



ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

A COMMUNITY LOVING GOD
BY LOVING OUR NEIGHBOURS

*At St. Andrew's, Brampton, we:
learn together to know God's love through worship, study and prayer;
put our faith into action by loving and caring for each other;
use God's gifts to go forth to bring others to Christ.*

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
SUNDAY, JANUARY 26, 2025 • 10:30 a.m.
3rd Sunday after Epiphany • Seasonal Colour: Green

(* Please stand if able. Masks are not mandatory but recommended.)

Prelude: *Pastorale*

C. Wesley

Welcome, Greeting, Announcements

Silent Prayer

Approach to Worship

Call to Worship

Prayer of Adoration

See & Hear

(The children are invited to go to Sunday School.)

* Hymn: *Can a little child like me*

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The Rite of Reconciliation

Invitation & Unison Prayer of Confession:

**We confess, Lord, that sometimes we fail
by making individual decisions,
and sometimes we fail by going along
with the decisions of others.**

**Sometimes we fail by speaking out,
and other times we fail by saying nothing.**

**Sometimes we fail by doing things we ought not to do –
the sin of commission – and sometimes we fail
by not doing the things we ought to do –
the sin of omission.**

**Pardon us, Lord God,
for both our positive and negative sins,
and restore us through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Assurance of Pardon

Choir Anthem: *A Spiritual Psalm*

arr. B. Harlan

The Word Proclaimed

Prayer for Illumination: (See below for readings & responses)

The secret things belong unto the Lord our God, but those things which are revealed through and in Your Word belong to us and to our children forever. May Your revealed Word be the Word we put into action in our daily walk. Amen.

Scripture Lesson: 1 Corinthians 12:12-31a (All readings NRSV)

Responsive Psalm: Psalm 19

(The Word of the Lord: *Thanks be to God.*)

Sermon: *Openness to God's Gifts in All People* Rev. Sandy Fryfogel

* Hymn: *Brother, sister, let me serve you* 635

Response and Thanksgiving

Offering Announcement: *For more on giving to St Andrew's, please visit: <https://standrewsbrampton.ca/donate/>*

Offertory: *When Love Is Found* Eng. Trad.

* Presentation of Offering

* The Offering: (sung) 661 v 1

We give thee but thine own, what e'er the gift may be.

All that we have is thine alone, a trust, O Lord, from thee.

* Unison Prayer of Dedication:

Eternal God, source of refuge and trust, our days are filled with Your abiding presence. We awaken with the dawn of new life. We labour with assurance that You bless the work of our hands. We sleep at peace in the promise of Your protection and care. All that we are and all that we do are signs of Your benevolent deliverance. Accept now the offering we bring You as the indicator of our unending devotion. Amen.

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Lord's Prayer:

Our Father, who art in heaven,

hallowed be thy name,

thy kingdom come, thy will be done,

on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.

**And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.**

**For thine is the kingdom, and the power,
and the glory, for ever. Amen.**

* Hymn: *God is love: come heaven, adoring* 314

Returning to Service

Commission & Benediction

* Choral Amen

Postlude: *Bourée* G.F. Handel

*We acknowledge that we meet on the traditional territory
of the Anishinabek (Ojibway), Huron-Wendat,
and Haudenosaunee and Métis peoples.*

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In Worship Today

Pulpit Supply: Rev. Sandy Fryfogel

Music Director: Shelagh Tyreman

Senior Choir

Scripture Reader: Debbie Warwick

Sound & Video: Peter Shepherd

Worship Next Week

If you are unable to attend worship in person, please join us for our livestreamed services: [St. Andrew's YouTube Channel](#)

Sunday, February 2, 2025 10:30 am

4th Sunday after Epiphany • Communion

Interim Moderator/Stated Supply: Rev. Wayne J. Baswick

Hymns for Sunday, January 26, 2025:

Worship

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Can a little child like me

THANKSGIVING 7 7 7 7 7 with refrain

B \flat F7/C sus4-3 F7

1. Can a lit - tle child like me thank the Fath - er
 2. For our play - ing, for our rest, for the earth in
 3. For the laugh - ter, for the tear, for the love that

B \flat 6 B \flat F7/C sus4-3

fit - ting - ly? Yes, oh yes! be good and true,
 beau - ty dressed, for the moon and sun so bright,
 meets us here, for the les - sons of our youth—

F/A Am/C Dm B \flat 6 F/C C7 F B \flat 6/F F7 B \flat /F

pa - tient, kind in all we do; love the Lord and
 for the day and for the night, for your pa - tient,
 hon - our, grat - i - tude and truth— for the great gift

B \flat /F F Gm B \flat /D E \flat 6 E \flat m6 F7

do our part; learn to say with all our heart:
 lov - ing care, for your boun - ty eve - ry - where:
 of your Son, for your work in us be - gun:

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Refrain B \flat /D Ebsus#4- 3 C7 F7sus4- 3

Sav - iour, we thank you, Spir - it, we thank you,

B \flat /D B \flat aug/D E \flat maj7 Cm B \flat /F F7 B \flat

Great God our Mak - er, we thank you!

