

**BURLINGTON EAST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
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March 12, 2017

10:30 a.m.

**WE GATHER IN GOD**  
MUSICAL PRELUDE

\* ENTRY OF GOD'S WRITTEN WORD

\* PROCESSIONAL HYMN: (Hymn No. 299, verse 1)

GREETINGS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP

From where will our help come?

**Our help comes from the Lord,  
who made heaven and earth.**

Who is our keeper?

**The Lord is our keeper,  
by day and by night.**

How long will God protect us?

**God will keep our going out and our coming in  
from this time on and forevermore.**

\* HYMN: Praise him, praise him

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PRAYER OF ADORATION, CONFESSION & THE LORD'S PRAYER

**ANTHEM: "NEAR THE CROSS"**

**WE HEAR THE WORD OF GOD**

\*HYMN: Just as I am

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Let the children gather with the Minister **during** the singing of  
verses 1, 2 & 3

CHILDREN'S TIME followed by singing verses 4 & 5

RESPONSIVE PSALM: Psalm 121

OLD TESTAMENT: Genesis 12 : 1 - 4 (Page 10)

NEW TESTAMENT: Romans 4 : 1 – 5, 13 - 17 (Page 154)

GOSPEL READING: John 3 : 1 - 17 (Page 93)

\* HYMN: Man of sorrows, wondrous name 210

**SERMON: "THE NICODEMUS ENCOUNTER"**

**WE RESPOND IN FAITH**

OFFERING

\* DOXOLOGY HYMN: (Hymn No. 79)

\* PRAYER OF DEDICATION

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

**WE GO FORTH IN GOD**

\*HYMN Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine 687

\*BENEDICTION

\*CHORALE

MUSICAL POSTLUDE

\* - *Stand as you are able*

**WELCOME TO BURLINGTON EAST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

Worship Service. The Duty Elder is available for your assistance. If you are a visitor and are considering this Church as your new home congregation, please sign the Guest Book so that Rev. McAnsh may contact and welcome you. A Nursery is available in the McRae wing. Please join us for Fellowship Hour following the Worship Service.

**FLOWERS** in the sanctuary are placed by Pat Thomson in loving memory of her husband, Ron Thomson and father, Robert McEwen.

**EVENTS/MEETINGS**

Mon., March 13 <sup>th</sup>	- Social Club	- Douglas Hall	- 1:00 pm
Wed., March 15 <sup>th</sup>	- Lenten Service and Lunch	- Sanctuary	- 12 noon
	- SAW Meeting	- Quiet Room	- 7:30 pm
Thurs. March 16 <sup>th</sup>	- Men's Card Group	- Douglas Hall	- 1:00 pm
	- Choir Practice	- Sanctuary	- 7:00 pm

**LENTEN SERVICES at Burlington East Presbyterian Church  
Wednesdays, March 8 – April 5, 2017 at 12 noon**

**Please join us for our half-hour Lenten Worship Services in the Sanctuary** followed by a soup lunch.

For those who wish to participate in contributing to the lunches, a sign-up sheet will be available in Douglas Hall during Fellowship Hour for the next few Sundays.

## **BEPC @ A GLANCE**

	<b>March 12</b>	<b>March 19</b>	<b>March 26</b>
<b>Duty Elder</b>	Jim Allan	Susan Stock	Brian Johnson
<b>Responsive Reader</b>	Jim Allan	Susan Stock	Brian Johnson
<b>Ushers</b>	Beryl Gorrie George Rodgeron	Jim McIlquham Bob Dickison	Walt Richards Ron Dekker
<b>Greeters</b>	Dorothy Fabian Margo Polk	Ruth Faris Ann Maberly	The McIlquhams
<b>Flowers</b>	Pat Thomson	Beryl Gorrie	Marg Harris
<b>Fellowship (Douglas Hall)</b>	Pattersons McIntyres	Isabel Pullin and friends	Stuart Lawton Susan Lee
<b>Sunday School</b>	Brenda Reindl	Donna McAnsh	Denise Crockford
<b>Nursery Duty</b>	Sue Evans	Janine Dekker	Beryl Gorrie

### **SOPHISTICATED SWING - "A SINATRA CELEBRATION"**

A swinging concert featuring the music of Burlington's award winning big band Sophisticated Swing.

Where: Burlington East Presbyterian Church

When: April 29 at 7:30 pm

Cost: \$20

Tickets available at the church office



### **MAPLE SYRUP ORDER FORM**

The 20<sup>th</sup> Burlington Scout Group is still accepting orders for Maple Syrup products. Order forms are available in the Narthex on the table of at the church office.

## **DATES to REMEMBER**

1. Wednesday (March 8, 15, 22, 29 & April 5) - Mid-Week Lenten service @ noon followed by a Soup & Bun lunch
2. Thursday April 13 – Maundy Thursday Service with Brant Hills @ Brant Hills at 7 PM
3. Friday April 14 – Good Friday Service & Communion
4. Sunday April 16 – Easter Sunday
5. Saturday April 29 – Concert entitled “A Sinatra Celebration” by Sophisticated Swing
6. Sunday May 7 – Anniversary Service with Stuart McDonald as a guest speaker
7. Sunday May 7 – BEPC 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Gala
8. Sunday June 4 – Communion and Congregational Photo
9. Sunday June 25 – Burlington Presbyterian Church picnic @ Crieff Hills Retreat
10. Vacation Bible School – August 8 – 11

Put in on Feb. 19



### **BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT**



The blue rose on the Communion Table celebrates the birth, of a baby boy, Jonas Nathaniel Maciel, on February 15, 2017. Congratulation to parents, Tamara (Stock) and Robert Maciel. Jonas is the 2<sup>nd</sup> grandson to grandparents, Michael and Susan Stock and the 3<sup>rd</sup> great grandson to Walter and Lois Richards.

## **10<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY GALA**

Our 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Gala will be held on Sunday May 7, 2017 at 4:30 PM at The Atrium Banquet Centre. The evening will feature some special invited guests, a wonderful four course dinner and entertainment by the Appleby United Church Bell Choir. Tickets are only \$25. each and will go on-sale on Sunday March 19. BEPC children tickets are free. You don't want to miss this event so get your tickets early.



## 20th Burlington Scout Group

In association with the Burlington Lions Club



### Award Winning Maple Syrup Products

**Order Deadline: Sunday, March 26, 2017**

**Delivery: mid April, 2017**

Item	Size	Unit Price	Quantity	Total Price
	Plastic Jug	4 L	\$60.00	
	Flat Tin	1 L	\$18.00	
	Round Tin	500mL	\$11.00	
		250 mL	\$8.00	
		125 mL	\$5.00	
	Basquaise Bottle	500 mL	\$12.00	
		250 mL	\$8.00	
	Maple Leaf Bottle	250 mL	\$10.00	
	Maple Butter	250 mL	\$8.00	
	Maple Cream Fudge	250 mL	\$9.00	

Total: \_\_\_\_\_

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone (required):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**For Pick-up at BEPC:** Yes  (Please tick) **or Delivery to:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Please make cheques payable to: 20th Burlington Scouts**