



St. Paul's Church
National Historic Site
The Presbyterian Church in Canada

Sunday, July 24, 2022 11:00 a.m.

Sunday Service

Located in front of you are the following items:

- **"Book of Praise"** (dark blue) for use when we sing a **Hymn**.
- The **"Book of Psalms"** (red) is where you will find the **Responsive Psalms**.
- **"The New English Bible"** (smaller dark blue) is for use with the **Scriptures**. Within the **Bible**, the **Old and New** testaments are page-numbered separately.

*Please stand as you are able

WE COME TOGETHER BEFORE GOD

Prelude "God, who made Earth and Heaven" J.G. Walther

*Call to Worship

*Opening Hymn **65** "All people that on earth do dwell"

Welcome

Prayer of Approach and Confession

Assurance of Forgiveness

Response to Forgiveness Gloria Patri

THE WORD OF GOD READ AND PROCLAIMED

Scriptures

*Responsive Psalm **89** (v. **19-29**) **Reader:** Trish Haycock
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Bible Readings **Reader:** Trish Haycock
Genesis 32: 22-31 (page 37, O. T.)
Acts 7: 44-50 (page 156, N. T.)

*Hymn **665** "Lord Jesus, you shall be my song"
Solo "A Simple Song" Leonard Bernstein
Soloist Myke Hutching

Sermon "Take me to the Jabbok River with Jacob"
Minister: Rev. Dr. J. Mark Lewis

Silent Reflection

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD WITH CELEBRATION

*Hymn **672** "Jesus calls us"

Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession

The Lord's Prayer 831 (Book of Praise)

Announcements

The Offering

Offertory "Aria" G.P. Telemann

*The Doxology 830 (Book of Praise)

Prayer of Dedication

WE GO FORTH IN THE JOY OF THE LORD

*Hymn **651** "Guide me, O Thou great Jehovah"

Benediction

Choral Amen

Postlude "Trumpet in Tune G" G.P. Telemann

Please maintain social distancing during the service.

Please turn off all cell phones and personal electronic devices during the service. Thank you.

You are welcome to join us for coffee hour upon the conclusion of the service.



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Land Acknowledgement

St. Paul's is situated on the traditional territories of the Erie, Neutral, Huron-Wendat, Haudenosaunee, and Mississaugas. This land is covered by the Dish With One Spoon Wampum Belt Covenant, which was an agreement between the Haudenosaunee and Anishinabek to share and care for the resources around the Great Lakes. All peoples have been invited into this treaty in the spirit of peace, friendship and respect. We further acknowledge that this land is covered by the Between the Lakes Purchase, 1792, between the Crown and the Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation.

Land acknowledgments are essential as we move forward on a path to reconciliation and are guided by the Truth and Reconciliation Commission's 94 Calls to Action.

St. Paul's is an Inclusive and Affirming Congregation

The church is called to be a welcoming, nurturing, loving and supportive community—a true church family. As affirmed by the 2021 General Assembly, all people whatever their sexual orientation or gender identity are equally beloved by God. The Session of St. Paul's endorses these truths and will strive to create a church where all people are included and affirmed.



*An automated external defibrillator is available
in the hallway outside the office.*

St. Paul's Vision Statement

St. Paul's Presbyterian Church is a Christian community in downtown Hamilton, embodying Jesus' acceptance and love of all people and supporting the growth of God's people in faith and service.

Minister (Guest):	Rev. Dr. J. Mark Lewis
Clerk of Session:	Jer Dubash
Director of Music:	Blair Havers
Custodian:	Ruparain Sydney
Office Administrator (Interim):	Gordon Swenor

WELCOME TO ST. PAUL'S

We are glad you have come to worship God with us today, and hope you will experience the presence of Christ among us.

USHERS:	North Aisle: Trish Haycock
	South Aisle: Murray McDowall

ANNOUNCEMENTS

No announcements this week!



This Week at St. Paul's

Sunday, July 24

Hamilton Beat Harmonic in St. Andrew's Hall at 6:00pm

Tuesday, July 26

Session meeting in St. Andrew's Hall at 7:00pm.

Friday, July 29

Rental in Centennial Hall from 5:30 to 7 pm.

MISSION MOMENTS



In Afghanistan, Samaaneh was born with hemiplegia, a form of muscle paralysis that affects one side of the body. Samaaneh's father worked as a teacher and made enough money to support his wife and three children, and also pay for Samaaneh's physiotherapy. After the Taliban took control of Afghanistan, the family fled to Pakistan. While they were able to find refuge in a cramped one-bedroom house, Samaaneh's father couldn't find work, and the family had very little access to financial resources. **Through Presbyterian World Service & Development, in collaboration with ACT Alliance, Samaaneh's family received cash assistance to help with purchasing essential items.** Samaaneh's father has used some of the money to arrange for his daughter to have physiotherapy as well.