



Sunday April 29, 2018  
Music Appreciation Sunday

### We Prepare for Worship

- Praise Band
- Organ Prelude
- \*Processional Hymn *Holy, holy, holy* #299
- Lighting of the Christ Candle
- Welcome and Community Life News
- Silent Reflection  
*God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble. Therefore we will not fear. Psalm 46:1,2*
- A moment of silence for the victims of the North York van attack

### We Worship God

- The Call to Worship (Psalm 92:1-2, 95:1-2) Marissa Whittle  
Leader: O Lord, open our lips  
**People: and our mouth will proclaim your praise.**  
Leader: It is good to praise the Lord and make music to your name, O most high,  
**People: to proclaim your love in the morning and your faithfulness at night.**  
Leader: Come, let us sing for joy to the Lord, let us shout aloud to the Rock of our salvation.  
**People: Let us come before him with thanksgiving and extol him with music and song.**  
Leader: Let us worship God.

- Choral Introit
- Prayers of Adoration and Confession
- Lord's Prayer (*debts*) (please see pew card)
- Assurance of Pardon  
Minister: The Peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.  
**People: And also with you.**
- Sharing the Peace of Christ
- \*Praise Band Lord I Need You (please see insert)
- Jr. Youth Choir

### We Listen for God's Word

- Children's Time
- Prayer for Illumination Donna Chapman
- Scripture Reading 1 Samuel 16:14-23 Old Testament p.260  
Leader: the word of the Lord  
**People: Thanks be to God**
- Choir We Are Made for Praise J.M. Martin
- Scripture Reading Acts 16:20-34 New Testament p.136  
Leader: The word of the Lord.  
**People: Thanks be to God.**
- Sermon The Healing Power of Music T. Vais
- \*Hymn *Praise him, praise him, Jesus our blessed Redeemer* #372

### We Respond to God's Word

- Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession
- Offering of Tithes and Gifts
- \*Doxology #79
- \*Dedication of Offering
- \*Recessional Hymn *Praise to the Lord, the Almighty* #321

### We are Sent Out as God's People

- \*Charge and Benediction
- \*Sung Benediction  
**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 God 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**

Organ Postlude \_\_\_\_\_  
*\*if you are able, please stand*

*Welcome*

We welcome everyone here today. We hope that you feel comforted in our fellowship and that you leave here refreshed and inspired in your personal life. You are invited to fill out a pew card.  
**\*\*We welcome all children in worship or, if you prefer, we have a well-equipped nursery in our education wing. If you need to take a child out during the worship service, the service can still be heard in the lobby. Our ushers are available to assist you.**



## Gifts of Love: Sunday April 29, 2018

*We make a living by what we do, but we make a life by what we give. - Winston Churchill*

This month we are asking for donations of **toothbrushes and toothpaste for Evangel Hall.**

**Please place them in the basket located in the entrance foyer.**



**Our Leadership**  
Servant Leaders: Elders

### Our TPC family is growing!

The Session is looking for more elders to offer leadership in our church. We are asking you to prayerfully consider if God is calling you or someone else in the congregation to be an elder. The nomination forms are available at the Welcome Desk.

If you require further information, please speak with Rev's Heather or Tom.



### Sandwiches for Evangel Hall will be collected this Wednesday May 2<sup>nd</sup>.

This Wednesday is our turn to prepare sandwiches for Evangel Hall. The doors will be open from 9:00am – 1:00pm. and again from 7:30pm – 9:00pm. Our custodian or ministers may be here during other hours. Please ring the doorbell should you be here at different times then specified.

**AWAY** – The ministers will be away from May 2 – May 10<sup>th</sup> enjoying a family vacation in Mexico (with their kids) in celebration of their 25<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary. For any pastoral emergencies please contact the church office or Jerry Easton.

**Adios!**

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Custodian: Kirk McLeod

**Duty Elders: Deborah Kerner and Milton Lim**

### UPCOMING WEEK'S EVENTS AT A GLANCE

#### Monday April 2018

9:30 am Quilting in the Fellowship Hall

#### Wednesday May 2, 2018

10:15 am Sandwiches for Evangel Hall  
1:00 pm Free ESL classes in the Chapel  
7:30 pm Women's Study Group meeting in the Chapel  
Choir practice in the Sanctuary

#### Sunday May 6, 2018

9:45 am Jr. Youth Choir practice  
9:45 am Sunday Morning Discovery (minister's office)  
11:00 am Worship Service – Rev. George Vais

- Please remember to **turn off cell phones** before you enter the Sanctuary. Thank you.
- Hearing assist systems are available for those who need them. Please speak with an usher
- Large print bulletins are available from the ushers



**Due to severe allergies and/or disabilities with some individuals please refrain from using products containing PERFUMES OR SCENTS (Including cologne, hair sprays or after-shave lotions).**



## THANK YOU FOR THE MUSIC!

Today is Music  
Appreciation Sunday!

We are so blessed at TPC to have such a wide variety of musical gifts in our congregation.

**We are grateful** to our wonderful Director of Music Ministry, **Maria Lim** for her dedication, commitment and service to our Lord as she continues to inspire worship with her musical gifts.

**We are grateful** to our choirs too! The **senior choir** members give so much time and energy at rehearsals and Sunday worship. The choir inspires and leads the congregation and adds life to our worship.

Our beloved **Junior Choir** is a highlight of worship as they offer their musical gifts every Sunday and touch our hearts with sincere praise.

We are blessed to have our amazing **Praise Band** under the dedicated leadership of **Abel Pandy**. The Praise Band leads us in praise songs which always inspire.

We are grateful to the many people who offer their wonderful musical gifts as guest pianists, organists, directors and singers.

Music has always been used as a means of praising and honouring God and we are so very blessed by all who support and contribute to the music ministry at TPC.

If you have gifts that you would like to share to the ministry please speak with Maria Lim (music ministry and choirs), or Abel Pandy (Praise Band).

*Thank you for the Music!*



## Praise Time

### Lord I Need You



Lord I come, I confess  
Bowing here, I find my rest  
And without You, I fall apart  
You're the one that guides my heart

*Lord I need You, oh, I need You  
Ev'ry hour I need You  
My one defense, my righteousness  
Oh, God, how I need You*

Where sin runs deep, Your grace is more  
Where grace is found, is where You are  
And where You are, Lord I am free  
Holiness is Christ in me  
Where You are, Lord I am free  
Holiness is Christ in me

*Lord I need You, oh, I need You  
Ev'ry hour I need You  
My one defense, my righteousness  
Oh, God, how I need You*

**So teach my song to rise to You  
When temptation comes my way  
And when I cannot stand, I'll fall on You  
Jesus, You're my hope and stay  
And when I cannot stand, I'll fall on You  
Jesus, You're my hope and stay**

*Lord I need You, oh, I need You  
Ev'ry hour I need You  
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