

St. Andrew's
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VISION STATEMENT

Our vision is to be a community of faith in Jesus Christ, rooted in Scripture, empowered by the Spirit, sharing the good news and rejoicing in service.

BLESSINGS TO YOU

WELCOME TO SUNDAY WORSHIP

7th Sunday of Easter / Ascension Sunday / Mother's Day
May 12th, 2024 @ 10:30 am † Please stand if able.

WE GATHER TOGETHER IN GOD'S NAME

Prelude A Mother's Silent Prayer (S. DeFord)

Call to Worship

One: Clap your hands, all you peoples;

All: We will shout to God with songs of joy.

One: For God is awesome, reigning over all the earth!

All: We will sing praises to God every day.

One: Let us worship God with all we have to offer.

All: We will offer God our love – heart, body, mind and soul!

† Presentation of Scriptures

† Hymn #436 God, we praise you for the morning v. 1, 3, 4, 5

Prayer of Adoration and Confession

Assurance of Forgiveness and Lord's Prayer

† Hymn #268 All hail King Jesus

WE LISTEN FOR GOD'S WORD

Youth Presentation

Anthem "Panis Angelicus" (C. Franck)

Sung by Evelyn Esch (our Choral Scholar)

Responsive Psalm 47

One: Clap your hands, all you peoples; shout to God with loud songs of joy.

All: For the LORD, the Most High, is awesome, a great king over all the earth.

One: He subdued peoples under us, and nations under our feet.

All: He chose our heritage for us, the pride of Jacob whom he loves.

One: God has gone up with a shout, the LORD with the sound of a trumpet.

All: Sing praises to God, sing praises; sing praises to our King, sing praises.

One: For God is the king of all the earth; sing praises with a psalm.

All: God is king over the nations; God sits on his holy throne.

One: The princes of the peoples gather as the people of the God of Abraham. For the shields of the earth belong to God; he is highly exalted.

Gloria Patri

To Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, the God whom we adore,
be glory as it was and is, and shall be evermore. Amen.

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Ephesians 1:15-23; John 17:6-12

Sermon "Groanings Too Deep for Words"

† Hymn #248 At the dawning of salvation

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S CALL

Announcements

Prayers of the People

Offering Peace (J. Don)

Doxology

Were the whole realm of nature mine,
that were an offering far too small;
love so amazing, so divine,
demands my soul, my life, my all.

Dedication

† Hymn #267 Rejoice, the Lord is King v. 1, 2, 3, 5

Commission & Benediction

Postlude Sing a New Song Unto the Lord (arr. by J. Don)

Minister:	The Rev. Jim MacDonald
Duty Elder:	Roseanne Dumitru
Lay Reader:	Bev Fairman
Collaborative Pianist:	Judy Don

CALENDAR

Sunday, May 12

10:30 a.m. Special Worship Service Sanctuary
Coffee Hour Fellowship Hall
(following service)

Tuesday, May 14

9:30 a.m. Iona Stitchers Scott Room
9:30 a.m. Paper Pals Fellowship Hall

Wednesday, May 15

12:00 p.m. Faith and Fellowship Outside Church
Lunch (final group study)

Thursday, May 16

10:00 a.m. Switched on Seniors Nursery
1:30 p.m. Session Workshop Scott Room

Friday, May 17

9:30 a.m. Fitness Class Fellowship Hall

Sunday, May 19

10:30 a.m. Worship Service Sanctuary
Let's Do Lunch Fellowship Hall
(following service)

Stewardship Moment

"Love cannot remain by itself – it has no meaning. Love has to be put into action and that action is service."

Mother Teresa (nun, missionary)

Together in Fellowship - Sunday, May 5, 2024

In-Person: 64		
YouTube Live Stream: 8	Zoom: 6	On Demand: 70



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Faith and Fellowship Bible Study

Our final bible study was on May 8th. Thanks to all that attended the group.

On **May 15th**, we will enjoy a luncheon together as our final meeting before the summer starts.

We will resume our study group in September.

Our Faith and Fellowship group meets every Wednesday from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. in the Scott Room at the church.

New members are always welcomed!

Betty Taylor



Markham Music Festival Book Sale

St. Andrew's will be having a used book sale on June 15th.

People who would like to donate novels, children's books or jigsaw puzzles can bring them to the church on Fridays from 10:00 to 12:00, starting on May 17th. We'll collect items until Sunday, June 9th.

Also, if you are going to Costco, we could use their empty fruit boxes for sorting and display purposes.

Proceeds from the sale will go towards our Evangelism and Outreach projects at the church.

Thank you.



Sun May 19, 11:45 am

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Please send your input to standrew1@bellnet.ca.

Thank you!