

BURLINGTON EAST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

October 29, 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:

* HYMN: Praise the Lord with the sound of Trumpet 466

PRAYER OF ADORATION, CONFESSION & THE LORD'S PRAYER

ANTHEM: "OLD IRISH BLESSING"

WE HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

*HYMN: Make me a Channel of Your Peace 740

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

CHILDREN'S TIME followed by singing verses 3 & 4

RESPONSIVE PSALM: Psalm 1

OLD TESTAMENT: Deuteronomy 34 : 1 - 12 (Page 191)

NEW TESTAMENT: 1 Thessalonians 2 : 1 – 8 (Page 203)

GOSPEL READING: Matthew 22 : 34 – 46 (Page 25)

* HYMN: Lord, I want to be a Christian in my heart 571

SERMON: "SHARING OURSELVES"

WE RESPOND IN FAITH

OFFERING

* DOXOLOGY HYMN: (Hymn No. 79)

* PRAYER OF DEDICATION

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

WE GO FORTH IN GOD

*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.

WE WELCOME Rev. Moe Anderson as our guest minister today.

FLOWERS in the sanctuary are placed by Carolyn and Eric Smail in loving memory of Carolyn's father.

BEPC @ A GLANCE

	October 29	November 5	November 12 Remembrance Day
Duty Elder	Susan Stock	Brian Johnson	Stephen Shields
Responsive Reader	Susan Stock	Brian Johnson	Stephen Shields
Ushers	Bill French Wayne Freeman	Bob Dickison Halyna Dickison	Beryl Gorrie George Rodgerson
Greeters	Carolyn Smail	Lew & Rose Tripp	Anne David Beryl Gorrie
Flowers	Carolyn & Eric Smail	Bruce & Donna McAnsh	Mary Eidsforth Lorna Jack
Fellowship (Douglas Hall)	Anne Bone & friends	Sue Evans, Koppelaars, Smalls	Denise Crockford Shirley Paulin
Sunday School	Time to say Goodbye Michelle Stock Donna Beaudin	What should I do Michelle Stock Susan Stock	Get Ready Michelle Stock Donna Beaudin

EVENTS/MEETINGS

- Mon., Oct. 30th - Social Club - Douglas Hall - 11:30 pm
Halloween Lunch
- Wed., Nov. 1st - Pastoral care meeting - McRae Room - 11:00 am
- Fin. & Maint. Meeting - Quiet Room - 7:30 pm
- Thurs., Nov. 2nd - Men's Card Group - Douglas Hall - 1:00 pm
- Men's Coffee Group - McRae Room - 10:30 am
- Choir Practice - Sanctuary - 7:00 pm

DIRECTORY UPDATE

We want to put a new updated Directory together in the next few weeks. If you have moved, switched phone numbers or got a new e-mail address, please send an e-mail to the church office or leave a message on the answering machine.

office@burlingtoneast.net or 905-637-5155



Operation Christmas Child

This year we are planning to fill 50 (or more!!) boxes for Operation Christmas Child. Boxes, together with the instruction brochure, can be picked up **NEXT WEEK during Fellowship Hour in Douglas Hall**. Shoeboxes are due back on Sunday, November 12th.

Contact Margo Polk at 905-634-8282 if you have any questions.



Monday Social Club Food Drive

Our annual food drive starts in and will continue through the month of October. All donations of non-perishable food items during this month will be given to our own "Food for Life" program on Mondays. The Social Club will be donating food items each Monday in place of collecting funds each week.

The Hamilton Science and Faith Forum commences its fall lecture series with Doug Wallar from Reasons to Believe. The talk is entitled DUAL REVELATION: The Bible and Nature. Monday October 30, 6.30 pm, McMaster Divinity College, Hurlburt Hall (RM 136). See poster for more information, or check with bobgeddes@rogers.com

YOU ARE INVITED

At the November meeting of the WA we will be having a Guest Speaker, Marcia Huibers, from the City of Burlington Recreation Centres – Programs & Services for Adults 55+.



She will present on the many active, creative, educational and social opportunities available. Learn about Burlington's city-wide recreation programs as well as the City's Active Aging Plan.

If any member of the congregation would like to attend this presentation, we would welcome you on Wednesday, November 1st at 1:15 pm in Douglas Hall. Please let a member of the WA know if you plan to attend.

SESSION ELDERS & CONGREGATIONAL MEETING on SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 2017

Session would like to let you know of a Congregational Meeting it is calling for Sunday, November 19, 2017 to discuss two matters requiring congregational approval. The meeting will be held immediately after the service.

1. With Sara Steffler having moved west and Holly MacLeod taking a leave of absence, we require two new Elders to replace them on the BEPC Session.

The Session, acting as the Nominating Committee, has received acceptance from the following two individuals to become Elders of Burlington East Presbyterian Church for a six-year term:

- Jean Fortune
- Susan Lee

These names will be put forward for acceptance by the congregation. Acceptance will be made by a show of hands. Assuming approval by the congregation, plans are for the ordination and induction of these Elders to take place on Sunday, November 26.

2. We also require approval to proceed with a project to convert BEPC to LED lighting. This project will convert virtually all of the lights at BEPC to LED and save us significant operational costs. Complete details of this project will be presented at the congregational meeting.

HOLLYBERRY BAZAAR
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2017

The Women's Auxiliary will be holding their Hollyberry Bazaar on Saturday, November 18th from 9:00 until 12 noon. We have our Grannie's Attic, Craft & Book Tables and our ever popular Bake Table. The 'This & That' table is new this year!

Please join us in our Tea Room for coffee/tea and a scone with jam.

We are asking the congregation for donations of Baked Goods, Craft Table products, Grannies Attic items – dishes, crystal/glassware, jewelry, home décor, Christmas decorations and other useful items. Please be sure your donations are useable and have life left in them.



These items may be dropped off in the McRae Room on Friday, November 17th at between 9:00 & 10:30 am.

Baked goods may also be dropped off on Saturday morning between 8:00 & 08:30 am.

Please come and support your Women's Auxiliary!

Tea Room and Raffle Tickets will be on sale in Douglas Hall during Fellowship Hour beginning October 29th.

THANK YOU ALL!



- November 4 - Daylight Saving Time End – Time falls back
- November 12 - Remembrance Day Service
- November 18 - Hollyberry Bazaar
- December 3 - First Sunday of Advent

Burlington East Congregational Picture

At the Gala Dinner we distributed a picture that was taken of the congregation one Sunday morning after church. There are still some of these pictures available and can be picked up in Douglas Hall during Fellowship this morning if you would like to have one.



TIME FALLS BACK ON NOVEMBER 4th
DON'T FORGET TO TURN YOUR CLOCKS
BACK 1 HOUR ON SATURDAY, NOV. 3rd
BEFORE YOU GO TO BED!

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