



Pentecost Sunday, May 28, 2023
9:15 (pages 2-6)
11:00 a.m. (pages 7-10)



TIMOTHY EATON
MEMORIAL
CHURCH



A Place for Life

9:15 AM ORDER OF SERVICE

Please turn off all electronic devices. Nursery care is available.

PRELUDE

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

MINUTE MESSAGE

Picnic

OPENING CONGREGATIONAL SONG *PLEASE STAND SING TOGETHER*

"Indescribable"

From the highest of heights to the depths of the sea
Creation's revealing Your majesty
From the colors of Fall to the fragrance of Spring
Ev'ry creature unique in the song that it sings
All exclaiming

Chorus 1

*Indescribable uncontainable
You placed the stars in the sky
And You know them by name
You are amazing God
All powerful untamable
Awestruck we fall to our knees
As we humbly proclaim
You are amazing God*

Who has told ev'ry lightning bolt where it should go
Or seen heavenly storehouses laden with snow
Who imagined the sun and gives source to its light
Yet conceals it to bring us the coolness of night
None can fathom
You are amazing God

Chorus 2

*Indescribable uncontainable
You placed the stars in the sky
And You know them by name
You are amazing God
Incomparable unchangeable
You see the depths of my heart
And You love me the same
You are amazing God*

You see the depths of my heart
And You love me the same
You are amazing God
(REPEAT)

You see the depths of our hearts
And You love us the same
You are amazing God

CCLI Song # 4403076

OPENING PRAYER *PLEASE BE SEATED*

THE LORD'S PRAYER *SAY TOGETHER*

**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 trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.**

MINISTRY OF MUSIC *CHOIR ONLY*

“Wa Habibi”

O beloved,
O beloved; what a sad state you are in
Whoever saw you cried in melancholy, you are the redeemer
O beloved, what guilt you carry
What wounds they inflicted on you, ones that have no cure
While in the orchard at night, you, our God, knelt to pray
The world used to pray to you, you, who enriched prayer
The olive trees wept, they called your name
O beloved, how do you leave like this,
no loyalty is left in this world
O beloved, what guilt you carry
What wounds they inflicted on you, ones that have no cure

Maronite Hymn arr. Ellie Kallab
Dr. Shireen Abu Khader, soloist

وا حبيبي، وا حبيبي، أي حال أنت فيه؟
من رآك فشجاك، أنت أنت المفتدي
(يا حبيبي أي ذنب حمل العدل بنيه؟)
(فأزادوك جراحاً ليس فيها من شفاء)
حين في البستان ليلاً سجد الفادي الإله
كانت الدنيا تصلي للذي أغنى الصلاة
شجر الزيتون يبكي وتناديه الشفاء
يا حبيبي كيف تمضي؟ أترى ضاع الوفاء؟
يا حبيبي أي ذنب حمل العدل بنيه؟
فأزادوك جراحاً ليس فيها من شفاء

SCRIPTURE

Acts 2:1-17

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Noel Di Tosto – verse 17, Italian

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them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability. ⁵ Now there were devout Jews from every people under heaven living in Jerusalem. ⁶ And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. ⁷ Amazed and astonished, they asked, "Are not all these who are speaking Galileans?" ⁸ And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? ⁹ Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, ¹⁰ Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, ¹¹ Cretans and Arabs—in our own languages we hear them speaking about God's deeds of power." ¹² All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, "What does this mean?" ¹³ But others sneered and said, "They are filled with new wine." ¹⁴ But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them, "Fellow Jews[a] and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say. ¹⁵ Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o'clock in the morning. ¹⁶ No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel:

¹⁷ 'In the last days it will be, God declares, that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh, and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams.

SONG OF GATHERING PLEASE STAND SING TOGETHER

(We invite the children to come up the centre aisle into the chancel, accompanied by an adult if necessary.)

"Come Now Is The Time To Worship"

Chorus

Come now is the time to worship

Come now is the time to give your heart

Come just as you are to worship

Come just as you are before your God Come

One day every tongue

Will confess You are God

One day every knee will bow

Still the greatest treasure remains

For those who gladly choose You now

Willingly we choose to surrender our lives

Willingly our knees will bow

With all our heart soul mind and strength

We gladly choose You now

Come come just as you are come come

CCLI Song # 2430948

CHILDREN'S TIME PLEASE BE SEATED

INSTRUMENTAL INTERLUDE

(We invite the congregation to take a moment of reflection as the children leave for their classes using the stairs at the back of the church.)