ST. ANDREW'S SESSION

Session Summary from January 13, 2025

The Session Meeting of Monday, January 13 was largely centered on the steps to be taken following the congregational meeting of Sunday, January 12, 2025 to unanimously extend the call to the Reverend Byron Kappes as the next minister of St. Andrew's. These included the elders procuring signatures of members and adherents who were unable to be at the worship service, the preparation of documents to the Presbytery of Brampton stating the terms of the call and the guarantee of stipend, as well as details related to moving and settlement of Rev. Kappes in the Manse. We also acknowledged the faithful service of the elders who, having served their term on the Session, are now retiring as active elders and join the Council of Elders who supplement the work and ministry of the Session.

Brother, sister, let me serve you

SERVANT SONG 8787

E \flat (Fm/E \flat E \flat maj7) A \flat /E \flat (E \flat maj7 Fm/E \flat E \flat) Cm (Fm/C Cm7) E \flat /G Fm7 (E \flat /G) B \flat



1. Broth-er, sis - ter, let me serve you; let me be as Christ to you;
2. We are pil - grims on a jour-ney, and com-pan - ions on the road;
3. I will hold the Christ-light for you in the night-time of your fear;
4. I will weep when you are weep-ing; when you laugh I'll laugh with you;



A \flat E \flat /G B \flat 7/F E \flat A \flat /C (B \flat 6 A \flat 6 E \flat /G) Fm (E \flat /G Fm/A \flat) Cm A \flat 6 B \flat 7 E \flat



- pray that I may have the grace to let you be my serv - ant too.
 we are here to help each oth - er walk the mile and bear the load.
 I will hold my hand out to you, speak the peace you long to hear.
 I will share your joy and sor-row, till we've seen this jour - ney through.



5. When we sing to God in heaven,
we shall find such harmony,
born of all we've known together
of Christ's love and agony.
6. Brother, sister, let me serve you;
let me be as Christ to you;
pray that I may have the grace to
let you be my servant too.

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You are invited!

St. Andrew's presents an

All-Ages Bowling Night

Friday, February 21, 2025

7:00 p.m.

Brampton Bowling Centre
12 Beech Street, Brampton

\$15 per person for 90 minutes of 5-pin
bowling, shoes included

You'll have a ball
at this event -
It'll keep you
rolling in the
aisles!

Please sign up
on the sheet
posted on the
Great Hall
bulletin board.



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ABBOT'S LEIGH 87878787

D /F# F#m/A Bm /A G /B G/D D Bm (/D Bm) Em 6

1. God is love: come heaven, a - dor - ing; God is love: come
 2. God is love, whose arms en - fold - ing all the world in
 3. God is love, and though with blind - ness sin af - flicts all

D/F# Em/G Gmaj7 Asus4-3 /G D/F# F#m/A Bm /A G /B G/D D Bm (/D)

earth, re - joice. Come cre - a - tion, voic - es soar - ing, sing ex -
 one em - brace, with un - fail - ing grasp are hold - ing eve - ry
 hu - man life, God's e - ter - nal lov - ing - kind - ness guides us

Em 6 D/F# Em/G Gmaj7 A C /B D7/A Em (/G) C6 (Am7) D7

ult - ing with one voice. God who laid the earth's foun -
 child of eve - ry race, and when hu - man hearts are
 through all earth - ly strife. Sin and death and hell shall

Alternate tune: Hyfrydol

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Gsus 4-3 A (/G D6/F#) A7/E (D6 A9/C#) Bm/D F#7 Bm D/F# F#m/A Bm /D

da - tion, God who spread the heavens a - bove, God who breathes through
 break - ing un - der sor - row's i - ron rod, all the sor - row,
 nev - er o'er us fin - al tri - umph gain; God is love: so

C/E D/F# Bm/A Em/G B7/D# Em A7/E D/F# G D/A A7 D

all cre - a - tion— God is love, e - ter - nal love.
 all the ach - ing wrings with pain the heart of God.
 love for - ev - er o'er the u - ni - verse must reign.

Readings for Sunday, January 26, 2025:

Scripture Lesson: 1 Corinthians 12:12-31a

Unity and Diversity in the Body

Just as a body, though one, has many parts, but all its many parts form one body, so it is with Christ. For we were all baptized by one Spirit so as to form one body – whether Jews or Gentiles, slave or free – and we were all given the one Spirit to drink. Even so the body is not made up of one part but of many.

