

Welcome to St. Giles Sarnia

Sunday October 6, 2024 The Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost The Rev'd 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 October 6, 2024

Welcome and Announcements:

Call to worship: Psalm 133

Leader: How good and pleasant it is

when God's people live together in unity!

People: It is like precious oil poured on the head,

running down on the beard, running down on Aaron's beard, down on the collar of his robe.

Leader: It is as if the dew of Hermon

were falling on Mount Zion.

People: For there the Lord bestows his blessing,

even life forevermore.

Opening Hymn: O How Good It Is

Prayer of Adoration and Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Children's Time

Video: Come to the Table

Scripture: Isaiah 41:17-20

Isaiah 55:1-9 John 7:37-41

Hymn: Living Waters

Sermon:

Invitation to the Offering

Offertory Music: Rejoice

Offertory Prayer

Video: Remembering Communion

Invitation to the Table

The Great Prayer of Thanksgiving followed by the Lord's Prayer

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give God thanks and praise.

...Therefore we lift up our praise... who forever sing to the glory of your name:

Holy, holy, holy Lord,
God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.

...Great is the mystery of faith

Christ has died. Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

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.

The Breaking of Bread and the Distribution

Prayer after Thanksgiving

Closing Words

Benediction

Closing Hymn: I Set My Hope on Jesus

Role	Today	Oct 13
Greeter	Jo Anne	Paul
Reader	Pam W	Nancy S
Sunday School	Janice, Margo	Rev Dan, Jen L
Nursery	Grace, Lilah	Margaret
Tellers	Dave & Kathy	Honour M, Suzanne
Fellowship Hosts	Suzanne	Doreen, Joyce
Music	Dan S	Dan S

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

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Find us on the web. www.stgilessarnia.ca

ST GILES ANNOUNCEMENTS: October 6, 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 Barrett,) Brittanae Carey (daughter of Dana Carey), Tyler

John Collins, Meadowview Villa Bette Fitzpatrick, Twin Lakes Terrace Ruth Leitch, North Lambton Lodge 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 Oct 7 Georgian Singers 4 pm

Tuesday Oct 8 Turkey Pies 9 am

Bible Study 9:30 am CL Meeting 10 am

Beavers 6:15 pm

Wed Oct 9 Turkey Pies 9 am

Acts Study 10:30 am

Scouts 7 pm

Thu Oct 10 Turkey Pies 9 am

Bluewater Big Band 6:30 pm

Fri Oct 11 Pastry Prep 9 am Sunday Oct 13 Service 10:30 am

FOOD DONATIONS FOR THANKSGIVING

Traditionally, St Giles "festoons the chancel" with non-perishable food items on Thanksgiving Sunday to be donated to the Inn of the Good Shepherd. If you would like to share your blessings with others, bring your donations with you to church on Sunday October 13th. **Fresh food:** bags of potatoes, carrots, onions, turnips, apples and other long-lasting produce would be greatly received.

SAVE THE DATE

Congregational life is pleased to present Dr. Blake Pearson who will be joining us on Thursday November 7 at 7 pm. His presentation "Revitalize and Restore" will be about embracing the medical benefits of cannabis, cold water therapy, sauna and meditation for active aging. Following the presentation will be a Q&A session. All are welcome!

WORLD CHANGERS DONATION BINS

Fall clothing (no winter clothing yet please) for men, women and children is being collected for the St Joseph's free store as well as **sleeping bags and tarps** for Nightlight. **Milk bags** for sleeping mats are also being collected.

CONTRIBUTIONS FOR OUR FALL MARKET NOV. 2

Space under the coat rack across from the office is ready for your contributions to sell at our upcoming annual church fundraiser.

- 1. Handmade Items- by Oct. 11 if possible to help the organizers
- 2. Preserves/non-perishables
- 3. Attic Treasures/Vintage Jewellery
- 4. Books- fiction only and all children's books
- 5. CDS, DVDs, Puzzles

SYNERGY CHOIR CONCERT

The Synergy Choir will be hosting a "Christmas...Now and Then" concert on Friday November 15 at 7:00 pm, and Saturday November 16 at 2:00 pm at Camlachie United Church. Admission is \$20 for adults, \$10 for students, children under 12 free. For tickets, please see Don Burnard.