SERMON

“A Hurricane of Tongues”

Rev. Dr. Jason Byassee

PASTORAL PRAYER

OFFERTORY

OFFERTORY SONG *CHOIR ONLY*

“Order my Steps”

Chamber Choir

Order my steps in Your word dear Lord, lead me, guide me everyday, send Your anointing, Father I pray; order my steps in Your word, Humbly, I ask Thee to teach me Your will, while You are working, help me be still, Satan is busy, but my God is real; order my steps in Your word. I want to walk worthy, my calling to fulfill. Please order my steps Lord, and I'll do Your blessed will. The world is ever changing, but You are still the same; if You order my steps, I'll praise Your name. Order my steps in Your word. Order my tongue in Your word. Guide my feet in Your word. Wash my heart in Your word. Show me how to walk in Your word. Show me how to talk in Your word. When I need a brand new song to sing, show me how to let Your praises ring, in your word.

CLOSING SONG *PLEASE STAND SING TOGETHER*

“Blessed Assurance”

Blessed assurance Jesus is mine
O what a foretaste of glory divine
Heir of salvation purchase of God
Born of His Spirit washed in His blood

Chorus

*This is my story this is my song
Praising my Savior all the day long
This is my story this is my song
Praising my Savior all the day long*

Perfect submission perfect delight
Visions of rapture now burst on my sight
Angels descending bring from above
Echoes of mercy whispers of love

Perfect submission all is at rest
I in my Savior am happy and blest
Watching and waiting looking above
Filled with His goodness lost in His love

CCLI Song # 22324

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE *INSTRUMENTAL*

"Blessed Assurance"

CONTEMPORARY BAND

Elaine Choi, piano; Noel Di Tosto, guitar;
Sean King, bass; Chris Reesor, drums;
Dan Bevan-Baker, David Michael Moote, vocals
CCLI: 2792602



Sunday School will be held on the third floor.



11:00 AM – ORDER OF SERVICE

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These services are live streamed (a live video presentation)*

THE APPROACH

PRELUDE

"Trumpet Piece"

John Alcock

"Cantabile in F minor"

J. H. Knecht

Grace Zuo - Apprentice, Choir School Organ Scholar

PROCESSIONAL HYMN *PLEASE STAND*

No. 367 "Come Down, O Love Divine"

Down Ampney

CALL TO WORSHIP *PLEASE REMAIN STANDING*

Minister: We have come to celebrate the beginning of the church. We have come to celebrate Pentecost, and to open ourselves to God's Spirit, that it might come and dwell in each of us.

All: We direct our thoughts to God, that God's power might fill our lives and fill this church as it has throughout the ages.

Minister: Come, Holy Spirit, come. Come into our place of worship today.

All: Come into each prayer, each song, each heart, so that we may live with holy love and purpose.

**All sing: Spirit of the living God, move among us all;
make us one in heart and mind, make us one in love:
humble, caring, selfless, sharing.
Spirit of the living God, fill our lives with love! (No. 376 v. 2)**

PRAYER OF APPROACH *PLEASE BE SEATED*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION *SAY TOGETHER*

Minister: Lord God Almighty, by your Holy Spirit you have the power to make the universe burst into existence from nothing, and yet you descend on our hearts with the gentleness of a dove.

All: You are awesome in power yet unequalled in love. Forgive us, O God, when we are apathetic about your power, or when we take your love for granted. Forgive our reluctance to boldly proclaim the good news of Jesus, as Peter did that very first Pentecost. By the power of your Holy Spirit, fill us with love for you that burns like a fire in our hearts, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

KYRIE *SING TOGETHER*

Lord have mercy upon us;
Christ have mercy upon us;
Lord have mercy upon us.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

DOXOLOGY *PLEASE STAND*

No. 385 v. 5

Grafenburg

Spirit divine, attend our prayers;
make a lost world your home;
descend with all your gracious powers,
O come, great Spirit, come!