Now if the foot should say, “Because I am not a hand, I do not belong to the body,” it would not for that reason stop being part of the body. And if the ear should say, “Because I am not an eye, I do not belong to the body,” it would not for that reason stop being part of the body. If the whole body were an eye, where would the sense of hearing be? If the whole body were an ear, where would the sense of smell be? But in fact God has placed the parts in the body, every one of them, just as he wanted them to be. If they were all one part, where would the body be? As it is, there are many parts, but one body.

The eye cannot say to the hand, “I don’t need you!” And the head cannot say to the feet, “I don’t need you!” On the contrary, those parts of the body that seem to be weaker are indispensable, and the parts that we think are less honorable we treat with special honor. And the parts that are unpresentable are treated with special modesty, while our presentable parts need no special treatment. But God has put the body together, giving greater honor to the parts that lacked it, so that there should be no division in the body, but that its parts should have equal concern for each other. If one part suffers, every part suffers with it; if one part is honored, every part rejoices with it.

Now you are the body of Christ, and each one of you is a part of it. And God has placed in the church first of all apostles, second prophets, third teachers, then miracles, then

gifts of healing, of helping, of guidance, and of different kinds of tongues. Are all apostles? Are all prophets? Are all teachers? Do all work miracles? Do all have gifts of healing? Do all speak in tongues? Do all interpret? Now eagerly desire the greater gifts.

(The Word of the Lord: *Thanks be to God.*)

Responsive Psalm: Psalm 19

God’s Glory in Creation and the Law

- R: The heavens are telling the glory of God;
and the firmament proclaims his handiwork.
Day to day pours forth speech,
and night to night declares knowledge.
- C: **There is no speech, nor are there words;
their voice is not heard;
yet their voice goes out through all the earth,
and their words to the end of the world.**
- R: In the heavens he has set a tent for the sun,
which comes out like a bridegroom
from his wedding canopy,
and like a strong man runs its course with joy.
- C: **Its rising is from the end of the heavens,
and its circuit to the end of them;
and nothing is hidden from its heat.**
- R: The law of the LORD is perfect, reviving the soul;
the decrees of the LORD are sure,
making wise the simple;
the precepts of the LORD are right, rejoicing the heart;
the commandment of the LORD is clear,
enlightening the eyes;
the fear of the LORD is pure, enduring for ever;
the ordinances of the LORD are true
and righteous altogether.

C: More to be desired are they than gold,
even much fine gold;
sweeter also than honey,
and drippings of the honeycomb.
Moreover by them is your servant warned;
in keeping them there is great reward.

R: But who can detect their errors?
Clear me from hidden faults.
Keep back your servant also from the insolent;
do not let them have dominion over me.

All: *Then I shall be blameless,
and innocent of great transgression.
Let the words of my mouth
and the meditation of my heart
be acceptable to you, O LORD,
my rock and my redeemer.*

In the Pulpit This Morning...

We welcome back the Rev. Sandy Fryfogel as our pulpit supply minister this morning. Rev. Sandy was born and raised on a farm outside Stratford, Ontario. He is a graduate of Knox College and was ordained in 1978. He served three parishes (in Hamilton, Orillia and Mississauga) before becoming chaplain at a longterm care facility in Toronto. He also served as pastoral care minister at St. Giles Kingsway in Etobicoke. Sandy has also served as an interim minister and done stated supply. Fully retired since 2019, he enjoys providing occasional Sunday supply. Among these many activities, Sandy says the true highlights have been his nursing home chaplaincy and providing pastoral care.



Announcements for Sunday, January 26, 2025

Welcome to St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church

We're glad you chose to join us for worship today! Please recycle your bulletins in the blue bins in the Great Hall after worship. St. Andrew's is a scent-free zone.

Minister's Availability & Pastoral Care

Rev. Wayne J. Baswick is available to meet in the Vestry on Wednesdays from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm. He can be reached 24/7 at 905-451-1723 ext. 22 or 905-456-1727.

Calling All Youth!

Worship Service - January 26

We encourage you to be in the Worship Service.

February 2, 9, 16 & 23

Youth Group Series - We will explore the faith journey of Tim Tebow on *Right Now Media* and talk about our own journey of faith. The first lesson will look at "who you are" - your identity - and "whose you are" - your identity in faith.

Annual Report Submissions

Committee chairs and group leaders: The deadline for submitting material for the 2024 Annual Report is **Thursday, February 27**. Please send your reports to standrewsoffice@rogers.com. Anything received after the deadline will not appear in the 2024 Annual Report (*Financial Statement & Auditor's Report excepted*). Thank you.

Stewardship Moment

Self-care is never a selfish act - it is only good stewardship of the only gift I have, the gift I was put on earth to offer others.

- Parker J. Palmer, writer, speaker, activist
