



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, JULY 26, 2026 10:30 A.M.
Ninth Sunday after Pentecost ~
Seasonal Colour: Green

(* Please stand if able.)

Opening

Prelude: *Jesus Loves Me*

W. Bradbury

Welcome & Announcements

Approach to Worship

Call to Worship

Prayer of Adoration & Silent Prayer

* Hymn: *I come with joy*

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See & Hear

(The Children are invited to go to their Sunday School classes.)

The Rite of Reconciliation

Invitation & Unison Prayer of Confession:

Merciful God, we acknowledge and confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed; we have not always loved you with all of our heart, soul, mind, and strength; we have not always loved our neighbour as ourselves. Deepen within us our sorrow for the wrong we have done, and the good we have left undone. Lord, you are full of compassion and graciousness, you are slow to anger, and full of mercy; there is always forgiveness with you! Restore to us the joy of your salvation; bind up that which is broken, give light to our minds, strength to our wills, and rest to our souls. Speak to each of us, and let your word abide with us until it has worked your holy will in us. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

The Word Proclaimed

Prayer for Illumination: (All Readings NRSV; see below)

Heavenly Father, help us to know your ways; teach us your paths and lead us into your truth. Amen.

Scripture Lesson: Romans 8:31-39

Responsive Psalm: Psalm 119:105-112 (See responses below)
(The Word of the Lord: *Thanks be to God.*)

Sermon: *Guest Minister* Rev. Gustav Ebai

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

* Apostles' Creed (*unison*) (See below)

Response and Thanksgiving

Offering Announcement

Offertory: *O Love, How Deep, How Broad, How High*
15th Century Carol

* 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:

God of new life, out of the abundance of our lives we offer these gifts to you. Through your blessing and our willingness to share, may these offerings become a source for hope and love in this church family, and in the community beyond us, in the name of Jesus Christ. Amen.

- St Martins Presbyterian Church, Christchurch

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: *Love divine, all loves excelling* 371

Returning to Service

Commission & Benediction

* Choral Amen

Postlude: *Love Is Something If You Give It Away/Magic Penny*
M. Reynolds

*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

Guest Minister: Rev. Gustav Ebai

Music Director: Shelagh Tyreman

Sound & Visuals: 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, August 2, 2026 10:30 a.m.

"Fed"

Minister: Rev. Byron Kappes

Stewardship Moment

Stewardship is a human vocation.

Douglas John Hall, (1928-2025), theologian, author, professor

Hymns for Sunday, July 26, 2026:

Communion

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I come with joy

DOVE OF PEACE 8 6 8 6 6

Unison F Gm7 Am Bbsus2 F/C

1. I come with joy, a child of God, for - giv - en,
 2. I come with Chris - tians far and near, to find, as
 3. As Christ breaks bread and bids us share, each proud di -
 4. The Spir - it of the ris - en Christ, un - seen, but
 5. To - geth - er met, to - geth - er bound by all that

Dm C/E F Bbmaj7 C6 Dm7 F/A

loved and free, the life of Je - sus to re - call in
 all are fed, the new com - mun - i - ty of love in
 vi - sion ends. The love that made us, makes us one, and
 ev - er near, is in such friend - ship bet - ter known, a -
 God has done, we'll go with joy, to give the world the

Bb6 Am7 (F/A) Bb C 9 (C7) F

love laid down for me, in love laid down for me.
 Christ's com - mun - ion bread, in Christ's com - mun - ion bread.
 strang - ers now are friends, and strang - ers now are friends.
 live a - mong us here, a - live a - mong us here.
 love that makes us one, the love that makes us one.

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*You are welcome to join us
for these upcoming Summer services:*

Sunday, Aug 2, 10:30 am Rev. Byron Kappes preaching
"Selected Verses: Matthew 14:13-21"
 Sermon: "Fed"

Sunday, Aug 9, 10:30 am Rev. Byron Kappes preaching
"Selected Verses: Matthew 14:22-33"
 Sermon: "Why Did You Doubt"

Sunday, Aug 16, 10:30 am Rev. Wayne J. Baswick preaching

Sunday, Aug 23, 10:30 am Rev. Wayne J. Baswick preaching

Sunday, Aug 30, 10:30 am Rev. Byron Kappes preaching
"Selected Verses: Matthew 16:21-28 and Exodus 26:1-8"
 Sermon: "Get Behind me Satan"

God is love: come heaven, adoring

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.

Love divine, all loves excelling

HYFRYDOL 8787D

F C F Bb/D C7/E F C Dm C F/A C7/G F /A

1. Love di-vine, all loves ex-cel-ling, joy of heaven, to
 2. Breathe, oh breathe thy lov-ing Spir-it in-to eve-ry
 3. Come, al-migh-ty to de-liv-er, let us all thy
 4. Fin-ish then thy new cre-a-tion; pure and spot-less

Bb6 Dm C F F /A C F Bb/D C7/E F C Dm C

earth come down; fix in us thy hum-ble dwell-ing,
 troub-led breast! Let us all in thee in-her-it,
 grace re-ceive; sud-den-ly re-turn and nev-er,
 let us be; let us see thy great sal-va-tion

F/A Gm 6 F /A Bb6 Dm C F Am Dm7 Dm

all thy faith-ful mer-cies crown. Je-sus, thou art
 let us find the prom-ised rest; take a-way our
 nev-er more thy tem-ples leave. Thee we would be
 per-fect-ly re-stored in thee, changed from glo-ry

Hungarian

1. Isten testbe szállt szerelme
 Mennyből földre jött öröm.
 Téged hívuk esedekelve,
 És újjongunk jöttödön.
 Jézus teljes jószág vagy Te,
 Mert megszántál és szeretsz;
 Szállást venni jer szívünkbe,
 Megtartónk csak úgy lehetsz.

