

**St Andrew's
Presbyterian Church, Barrie
22nd Sunday after Pentecost
Mission Awareness Sunday
October 25th, 2026**



Guest Speaker: Rev. Katherine McCloskey

We Prepare for Worship

Gathering Music – Sweet Dreams

by Lorie Line

Welcome & Announcements

Sue Darch

Prelude – Sun of My Soul

by L.M. Horsley

We Gather to Praise God

Call to Worship

Pam Watt

Leader: God, our Shepherd, offers us abundant life.

People: God, you are with us!

Leader: God, our Shepherd, leads us by still waters.

People: God, restore our souls!

Leader: God, our Shepherd, walks with us through every dark valley.

People: God, we will not be afraid!

Leader: God, our Shepherd, we praise you for your goodness and mercy with us everyday.

Hymn #435 – All Things Bright and Beautiful

Refrain:

*All things bright and beautiful,
all creatures great and small,
all things wise and wonderful,
in love God made them all.*

1. Each little flower that opens,
each little bird that sings,
God made their glowing colours;
God made their tiny wings.

Refrain

2. The cold wind in the winter,
the pleasant summer sun,
the ripe fruits in the garden,
God made them, every one.

Refrain

3. The rocky mountain splendour,
the haunting curlew's call,
the great lakes and the prairies,
the forests in the fall,

Refrain

4. God gave us eyes to see them,
and lips that we might tell
how great is God almighty
who has made all things well.

Refrain

Prayer of Adoration

June Campbell

Prayer of Confession and The Lord's Prayer

Brenda Cripps

The Lord's Prayer

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

Assurance of Pardon

Gillian MacLean

We Listen for God's Word

Hymn #592 – I, the Lord of Sea and Sky

1. I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard my people cry.
All who dwell in dark and sin my hand will save.
I who made the stars of night, I will make their darkness bright.
Who will bear my light to them? Whom shall I send?

Refrain:

*Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord?
I have heard you calling in the night.
I will go, Lord, if you lead me.
I will hold your people in my heart.*

2. I, the Lord of snow and rain, I have borne my people's pain.
I have wept for love of them: they turn away.
I will break their hearts of stone, give them hearts for love alone.
I will speak my word to them. Whom shall I send?

Refrain

3. I, the Lord of wind and flame, I will tend the poor and lame.
I will set a feast for them; my hand will save.
Finest bread I will provide till their hearts be satisfied.
I will give my life to them. Whom shall I send?

Refrain

Scripture Readings

Leviticus 19:9-10

Psalm 23 read in unison

Joyce Wagg

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1. The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.

- 2. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters.**
- 3. He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake.**
- 4. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.**
- 5. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over.**
- 6. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.**

Luke 12:13-21
Matthew 11:2-19

Ruth Millar
Sue Darch

Choir - Show a Little Love and Kindness

by John W. Peterson

Introduction of Guest Speaker

Peggy Miller

Presentation and Video

Rev. Katherine McCloskey

Blessing of Prayer Squares/Pretty Bag Donations

Words of Thanks

Peggy Miller

Hymn #671 – I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say

1. I heard the voice of Jesus say,
"Come unto me and rest;
lay down, thou weary one, lay down
thy head upon my breast!"

I came to Jesus as I was,
weary and worn and sad;
I found in him a resting place,
and he has made me glad.

2. I heard the voice of Jesus say,
"Behold, I freely give
the living water; thirsty one,
stoop down, and drink and live!"
I came to Jesus, and I drank
of that life-giving stream;
my thirst was quenched, my soul revived
and now I live in him.

3. I heard the voice of Jesus say,
"I am this dark world's light;
look unto me, thy morn shall rise,
and all thy day be bright."
I looked to Jesus, and I found
in him my star, my sun,
and in that light of life I'll walk
till traveling days are done.

Prayers of the People

Kathy Tutty

Invitation to the Offering

Jill Pardy

Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.
Amen

We Go Out to Serve God

Hymn #634 – Will You Come and Follow Me

1. Will you come and follow me
if I but call your name?
Will you go where you don't know
and never be the same?
Will you let my love be shown;
will you let my name be known;
will you let my life be grown
in you and you in me?

2. Will you leave yourself behind
if I but call your name?
Will you care for cruel and kind
and never be the same?
Will you risk the hostile stare
should your life attract or scare?
Will you let me answer prayer
in you and you in me?

3. Will you let the blinded see
if I but call your name?
Will you set the prisoners free
and never be the same?
Will you kiss the leper clean,
and do such as this unseen,
and admit to what I mean
in you and you in me?

4. Will you love the “you” you hide
if I but call your name?
Will you quell the fear inside
and never be the same?
Will you use the faith you’ve found
to reshape the world around,
through my sight and touch and sound
in you and you in me?

5. Lord, your summons echoes true
when you but call my name.
Let me turn and follow you
and never be the same.
In your company I’ll go
where your love and footsteps show.
Thus I’ll move and live and grow
in you and you in me.

Commission

Mary Helen Garvin

Go Now in Peace

Go now in peace, never be afraid.
God will go with you each hour of every day.

Go now in faith, steadfast, strong and true.
Know he will guide you in all you do.

Go now in love, and show you believe.
Reach out to others so all the world can see.

God will be there watching from above.
Go now in peace, in faith, and in love.

Amen! Amen! Amen!

Greeters and ushers: Dorothy Sarjeant and Penny Barker
Refreshments (cupcakes and coffee): Pam Watt and Penny Barker

The flowers at the front of the chapel are placed in memory of Gordon Watt, a longtime & active member of St Andrew's, a hero, a Veteran, a teacher, a friend, and most of all the best Dad, who is dearly missed by his daughter Pamela Watt.



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