

Holy Week

Services

Palm Sunday
March 29 10:30 AM

Maundy Thursday
April 2 7:00 PM

Good Friday
April 3 10:00 AM

Easter Sunday
April 5 10:30 AM



Come and See

Welcome to St. Giles Sarnia

Sunday March 22, 2026

The Fifth Sunday of Lent

Today we welcome

Rev'd Dan Roushorne

*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 22, 2026

Opener: Psalm for Lent

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Call to worship: Based on Psalm 130

More than those who watch for the morning,
we wait faithfully for God.

With our questions and our cries, in our hopes and expectations,
we wait faithfully for God.

Come, let us worship the Lord our God together,
and offer our prayers and praise in faithfulness.

Opening Hymn: Lord, Whose Love in Humble Service BOP #722

Prayer of Adoration and Confession

Lent Liturgy *followed by* Jesus Remember Me

Children's Time

Scripture: John 11:1-45

Sermon

Hymn: Breathe on Me, Breath of God

BOP #389

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Intercession *followed by the Lord's Prayer*
These things we pray in and though the name of Jesus Christ our Lord
who taught us to pray in this way...

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: Blessed Assurance

BOP #687

ST GILES ANNOUNCEMENTS: March 22, 2026

| Role | Today | March 29 |
|---------------|--------------------|----------------|
| Greeter | Graham | Lynn |
| Reader | Nancy | Joyce N |
| Sunday School | Jen Lee, Emma | Emma, Margo |
| Nursery | Lilah | Mady |
| Tellers | Susan L, Suzanne B | Scott & Liz |
| Fellowship | Soup Lunch | Suzanne & Mady |

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The **St Giles Sermon Podcast** can be
found on Youtube, Spotify, TuneIn, and
Apple Podcasts.

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.

ST. GILES CARES

If you are in need of support as you recover from illness or surgery and think meals would help from our MISY (May I Serve You) meal program, please call the office or connect with Felicity.

We would like to include you and those you love in our prayers. Please let us know so we can keep this list updated and accurate.

Please pray

...for those in Long Term Care: Ruth L., Bette F., Fred H.

...for those in our community who are recovering from surgery including Cynthia Rawana.

...for those who are waiting on upcoming treatments.

...for those who worship with us at home.

...for wisdom for our Elders and our Minister.

...for our Lent and Easter worship services.

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

Confidential Prayer Requests can be emailed to:
revbecky@stgilessarnia.ca and she will inform the prayer team.

THIS WEEK AT ST. GILES

Mon March 23 Georgian Singers 4:00 pm
Special Olympics Yoga 6:30 pm

Tue March 24 **Zoom Bible Study 9:30 am**
Aaron Project 2:00 pm
Beavers 6:15 pm
Session 6:30 pm
Cubs 7:00 pm

Wed Mar 25 **Bible Study 10:30 am**
Scouts 7:00 pm
Scouts First Aid 7:00 pm Ruby Walker Room
Oak Acres Group 7:30 pm

Thu Mar 26 **Coffee Time 10:00 am**
Book Club
Brain Tumor Association 7:30 pm Ruby Walker Room

Sun Mar 29 **Palm Sunday Worship 10:30 am**

ST. GILES IN THE WORD

If you've ever struggled to get started with reading the Bible or wanted a reading plan that would ensure you read through the Bible in its entirety, **St Giles in the Word is for you!** It is a daily Bible reading plan that we read together in community. If you're worried you don't have time or would just prefer to listen to the readings, we have an audio version available on Spotify, Apple Podcasts and Youtube. **Printed copies are available at the back of the Church on Sundays.**

SOUP LUNCH

Today after the service, Congregational Life invites you to a Potluck Soup Lunch! All are welcome to attend free of charge.

UPCOMING SERVICES AT ST. GILES

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COFFEE TIME

Take a break, recharge and enjoy some great conversation with friends **Thursdays from 10-11:30am** in the Gathering Place. Coffee, tea and treats are provided!

SPRING NEWSLETTER

We are putting together our Spring Newsletter! We are looking for articles from committee heads, and also if you are planning an event or are spearheading a St. Giles 80th anniversary project, we would love to hear about it! Please send information to Nicole at office@stgilessarnia.ca by March 31!

SUMMER RAINFOREST-THEMED DONATION REQUESTS

We're getting ready for our Rainforest Falls VBS Camp by collecting rainforest-themed décor and activity supplies. If you want specific items returned, please label with your name. **Item Requests:** long cardboard tubing (from paper towel rolls, foil, wrapping paper, etc), rainforest greenery, raffia, stuffed and plastic animals (rainforest birds, butterflies, frogs, snakes, jaguars, anteaters, monkeys), chess set, old playing cards.

FELLOWSHIP HOSTS

Would you like to help with our hospitality ministry? We are looking for volunteers to prepare coffee and clean up after the service through March and beyond. Please sign up in the gathering place kitchen.

GOLF PUTTERS FOR CAMP KINTAIL

Are you an avid golfer? Do you have any golf putters that you're not using? Camp Kintail is looking for putters. If you have an extra one, it can be dropped off in the Church office.