

Order for the Public Worship of God
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Prelude – **Under the Linden tree Variation 3**

Announcements
Call to Worship

Gathering Praise – **Open the eyes of my heart
Here I am to worship
In Christ alone**

Prayers of Adoration and Confession

Children’s Story and Prayer
Praise – **Father, we love You**

Offering
Offertory Music – Let us all with grateful hearts
Doxology – **There is a Redeemer**
Prayer of Dedication

Family Prayers of Intercession

Scripture Readings
Old Testament – **Psalms 111 (responsively)**
New Testament – **1 John 1: 1-3**

Sermon – Communion
Prayer

Praise – **I know not why God’s wondrous grace**

Confession of Faith – The apostles’ creed
Reception of new members

Hymn of approach to the Lord’s Table - **I come with joy (vv. 1-3)**
The Sacrament of the Lord’s Supper
Prayer of Thanksgiving

Closing praise - **I come with joy (vv. 4-5)**

Benediction

This Week

SUNDAY, October 5
10:00 a.m. Worship, Communion, & Church School
MONDAY, October 6
TUESDAY, October 7
1:00 p.m. Pastoral Care Team Meeting (Zoom)
7:00 p.m. Mission Team Meeting (Zoom)
WEDNESDAY, October 8
THURSDAY, October 9
7:30 p.m. Music Rehearsal
FRIDAY, October 10
SATURDAY, October 11

Serving this morning and for whom we are thankful:

Duty Elder	Pamela Pestaluky
Readers	Karyn Smith
Refreshments	Claire McPhee & Carolyn Herbert
Ushers	Ed & Vicki Steenhorst
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*Enabling individuals and families to discover, grow in
and share the love of God found in Jesus Christ.*



Sunday, October 5, 2025, 10:00 a.m.

Minister: Rev. James T. Hurd

***In the name of the Lord Jesus Christ,
we welcome you today.***

May you experience the love of God
and warmth of His people, the Church.
You are invited for refreshments and conversation
downstairs in the Fellowship Hall immediately
following worship.

If you are visiting, please sign our
guest book or fill in a welcome card and
place it in the offering plate.

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Announcements

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Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

This morning we will be celebrating the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

For those participating from home, please prepare bread and juice or wine ahead of time.

We also encourage those taking part from home to notify the church office so that your participation may be recorded.

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New Members and Membership Opportunities

We are pleased to welcome several new members today by transfer of certificate from other churches. Andre and Giselle Issola, Serge and Patricia Lajona, and Gedeon Mbaiarabei and Adele Mindjal. We warmly welcome them and their children to Parkwood.

If there are others who are interested in joining Parkwood either by transfer of certificate, or by profession or reaffirmation of faith, please speak to the minister or an elder. Also, any who may be interested in baptism, are also encouraged to speak to the minister or one of the elders.

A couple of classes for those interested in exploring profession of faith or membership will be arranged later this month if there is interest.

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The October Pulse is now available online and in print!

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Contact Information Updates

An updated congregational directory will be available within the next few weeks, but first we need to confirm addresses and contact information.

If you know of any recent or upcoming changes for yourself or for others associated with Parkwood, please notify the office by Wednesday, October 8.

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Sunday Bible Study

The Sunday Bible study will resume on Sunday, October 19. Please join us on Zoom from 1:00 – 2:00 p.m. every Sunday for a time of fellowship and study.

For more information or to join, please contact Dora Brown at debrwb@gmail.com.

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Lunch and Learn: Pharmacies and Senior Citizens

Please join us on Monday, October 5 at noon for Lunch and Learn! This month, we will welcome Sol Osman, a pharmacist from Pharmasave Carlingwood. He will share what the role of a pharmacist is, what services are available for seniors, and information on drug interactions and safe supplements.

A sign-up sheet for set-up volunteers and food donations is available in the Gathering Place.

Lunch is served at noon, followed by the presentation at 1:00 p.m. All are welcome to come!

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Barrhaven Bible Study

Come join our Bible study's fall session (October 22 to December 17), 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. every Wednesday evening via Zoom.

We will examine 1 John chapters 3-5, and then the letter of Paul to the Galatians.

For more information or to register, please contact John Fair at 613-823-9970 or call the church office to express your interest.

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EFC Letters Countering MAiD

The Evangelical Fellowship of Canada is encouraging Christians to be aware of the possible extension of MAiD (Medical Assistance in Dying) to those who are only suffering from mental illness and not otherwise nearing death. Efforts to have the government reconsider this matter and ensure protection for people with mental illness from euthanasia are presently underway.

Letters explaining this issue and offering opportunity for those concerned to contact their Members of Parliament are available. The elders of Parkwood encourage those interested to pick up one of these letters, available in the Gathering Place.

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