

BURLINGTON EAST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

November 5, 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

CALL TO WORSHIP

* HYMN: When morning gilds the skies 438

PRAYER OF ADORATION, CONFESSION & THE LORD'S PRAYER

ANTHEM: "EVERY DAY IS A GIFT FROM THE LORD"

WE HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

*HYMN: The Church is wherever 484

Let the children gather with the Minister **during** the singing of
verse 1

CHILDREN'S TIME followed by singing verse 2

RESPONSIVE PSALM: Psalm 43

OLD TESTAMENT: Joshua 3 : 7 - 17 (Page 195)

NEW TESTAMENT: 1 Thessalonians 2 : 9 - 13 (Page 203)

GOSPEL READING: Matthew 23 : 1 – 12 (Page 25)

* HYMN: Great is Thy faithfulness 324

SERMON: "KICKING AT THE DARKNESS"

WE RESPOND IN FAITH

OFFERING

* DOXOLOGY HYMN: (Hymn No. 79)

* PRAYER OF DEDICATION

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

WE GO FORTH IN GOD

*HYMN We are marching
639

*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 Rev. Bruce & Donna McAnsh in loving memory of grandparents, John & Florence Pountney.

BEPC @ A GLANCE

	November 5	November 12 Remembrance Day	19 November
Duty Elder	Brian Johnson	Stephen Shields	Sandra Henderson
Responsive Reader	Brian Johnson	Stephen Shields	Sandra Henderson
Ushers	Bob Dickison Halyna Dickison	Beryl Gorrie George Rodgerson	Amanda Pyper Jane Wiseman
Greeters	Lew & Rose Tripp	Anne David Beryl Gorrie	Charlie & Marg Faulds
Flowers	Bruce & Donna McAnsh	Mary Eidsforth Lorna Jack	Sue Evans
Fellowship (Douglas Hall)	Sue Evans, Koppelaars, Smalls	Denise Crockford Shirley Paulin	Beryl Gorrie and Friends
Sunday School	What should I do Michelle Stock Susan Stock	Get Ready Michelle Stock Donna Beaudin	Investing what is Offered Michelle Stock Donna McAnsh

EVENTS/MEETINGS

Mon., Nov. 6 th	- Social Club	- Douglas Hall	- 1:00 pm
Wed., Nov. 8 th	- Ladies Coffee Group	- McRae Room	- 10:30 am
Thurs., Nov. 9 th	- Men's Card Group	- Douglas Hall	- 1:00 pm
	- 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 **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.

Living with Dementia

On Sunday, November 19 at 2:30 pm, the Pastoral Care Committee will be hosting the second presentation in its information series: "Living with Dementia".

Danielle Arbour who is a professional educator with the Alzheimer Society will provide us with an overview of Alzheimer's Disease and the various other forms of dementia. In addition, Danielle will discuss the key role of the caregiver and will share some information that may help slow the onset and progression of these diseases.

Please join us for this important event. Friends and family are encouraged 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.



For many years our BEPC Congregation has been sponsoring children through Christian Children's Fund of Canada. We are currently sponsoring 2 girls who live with their parents, subsistence farmers, in Burkina Faso and Ghana, Africa. Our donations help to provide Sana and Felicite, their families and communities with improved education, health care, nutrition and clean water. To make a donation for the upcoming year, please see Janine Dekker today at fellowship through to December 3rd. Thank you for your most generous donations in previous years and for your anticipated support this year.

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.

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