

Order for the Public Worship of God
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Prelude – **Gymnopédie**
Welcome and Announcements

Gathering Praise (*African-Caribbean Choir*)
Only You Jesus
Mighty God

Call to Worship

Opening Praise – **You shine**
Prayers of Adoration and Confession

Children’s Story and Prayer
Praise – **He’s got the whole world in His hands vv.1-3**

Offering
Offertory Anthem – **Viens ne tarde plus adore (Come, now is the time to worship)** (*Parkwood Choir*)
Doxology – **Give thanks**
Prayers of Dedication

Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession

Scripture Readings
Old Testament – **Psalms 40:1-11**
New Testament – **Romans 4:1-8**

Sermon – The Letter
Prayer

Closing praise – **My hope is built on nothing less**

Benediction

This Week

SUNDAY, October 18
10:00 a.m. Worship and Church School
1:00 p.m. Sunday Bible Study
MONDAY, October 19
12 Noon Lunch and Learn
TUESDAY, October 20
2:00 p.m. Pastoral Care Communion and Tea
WEDNESDAY, October 21
7:00 p.m. ESL Conversation
7:30 p.m. Barrhaven Bible Study (Zoom)
THURSDAY, October 22
7:30 p.m. Music Rehearsal
FRIDAY, October 23
7:00 p.m. Youth Group
SATURDAY, October 24
1:00 p.m. Basic Beginner English Conversation

Serving this morning and for whom we are thankful:

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



Sunday, October 18, 2026, 10:00 a.m.

Guest Preacher: Brian Earl

*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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We welcome Brian Earl as our guest minister this morning.

Anyone needing urgent pastoral assistance is encouraged to contact an elder or the church office.

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We extend our sincere sympathy to John and Kathy Sheridan on the passing of their mother, Janet Sheridan, who died in the early hours of Monday, October 12.

A memorial service for Jan is being planned for mid-November at Parkwood Church. Let us give thanks to God for Jan's life and faithful service among us, and let us hold her family in our prayers at this time.

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Lunch and Learn

Please join us on Monday, October 19 at noon for Lunch and Learn! This month we are welcoming Susan and Mel Finlay, founders of Nation at Prayer, and recipients of the Difference Maker Award. For over 20 years, Nation at Prayer ministry has had a powerful impact on politicians at every level of government. Join us as we learn more about this ministry and their initiatives across Canada's political landscape.

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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MISSION MOMENT

In Mwanyesha, Malawi, Vincent Ng'ambi lives with his wife and five children. They previously struggled in a leaking thatched house and faced food shortages due to climate change, making farming unreliable. After joining the Lupembe food security project, they received training in climate-smart agriculture, self-help groups and household visioning. The training helped increase their maize production, enabling them to build a safe home. This project is an initiative of PWS&D's partner, the Synod of Livingstonia Development Department.



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Pastoral Care Communion Drivers

The Pastoral Care Team is in need of volunteer drivers for the Communion service and tea on Tuesday, October 20 at 2:00 p.m.

If you are willing to help by picking up and dropping off members of the congregation who need transportation, please notify the church office and a member of the Pastoral Care Team will put you in touch with those needing transportation.

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Barrhaven Bible Study Fall Session

Come join our Bible study's fall session (October 21 to December 16), 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. every Wednesday evening via Zoom.

We will be studying the book of Romans, which is the Apostle Paul's grand, systematic explanation of the gospel, teaching that justification and eternal life are received by faith alone in Christ's righteousness.

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

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Youth Group

Youth in grades 6-12, please join us on Friday, October 23 from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. for Youth Group!

Our activity this week will involve both carving and decorating pumpkins, so please bring your creativity and your friends.

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

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Basic Beginner English Conversation

Starting on Saturday, October 24 extra ESL lessons in English Conversation will be held in the library from 1:00 to 2:00 p.m.

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Fundraising Concert – Scott Voelzing

Please join us on Friday, October 30 at 7:00 p.m. for an evening of piano, songs, and stories with local musician, Scott Voelzing.

There will be a free-will offering collected and the funds raised will go towards Parkwood's expenses.

All are welcome, and we hope to see you there!

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Replacement of the Shed

We would like to thank the Facility Management Team as they race against time to replace the garbage shed outside the church building with a larger, roomier shelter, giving us more space for storage and garbage handling, before winter sets in.

We pray for their safety and for cooperative weather so that this work can be completed well.

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