkey Pie Making 9:00 am

Acts Study 11:00 am in the Sanctuary

Scouts: 7:00pm

Thursday May 16 Turkey Pie Making 9:00 am

Speaker Series 7:00 pm with Cathy McRae

Sunday May 19 Worship 10:30am-The Day of Pentecost

STUDY OPPORTUNITIES

Join us this Wednesday at 11am as we continue our study in the Book of Acts. In this study we explore the foundations of the early Church, the movement of the Holy Spirit, the expansion of the ministry and more. Books are available in the office, and you simply need to come ready to learn and reflect in community.

MAY IS MOOSE HIDE MONTH

The World Changers team has provided Moose Hide Campaign pins on the sanctuary table to wear and share. Please pick up one and take a few minutes to read the information and think about what you can do to take action. Moose hide pins shine a light on a devastating social illness impacting all Canadians. According to Stats Canada 2019, 30% of all women aged 15 and older have been sexually assaulted outside of an intimate relationship at least once. Prayer, awareness and communication can be good first steps to reducing this statistic.

TURKEY PIES

We are selling turkey pies!! **They are \$6.00 each.** If you wish to order, please contact Nicole either via email <u>office@stgilessarnia.ca</u>, or by phone 519-542-2253. Place your order before they disappear!

THURSDAY COFFEE

We have ended our Thursday morning coffee, but please feel free to drop in to St. Giles anytime to chat! We would love to see you!!

UPCOMING EVENTS

May 14-May 16-Turkey Pie Assembly 9:00 am in McKenzie Hall May 16-Speaker Series with Cathy McRae 7:00 pm

ST. GILES IN THE WORD

St. Giles in the Word is a Bible Reading plan for our community that allows us to connect with the Word daily together. Our readings are available in print, via PDF and are posted daily on YouTube for those who prefer to listen along. "May in the Word" is now available on the table at the back. If you have any questions please contact Rev. Becky at broushorne@gmail.com

SPEAKER SERIES

