

Order for the Public Worship of God

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Prelude – **Menuet**

Welcome and Announcements

Gathering Praise –

**For the cause
Spirit song**

Call to Worship

Opening Praise – **There is a Redeemer**

Prayers of Adoration and Confession

Children's Story and Prayer

Praise – **Seek ye first**

Offering

Offertory Solo – **When God is near** (Susanne Johnson)

Doxology – **Freely, freely**

Prayer of Dedication

Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession

Scripture Readings

Old Testament – **Psalm 143 (responsively)**

New Testament – **John 16: 5-15**

Praise – **Spirit divine, attend our prayers**

Sermon – God's Spirit

Prayer

Closing praise – **For Your gift of God the Spirit**

Benediction

This Week

SUNDAY, January 18

10:00 a.m. Worship & Church School
1:00 p.m. Sunday Bible Study (Zoom)

MONDAY, January 19

TUESDAY, January 20

7:00 p.m. Facility Management Team Meeting (Zoom)
7:00 p.m. Presbytery Meeting (Zoom)

WEDNESDAY, January 21

7:30 p.m. Barrhaven Bible Study (Zoom)

THURSDAY, January 22

7:30 p.m. Music Rehearsal

FRIDAY, January 23

7:00 p.m. Youth Group

SATURDAY, January 24

Serving this morning and for whom we are thankful:

Duty Elder

Reader Jill Wu

Refreshments

Claire McPhee & Carolyn Herbert

Ushers

Jim MacFie & Abraham Ren

Livestream

Kloee Game & James Harper

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Enabling individuals and families to discover, grow in and share the love of God found in Jesus Christ.



Sunday, January 18, 2026, 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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Sunday Bible Study 2026

The Sunday Bible Study has resumed! We gather from 1:00 – 2:00 p.m. on Zoom Sunday afternoons. Please consider joining us as we explore God's Word together.

Our current study focuses on Jesus' teachings found in Matthew 5-7, the "Sermon on the Mount".

Please contact Dora Brown at debrwb@gmail.com for more information or to join the study.

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ESL Conversation Group

An English as a Second Language (ESL) conversation group will be held in the library on Wednesday evenings starting at 7:00 p.m. This is a great opportunity to practice speaking English or starting to learn.

Please contact the church office if you have any questions or wish to join the group.

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Youth Group This Week

Youth in grades 6-8, please join us on Friday, January 23 from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. for Youth Group!

More details on this week's activity will come within the next few days as plans are still in the works, so parents and teens, please keep an eye on your emails.

For more information, contact Victoria Henry at parkwoodyouthministry@gmail.com.

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Young Adults Lunch and Discussion

Calling all young adults! A lunch, followed by a Biblical discussion, is being planned for Sunday, January 25 after worship. Please consider joining us and bringing friends.

For more information, please contact the church office.

MISSION MOMENT

With support from Presbyterians Sharing, two young adults from the PCC attended the Starpoint Youth Festival in July 2025, hosted by the Reformed Church in Hungary. Over 3000 participants from over nine countries gathered for worship, discussions about mental health, and recreational activities and concerts. Participants returned home renewed as Christians, and will share what they learned with their local communities.



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Annual Meeting and Report Deadline

Parkwood's Annual Congregational Meeting will be held on **Saturday, February 28, at 7:00 p.m.** and all members and adherents are encouraged to attend. Therefore, the office must call upon the team and ministry leaders of Parkwood for their submissions for the Annual Report.

The deadline for submitting reports is **Friday, January 30**, but please feel free to send them in earlier. Please submit the final reports as **Microsoft Word documents** and any accompanying photos as **JPEGs**. Also, please include the team/group/ministry in the file name.

We have had many events at Parkwood this year to celebrate our 60th anniversary, so we are encouraging congregants to please send in photos from 2025 to share the moments from these happy occasions and brighten up the pages with everyone's faces.

Submissions may be emailed to the church office: office@parkwoodchurch.ca.

Thank you very much!

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Letter from Algonquin College Campus Ministry

"To the congregation of Parkwood Presbyterian Church, Thank you for your recent donation in support of Campus Ministry at Algonquin College. We very much appreciate your contribution as it allows us to meet the pastoral care and spiritual needs of the students and staff at Ontario's third largest community college.

Next week begins a new semester for the college, and Yuri is eager to welcome both new and returning students to our ecumenical Christian ministry.

Happy New Year and God bless you all."

Jack Wilson, Chairperson, Campus Ministry at Algonquin College

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Buynothing Group Volunteers

We would like to establish a *buynothingparkwoodchurch* group and are looking for a few people to be administrators of the group. This would involve taking the online Buy Nothing Academy, a seven-part course on how to set up the group. Once the *buynothingparkwoodchurch* group is established, administrators from Parkwood monitor the group.

Anyone willing and interested in helping to set up a *buynothingparkwoodchurch* group, please contact Marcia Harten, marcia.harten@gmail.com.

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Presbytery Youth Event: Winter Wonders

Join us on Saturday, January 31st from 1:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. at St. Andrews (82 Kent Street) for an afternoon to bust the winter blues and exam stress.

Come and try a Winterlude Scavenger Hunt with friends old and new. Snacks and hot chocolate will be provided for warming up afterwards at St. Andrews.

Parking is available at the Supreme Court or on the street. Youth groups can enter through the green doors on Kent Street. Waivers must be signed in order to attend.

Questions? Please contact Sunjay Henry at prezminanimator@gmail.com.

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