



THORNHILL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
To Discover, Celebrate and Share God's Love

Sunday May 13, 2018
Mother's Day / Christian Family Sunday
Youth Service

We Prepare for Worship

Praise Band
Organ Prelude
*Processional Hymn *God is love: come heaven adoring* #314
Lighting of the Christ Candle
Welcome and Community Life News
Silent Reflection *(Jeremy Low)*
*Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth! Serve the Lord with gladness!
Come into his presence with singing! Know that the Lord, he is God!*

We Worship God

Worship Song: *Come as You Are* *(please remain seated)*
The Call to Worship *(Olivia Garduno Seo, Mason Girard, Jeremy Low)*
Olivia: See how much God loves us,
Mason: God calls us His children, and that is what we are!
Jeremy: God showed how much He loved us by sending
His one and only Son into the world so that we might have
eternal life through Him.
Mason: Since God loved us that much, we should love each other.
Olivia: No one has ever seen God.
Jeremy: But if we love each other, God lives in us and can be seen
through us.
All: Let us worship God

Choral Introit
*Praise Song *Here I Am to Worship* *(please see booklet)*
Prayers of Adoration and Confession *(Simran Ghuman, Jasmine Low)*
Lord's Prayer *(debts)* *(please see pew card)*
Assurance of Pardon
Leader: The Peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.
People: And also with you.
Leader: Please share the peace with those around you
Sharing the Peace of Christ
*Praise Band *Rescuer* *(please see booklet)*
Jr. Youth Choir

We Listen for God's Word

Children's Time *(Nora and Martin Pandy)*
*Praise Band *Blessed be Your Name* *(please see booklet)*
Prayer for Illumination: *(Caroline Lee)*
Prepare our hearts, O God, to accept your Word. Silence in us
any voices but your own, so that we may hear your Word and
also do it; through Christ our Lord. Amen

Scripture Reading *Luke 2:41-52* *New Testament p.59*
Leader: the word of the Lord
People: Thanks be to God
Choir *I Will Worship You* *M. Parks*
Sermon *A Mother and Child Reunion* *T. Vais*
*Praise Band *King of My Heart* *(please see booklet)*

We Respond to God's Word

Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession
(Johnny Han, Marissa Whittle, Rev. Heather)
Offering of Tithes and Gifts *(Johnny Lai)*
Praise Band *All my Hope*
*Doxology #79
*Dedication of Offering
*Recessional Hymn *All creatures of our God and King* #433

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.**

Leading this morning's worship service are members representing all of TPC's three Youth Groups

JYC (Junior Youth Club – grades K-3)

Kick It (ages 8-12)

F³ Senior Youth (high school)

Jeremy Low	Mason Girard
Olivia Garduno Seo	Jasmine Low
Simran Ghuman	Nora Pandy
Marton Pandy	Caroline Lee
Marissa Whittle	Johnny Han
Johnny Lai	

Youth Group Leaders:

Abel Pandy, Rev. Dr. Heather Vais, Rev. Tom Vais.



There is no Sunday School this Sunday the 13th of May. The children will stay with their families.

Thank you to the Praise Band

for this wonderful Sunday of worship and also to the Junior Choir for all their many Sunday's of wonderful hymn singing. The Junior choir is now finished for the season and we look forward to their return in October.

Thank you!

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Custodian: Kirk McLeod

Duty Elders: Sandra Bhikram Lee and Diana Cooper

UPCOMING WEEK'S EVENTS AT A GLANCE

Monday May 14, 2018

9:30 am Quilting in the Fellowship Hall

Tuesday May 15, 2018

1:30 pm W.M.S. meeting in the Chapel

Wednesday May 16, 2018

10:15 am Free ESL classes in the Chapel

1:00 pm Women's Study Group mtg in the Fellowship Hall

7:30 pm Choir practice in the Sanctuary

Sunday May 20, 2018

9:45 am Sunday Morning Discovery (minister's office)

11:00 am Worship Service – Victoria Day Weekend

- 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).

The Open Door

The deadline for the next issue of our congregational newsletter, "The Open Door" is Tuesday May 29th. Please forward your articles to Garth Low at garth.low@garthlow.com. Written submissions can be put in the Open Door newsletter mail box located by the Chapel.



TPC Spring Cleanup Day
Saturday, May 26, 2018
starting at 8:00 am

The Spring Cleanup Day has been set for Saturday May 26th. The Board of Managers has identified several projects that need to be done. There is a LOT of work to be done in one day so **we need your help to complete these tasks**. A sign-up sheet with a list of projects will be available at the Welcome Desk, so please consider where you might be able to help. If you have any tools, such as hedge trimmers or gardening tools, please let us know.

Questions or Suggestions: contact

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Summer volunteers are needed to

supervise the Sunday school children for approximately 30 minutes, as they watch a DVD series on Sundays after the children's story in church, for the months of July and August. The DVD's, player, screen, instruction manual and chairs will be set up in advance.

Two people are needed to oversee the children for the Sunday of the 8, 15, 29 of July and for the 12, 19, 26 of August.

If you are able to give up one Sunday in the Summer to help, please contact Barbara Godwin at 416-659-7949 or barbaragodwin@hotmail.com. You can also contact Stephanie Vandermey our church Office Administrator or Rev. Tom or Rev. Heather.



Maria Lim is away this Sunday on vacation.

We welcome David Rosevear who filled in for Maria last Wednesday at choir rehearsal and also for today.

Thank you David!



Please join the celebration

GREAT DAY –SUNDAY MAY 27TH
 Special Guest Rev. Helen Smith
 Luncheon to follow

ONE MORE STEP

Mother's Day and Christian Family Sunday

Today we as a church take time to honour our mothers and recognize the importance of family and the church family.



We give God glory and thanks for our mothers and honour the sacrifices they have made to make the family strong. Their love, nurturing, and strong maternal presence contribute to the strengthened bonds of love in our homes, churches and communities.

God bless our Mothers!

With Heartfelt
Sympathy

We would like to extend our sympathy and prayers to the family of Jackie Poretti who passed away last Tuesday. Jackie had been a long-time member of TPC and volunteered in many aspects of our church life. Jackie's celebration of life was held here at TPC yesterday.