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

MINUTE MESSAGE

Picnic

THE WORD OF GOD

MINISTRY OF MUSIC

"The Call of Wisdom"

Will Todd

Metropolitan Choir School

Lord of wisdom, lord of truth, lord of justice, lord of mercy. Walk beside us down the years, 'till we see you in your glory. Striving to attain the heights. Turning in a new direction. Entering a lonely place. Welcoming a friend or stranger. I am here, I am with you. I have called, do you hear me? I am here, I am here, I am with you. Silver is of passing worth (Silver), gold is not of constant value. Jewels sparkle for a while. What you long for is not lasting. I am here, I am with you. I have called, do you hear me? I am here, I am here. I am with you. Rulers govern under me. With my insight and my wisdom. Those who know me know my love. Those who seek me find their answer. I am here, I am with you. I have called, do you hear me? I am here, I am here. I am with you God, the father and the son. Holy Spirit, coeternal. Glory, glory, be ascribed to you. Now and to the end, to the end of ages. I am here, I am with you. I have called, do you hear me? I am here, I am here. I am with you, with you, with you.

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HYMN OF PREPARATION PLEASE STAND

No. 382 "Breathe on Me, Breath of God"

Trentham

SERMON

"A Hurricane of Tongues"

Rev. Dr. Jason Byassee

THE RESPONSE

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER SAY TOGETHER

**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 trespasses,

as we forgive those who trespass against us.

**And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.**

**For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.**

OFFERING

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

"Veni sancte spiritus"

Sarah Quartel

(Composed for the Metropolitan Choir School by Sarah Quartel)

*Veni, sancte spiritus,
Veni, lumen cordium.
O lux beatissima.
Da virtutis meritum,
Da perenne gaudium*

*Come, Holy Spirit,
come light of every heart.
Give goodness its reward,
Give joy to that has no end.
O most blessed light, come!*

PRESENTATION OF THE OFFERING PLEASE STAND

Old 100th

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

RECESSIONAL HYMN PLEASE REMAIN STANDING

No. 625 "I Feel the Winds of God"

Kingsfold

BENEDICTION

CHORAL AMEN

"Amen in A Major"

Boda

POSTLUDE

"Pasticcio"

Jean Langlais

Annie Ruan - Senior, Choir School Organ Scholar

The Metropolitan United Church Choir School was founded in 2014 with the stated goal of providing 30 choristers from the London area with professional musical training, which is based on the Juilliard School integrated musicianship program. The program is offered without cost, with each chorister receiving weekly tuition in sight-singing, dictation, music theory and music/liturgical history. The choristers also receive weekly individual voice lessons. In July of 2024, the choir will be travelling to England for eighteen days, during which they will sing a residency at Norwich Cathedral. Dr. Gregg Redner, FRCCO (ChM) and Catherine Gray, FNCM, ARCCO - Directors

NEXT WEEK:

SUNDAY, JUNE 4, 2023 – TRINITY & COMMUNION

9:15 AM CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP SERVICE

11:00 AM TRADITIONAL WORSHIP SERVICE

Rev. Dr. Jason Byassee preaching:

"Are you God or Not?"

from Mark 10:18, 13:32; 14:60-65

**DON'T MISS OUT!
LAST SHOW TODAY!**

TEMPC'S SPIRIT EXPRESS PRESENTS...

Sherlock Holmes in Four Acts....Sort of

A Comedy Play

By: Dick Charlton

FOR AGES 8+

**ALL TICKETS
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Sunday Lunch @ 12:15pm- Lunch Tickets \$5

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Tickets online at www.temc.ca

OR in person at Coffee Hour

Sherlock Holmes in Four Acts...Sort Of is presented in arrangement with Pioneer Drama Services

"DID CHRISTIANITY COME OUT OF JUDAISM?"

Join Rev. Dr. Byassee and Rabbi Dr. David Novak on Wednesday, May 31 at 7:30 pm to find out.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of my father, John Leatch, a donation has been made to El Hogar by Joanne Leatch.

ART & TREASURES SALE THANK YOU

Many, many thanks to all the awesome volunteers who sorted, priced, sold and provided security for our first ever Art & Treasures Sale. We made more than \$8,000, which we will divide between the General Fund of the church and the Food Bank. Special thanks to Barb Rose who curated all the Art. The auditorium was turned into an magnificent Art Gallery. Special thanks also to Marg Deeks and Leanne Herbert, who meticulously put each piece of jewelry into tiny plastic bags for pricing and display. It was a beautiful table. Extra special thanks to our Treasurer, Jill Lavine, who worked with me for many weeks before the sale. I couldn't have done it without her. Thank you for also making the sale such a fun community event. Nancy Thornton

EL HOGAR THANK YOU

Thank you to our amazing El Hogar volunteers who worked at Timothy's Cafe at the Art and Treasures sale, and everyone who bought and enjoyed the delicious offerings. Once again, the heavy work was spearheaded by Dina MacPhail and we are so grateful. All cafe proceeds will go to the church's participation in the El Hogar program in Honduras.


