

Welcome to St. Giles Sarnia

Sunday January 19, 2025 The Second Sunday after Epiphany 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 January 19, 2025

Opener: You Are Welcome Here

Prelude:

Welcome and Announcements:

Call to worship: Psalm 36:5-10

Your love, Lord, reaches to the heavens, your faithfulness to the skies.

Your righteousness is like the highest mountains, your justice like the great deep.

You, Lord, preserve both people and animals.

How priceless is your unfailing love, O God! People take refuge in the shadow of your wings.

They feast on the abundance of your house; you give them drink from your river of delights.

For with you is the fountain of life; in your light we see light.

Continue your love to those who know you, your righteousness to the upright in heart.

Opening Hymn: Come, Now is the Time to Worship

Prayer of Adoration and Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Children's Time

Video: Beginnings

Scripture: John 1:35-42, 2:1-12

Hymn: Speak, O Lord

Sermon: Come and See

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

Offertory Prayer

Closing Words

Benediction

Closing Hymn: Be Thou My Vision #461

Role	Today	January 26
Greeter	Paul	Graham
Reader	Margaret R	Donna
Sunday School	Rainie, Liz	Rainie, Liz
Nursery	Lilah	Sara
Tellers	Suzanne, Susan L	Honour M
Fellowship Hosts	Scott & Liz	Joyce, John

CONNECT WITH US

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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: January 19, 2025

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; Bobby; Brittanae Carey; Tyler, the family of Sydney Vrolyk

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.

Tips for a Vibrant Prayer Life:

- 1. Keep it simple.
- 2. Keep it real.
- 3. Keep it up.

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

Jan 20-Book Club 3 pm

Georgian Singers 4 pm

Special Olympics Floor Hockey 6:30 pm

Jan 21- Zoom Bible Study 9:30 am

Beavers 6:15 pm

Session 6:30 pm

Jan 22- Romans Study 10:30 am

Scouts 7:00pm

Jan 23- 4 Cooks in the Kitchen 3 pm Brain Tumor Association 7:30 pm-Ruby Walker Room

Jan 24- Fun Fridays 1:00 pm-Gathering Place

Jan 26- Worship Service 10:30 am

4 COOKS IN THE KITCHEN

4 Cooks in the Kitchen is back! The first one will be Thursday January 23rd at 3 pm. **We have two spaces left for January 23** so sign up now before they are filled!!

FUN FRIDAYS

Starting Friday, January 24th at 1pm, and running monthly, Congregational Life will be hosting casual get togethers in the Gathering Place. These afternoons will include different activities such as board games, cards, or perhaps a presentation. It's a time to get together and enjoy the afternoon. There is no cost to attend and feel free to bring a friend. The first Fun Friday will include games and cards. Hope to see you there.

COMMUNITY LUNCH

Our next Community Lunch will be held on **Friday January 31 at 11:30 am.** If you wish to attend, please sign up in the hallway. We can't wait to see you there!!

HERITAGE LUCH

Come celebrate Heritage Sunday with a luncheon on **Sunday February 9** after the service. A freewill offering will be accepted. The proceeds will support the Presbyterian Church Heritage Centre.

CONCERT AT ST. GILES

On Sunday February 2 at 2:00 pm, Dan Sonier, Caitlin Mason, and Tessa Catton will host a Wood Strings concert here at St. Giles, with special guest Wavesong! **Tickets are \$20 cash** and can be purchased at the door. All are welcome!

