

# BURLINGTON EAST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

November 26, 2017

10:30 a.m.

## CHRIST THE KING SUNDAY

### 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

The Lord God is our shepherd.

**We are the people of God's pasture,  
the sheep of God's hand.**

God will seek the lost,  
feed the hungry,  
and strengthen the weak.

**But the proud and power-hungry  
will be fed with justice.**

**[together]** Let us make a joyful noise to the shepherd of our  
salvation!

\* HYMN: The Lord's my shepherd

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PRAYER OF ADORATION, CONFESSION & THE LORD'S PRAYER

**ANTHEM: "WE WORSHIP YOU"**

### WE HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

\*HYMN: Simply trusting every day

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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 95 : 1 - 7

OLD TESTAMENT: Ezekiel 34 : 11 – 16, 20 - 24 (Page 803)

NEW TESTAMENT: Ephesians 1 : 15 – 23 (Page 192)  
GOSPEL READING: Matthew 25 : 31 – 46 (Page 28)

\* HYMN: Teach me God to wonder 704

**SERMON: "SHEEP AND GOATS"**

**WE RESPOND IN FAITH**

OFFERING

\* DOXOLOGY HYMN: (Hymn No. 79)

\* PRAYER OF DEDICATION

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

**WE GO FORTH IN GOD**

\*HYMN Follow me, the Master said 645

\*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 Shirley Paulin and Denise Crockford in loving memory of their husband and father, Willard Paulin.



**POINSETTIA FUNDRAISER**



Order forms for Poinsettias for the Christmas season will be available on Nov. 26, Dec. 3 & Dec. 10 in Douglas Hall during Fellowship Hour. The This and That group will be there to take your order.

## **BEPC @ A GLANCE**

	<b>November 26</b>	<b>December 3 First Advent</b>	<b>December 10 Second Advent</b>
<b>Duty Elder</b>	Jane Wiseman	Bob Dickison	Jerry Fairbridge
<b>Responsive Reader</b>	Jane Wiseman	Bob Dickison	Jerry Fairbridge
<b>Ushers</b>	Bob Patterson Bob Dickison	Jean Fortune Ed Bromley	Walt Richards Ron Dekker
<b>Greeters</b>	Janet Paton Beryl Gorrie	Ruth Faris Karelin Skrovonek	Janet Izatt Jean North
<b>Flowers</b>	Shirley Paulin Denise Crockford	Susan Stock	June Spence
<b>Fellowship (Douglas Hall)</b>	Isabel & Jim McIlquham	This and That Group	Susan Lee & Stuart Lawton
<b>Sunday School</b>	<b>Christ is among us</b> Michelle Stock Donna McAnsh	<b>Two sided coin</b> Michelle Stock Donna McAnsh	<b>God's way of Love lasts forever</b> Michelle Stock Denise Crockford

### **EVENTS/MEETINGS**

Mon., Nov. 27	- Social Club	- Douglas Hall	- 1:00 pm
Wed., Nov. 29	- Fin. & Maint. Meeting	- Quiet Room	- 7:30 pm
Thurs., Nov. 30	- Men's Card Group	- Douglas Hall	- 1:00 pm
	- Choir Practice	- Sanctuary	- 7:00 pm



### **Mitten “Knitten” Tree**

This year the “Mitten Tree” will be in the Sanctuary on Sunday, Dec. 3 and Dec. 10. Please fill the tree with anything cosy and warm – mittens and scarfs– either knitted, crocheted, stitched or bought! This year all donations will go to the Halton Women’s Shelter and the Compassion Society, both located in Burlington.

### **White Gifts**

“White Gifts” this year can be placed under the Christmas Tree in the White boxes in the form of non-perishable food products for our Food for Life foodbank on December 17.

## WA Christmas Potluck



The Women's Auxiliary will meet on Wednesday, December 6, 2017 at 12:30 pm for our Christmas Potluck Lunch. All ladies of the Congregation are invited to join us. Please let a member of the WA know if you plan to attend. Come early and enjoy a glass of punch. Following lunch, we will have a presentation from the Wellington Square Bell Ringers. Come out and enjoy the ringing in of our Christmas Holiday Season!

### A BIG THANK YOU TO THE CONGREGATION!

The WA would like to thank All Members of the Congregation for their support and hard work over the Festive Season!

Our Hollyberry Bazaar was a great success making a total of \$2,754.35.

From baking to setup of tables by the men and donations of Crafts, Books & Grannies Attic items, we truly appreciate all that you did.

**WE WISH YOU ALL A BLESSED & JOYOUS CHRISTMAS!**



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.

### TIME CAPSULE

At the Gala Dinner on October 15, there was a Time Capsule started that is going to be sealed on Sunday, Dec. 31. If you have anything about BEPC that you want to add, please bring in to the church office so that we can place it in the capsule.





## CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS WISH PROJECT

Next Sunday, December 3rd, the envelopes will be available for members of the congregation to choose a name for the Children's Christmas Wish Project. This is a very worthwhile and rewarding project. **It is suggested that, two, three or even four join together for one child, making it easier for choosing your purchases.** For further information, contact Beryl Gorrie, either by phone or e-mail.



## CRIEFF HILLS



**Once again Crieff Hills is hosting their Christmas Buffet Luncheons. Cost is \$18 p.p (tax included).**

**This year Burlington East Presbyterian Church wants to make a group booking for Tuesday, December 5 at 12 noon. If you are interested in joining us for lunch, please let Rinatha know before December 1<sup>st</sup>. If you need a ride to Crieff, please also call the church office.**

### dates to Remember

- December 3 - First Sunday of Advent, Communion, Induction of Elders
- December 3 -10 - Mitten Tree
- December 10 - Second Sunday of Advent
- December 17 - Third Sunday of Advent
- December 24 - Fourth Sunday of Advent at 10:30 am  
- Christmas Eve Service at 7:00 pm
- December 25 - Hymn sing prior to dinner at 11:30 am  
- Community Christmas Dinner at 12:00 – 2:00