NEW MEMBER SUNDAY - JUNE 18

Have you been attending TEMC for a while and considered joining the congregation? Our next **Reception of New Members' Sunday is June 18**. If you are interested, contact sonyaswainsbury@temc.ca or 416-925-5977 x 224.

BAPTISM – SUNDAY, JUNE 25

Baptism Sunday is June 25. If you are interested in baptism for your child or yourself, please contact: sonyaswainsbury@temc.ca. We ask that you attend an online baptism seminar on Thursday, June. 1st at 7:00 pm via Zoom to prepare for the baptism service.

Have you checked out our blog? Visit us at temc.ca/blog to see what's new.



BOOK CLUB

MAY 29 AT 7:00 PM

Operation Angus by Terry Fallis

Rev. Jason hosting

Special guest, Terry Fallis

JUNE 26 AT 7:00 PM

Spare by Prince Harry

Rev. Lori hosting

JULY 24 AT 7:00 PM

*The Sisters of Sinai: How Two Lady Adventurers
Discovered the Hidden Gospels* by Janet Soskice

Rev. Lori hosting

AUGUST 28 AT 7:00 PM

The Mozart Code by Rachel McMillan

Rev. Jason hosting

Special guest, Rachel McMillan



THAT'S IN THE BIBLE?!



FINDING TREASURE BY DIGGING DEEPER

Every Tuesday at 1:30 pm Rev. Jason or Rev. Lori will lead a study on the passage for the coming Sunday's sermon. It's a great way to prepare for Sunday, ask questions, and dive deeper into the passage.

Their focus in upcoming weeks will be on a new series called: "That's in the Bible?! – Finding Treasure by Digging Deeper." If you'd like to participate, either in person or via Zoom, please register at temc.ca/adult-ministry or contact Sonya Swainsbury for assistance.

JOIN US AT HOLY YOGA ON MONDAYS AND WEDNESDAYS

Mondays at 10:00 am and Wednesdays at 5:30 pm.

The Monday class will consist of 45 minutes of gentle yoga, appropriate for seniors, but participants will need to be able to sit on the floor or on their hands and knees. The Wednesday class will be 60 minutes, suitable for all levels. All participants are asked to bring their own mats and any props they need, but there are a small number of mats, blocks and straps available for those who are unable to bring their own. If you haven't participated before, please register at temc.ca/adult-ministry.

MEMBERSHIP UPDATE FORMS

If you're interested in joining a committee, getting involved, or if your contact information has changed please pick up a copy of an update form in the narthex from a member of the Welcome Team.

Holy Lands Journey

OCTOBER 15-28, 2023

Journey to the Holy Lands. For those who would like to come with us as we walk in the steps of Jesus and see the places where the first Christian disciples were called to follow him. Join us on this journey of biblical proportions!

Brochures and registration forms are available in the narthex.

Contact Rev. Lorraine Diaz at lorrainediaz@temc.ca for more information.

SHINING WATERS REGION ASKS US TO PRAY FOR:

North Runnymede United Church, Toronto

Beach United Church, Toronto

North York Korean United Church, Toronto

Birchcliff Bluffs United Church, Scarborough

Did you know? We are part of a larger church community across Ontario, specifically the Shining Waters Regional Council. There are many events happening throughout the year at different churches. Visit: shiningwatersregionalcouncil.ca/events/ if you are interested in checking some out.



CHURCHES ON-THE-HILL FOOD BANK

The MAY Food of the Month donation is CANNED FRUIT. With rising food and fuel costs the food bank is serving record numbers of clients. We are meeting the needs by offering food parcels to clients outdoors, and home delivering parcels to infirm and elderly. Visit us at cothfoodbank.ca for more information or to donate. You can also scan the QR code. On behalf of the clients and volunteers, thank you for your support.

Worship Information:

- Nursery staff care for infants and children up to age four during the worship service. The nursery and Sunday School rooms are located on the third floor, off the northeast balcony. Classes are held for children from Junior Kindergarten through Grade 6 during the 9:15 service.
- Wheelchair access is through the northwest entrance. Large-print copies of the orders of service and assistive hearing devices are available upon request.
- The 11:00 a.m. service is live-streamed at temc.ca/livestream or facebook.com/temctoronto and audio broadcast on CHIN 1540 AM.
- Copies of recent sermons are available in the narthex, and online at temc.ca/sermons.

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