"BEFORE THEE, FATHER,
IN RIGHTEOUSNESS AND HUMILITY;
WITH THEE, BROTHER, IN FAITH
AND COURAGE; IN THEE, SPIRIT,
IN STILLNESS, THINE—
FOR THY WILL IS MY DESTINY.
DEDICATED—FOR MY DESTINY
IS TO BE USED, AND USED
ACCORDING TO THY WILL."

-Dag Hammarskjöld, 1905-1961



Welcome to St. Giles Sarnia

Sunday June 15, 2025 Trinity 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 June 15, 2025

Opener: Welcome to Church

Prelude:

Welcome and Announcements:

Call to worship:

Opening Hymn: Holy, Holy, Holy

Prayer of Adoration and Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Children's Time

The Apostles Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary.
He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to hell.
The third day he rose again from the dead.
He ascended to heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty. From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic* church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen

Hymn: Father, We Love You

Scripture: Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31

Romans 5:1-5 John 16:12-15

Sermon

#299

Hymn: This I Believe (The Creed)

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Intercession followed by the Lord's Prayer

#300

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: O Church Arise

Role	Today	June 22
Greeter	Paul	Jo Anne
Reader	Grace C	Jackie M
Sunday School	Rainie, Margo	Rainie
Nursery	Sara	Lilah
Tellers	Jim & Avis	Honour M, Susan L
Fellowship Hosts	Joyce N, John Vollmar	Needed

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

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

Find us on the web. www.stgilessarnia.ca

ST GILES ANNOUNCEMENTS: June 15, 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.

ST. GILES CARE MINISTRY

We seek to care for each other in a way that supports and encourages all who are part of our community.

Visits: If you would like a visit from the Minister please email Rev. Becky at revbecky@stgilessarnia.ca or call the office to book a time that is good for you.

Elders: Our Elders have "districts" within our community that they pray for and connect with. If you don't know who your Elder is, or would like to request one, please connect with Rev. Becky to get connected with yours.

Meal Ministry: If you are in need of support as you recover from illness or surgery and think meals would help, please call the office or connect with Felicity.

Prayer Needs: If you'd like confidential prayer, please call the office to speak with Rev. Becky or or send it via email to revbecky@stgilessarnia.ca and she will inform the prayer team.

Please join us in praying for those who have requested prayer from the greater community: George Wilson, Lee Wilson; Bobby; Brittanae Carey; Tyler, the family of Sydney Vrolyk, John Collins, Bette Fitzpatrick, Ruth Leitch

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

THIS WEEK AT ST. GILES

Mon June 16 Afternoon Book Club 3:00 pm Georgian Singers 4:00 pm

Tue June 17 Zoom Bible Study 9:30 am-last one until September

Session 6:30 pm

Wed June 18 Bible Study 10:30 am-last one until September

Sat June 21 Downe Syndrome Society Cast Party 5:30 pm

Sun June 22 Worship Service 10:30 am with Communion

STUDY OPPORTUNITIES

Our study "An everyday ordinary walk with God" **will conclude this week.** Our Zoom Bible Study on Tuesday will also conclude on June 17. We will resume Bible Study in September.

SUMMER FELLOWSHIP

Sunday Fellowship after the Service will continue for the Summer Months . We are in need of hosts! Please consider signing up today on the schedule in The Gathering Place. If making coffee is not your 'thing', lemonade and treats are provided in the freezer in The Gathering Place kitchen. Thank you in advance!

DONATION BINS

- 1. FICTION on the rolling cart with the MILK BAGS
- 2. SUMMER CLOTHING in the Free Store bin
- 3. TRUE NORTH CAMP STUFF if lending, please attach tag-"return to _____" **Realistic stuffed/plastic animals-** bear, eagle, otter, husky, moose, crab, horse, kangaroo, meerkat

Pine greenery, DVD player, Beach towels, 4x5' blankets/rugs with a North cabin look

4. LIBRARY DONATIONS - do you have any St Giles cookbooks that you do not need anymore? We would like one sample each for our library.

FURNITURE AND KITCHEN SUPPLIES

If you go downstairs to the basement, you will see a rocking chair and metal whiteboard easel that will be donated. We have also cleaned out the downstairs kitchen, and have many items to give away. Please check the large green table downstairs. If you are interested in the kitchen items, please help yourself. If you are interested in the furniture, please contact Leanne or the office.

CEREAL DONATIONS ENDING TODAY

Our cereal donation challenge concludes today! Stay tuned for the domino finale.

ST. GILES SUMMER NEWSLETTER

Attention: committee heads and other contributors: Please forward articles for St. Giles Summer newsletter before June 15, to Shirley Berdan email shirleyberdan1@gmail.com. Thank you in advance for your submissions.

CANADA DAY OPEN DOORS

St. Giles opens the doors for the parade float participants providing water and washrooms. Help is needed to set up and provide directions. **If you can help for about 2 1/2 hours, please contact Valdene.**

FUNDRAISER IN SUPPORT OF THE INN

Please join Brooke, Amisha and Ava for a Community Fundraiser on **Saturday June 21 from 8:00 am-5:00 pm at 1777 Modeland Rd**, in Sarnia. in support of the Inn of the Good Shepherd! They will be holding a Silent Auction, Garage Sale, and will also have a lemonade stand!

PARKING ANNOUNCEMENT

One wonderful problem that has formed as a result of us gathering for worship on Sunday involves parking. As people are exiting on Sunday, with cars parked very close to the exit, they are struggling to see and exit safely. We would ask that you leave a buffer zone around the church driveway of 2 car lengths or more. This will ensure your safety and the safety of others. Thank you for your consideration and continued care of each other.

COMMUNITY NEWS

Marilyn Madery and the Local IODE chapter are promoting their lawn sign fundraiser, "Proudly Canadian" in support of their work and to celebrate Canada. Fundraisers allow the chapter to support local projects such as funding education awards and scholarships, school supply and snack programs, mental health awareness campaigns, hospitals, youth programs, school environmental programs and food banks. If you would like to know more about or support this initiative please connect with Marilyn personally or leave your name on the sign up sheet in the hall.