2. Ó, leheld rám áldott Lelked,
 Nyughatatlan, lásd, szívem,
 Mindaddig, míg csendességet
 Nyervén, Benned nem pihen.
 Oltsd el bennem a bűn vágyát,
 Kezdet légy Te és a Vég;
 Add meg lelkem szabadságát,
 Melyben hit van s békeség.

Gm C7 Dm C7/E F /E Dm Bb6 Am Gmsus4-3 Bbmaj7 C7sus4-3

all com-pas-sion, pure, un-bound-ed love thou art;
 love of sin-ning; Al-pha and O-me-ga be;
 al-ways bless-ing, serve thee as thy hosts a-bove,
 in-to glo-ry till in heaven we take our place,

F Am Gm C7 F /A C Bb C

vis-it us with thy sal-va-tion;
 end of faith as its be-gin-ning,
 pray and praise thee, with-out ceas-ing,
 till we cast our crowns be-fore thee,

F/A Bb /D F/C C7 F

en-ter eve-ry trem-bling heart.
 set our hearts at lib-er-ty.
 glo-ry in thy per-fect love.
 lost in won-der, love and praise.

3. Ó, jöjj vissza, Szabadító,
 Tőled nyerjünk életet;
 Jöjj sietve s immár többé
 El ne hagyjad gyermeked!
 Téged áldunk minden órán,
 És szolgálunk, szens Urunk,
 Mindig Hozzád óhajtozván,
 Áldunk és magasztalunk.

4. Végezd új teremő munkád,
 Tiszták, szentek hadd legyünk.
 Add, hogy vágyva vágyjunk Hozzád,
 Míg tart földi életünk.
 Vigy a mennybe, hol Elődbe
 Mind lerakjuk koronánk,
 Áldva zengi nagy szerelmed
 Mindörökké szívünk, szánk.

Readings for Sunday, July 26, 2026:

First Scripture Lesson: Romans 8:31-39

Nothing can separate us from God's love

What then are we to say about these things? If God is for us, who is against us? He who did not withhold his own Son but gave him up for all of us, how will he not with him also give us everything else? Who will bring any charge against God's elect? It is God who justifies. Who is to condemn? It is Christ^[a] who died, or rather, who was raised, who is also at the right hand of God, who also intercedes for us. Who will separate us from the love of Christ? Will affliction or distress or persecution or famine or nakedness or peril or sword? As it is written,

"For your sake we are being killed all day long;
we are accounted as sheep to be slaughtered."

No, in all these things we are more than victorious through him who loved us. For I am convinced that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor rulers, nor things present, nor things to come, nor powers, nor height, nor depth, nor anything else in all creation will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

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

Responsive Psalm: Psalm 119:105-112

R: Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path.

C: **I have sworn an oath and confirmed it, to observe your righteous ordinances.**

R: I am severely afflicted; give me life, O Lord, according to your word.

C: **Accept my offerings of praise, O Lord, and teach me your ordinances.**

R: I hold my life in my hand continually, but I do not forget your law.

C: **The wicked have laid a snare for me, but I do not stray from your precepts.**

R: Your decrees are my heritage forever; they are the joy of my heart.

All: I incline my heart to perform your statutes forever, to the end.

* The Apostles' Creed:

Let us confess our faith together in the words of The Apostles' Creed:

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen**



ALL CHILDREN ARE WELCOME!!

Ah, summer-time is a time for adventure! There is no better place to begin than with this summer's All Together Now, one room schoolhouse. This summer will be packed with Old Testament adventures from start to finish.

Last week, the children learned how God uses an unlikely trio (Deborah, Barak & Jael) to defeat Sisera. *God invites us all kinds of people into his kingdom

Stay tuned for weekly updates on what the Sunday School is learning throughout the summer.

UPCOMING LESSONS

- July 26th - A King's the Thing
- Aug. 2nd - An Unlikely Choice for King
- Aug. 9th - David Runs for His Life
- Aug. 16th - Abigail Saves the Day
- Aug. 23rd - David Rules!
- Aug. 30th - Showdown on Mount Carmel

Announcements for Sunday, July 26, 2026

Welcome to St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church

We're glad you chose to join us for worship today! Please recycle your bulletins in the Great Hall blue bins. St. Andrew's is a scent-free zone. The staffed Nursery (Room 106) is available for infants and toddlers during worship; parents will be supplied with a pager.

Minister's Availability & Pastoral Care

Rev. Byron Kappes is in the Vestry every Tuesday and Thursday from 10:30 am to 12:00 noon. If you would like to meet with him outside of these hours, please contact Byron for an appointment. He can be reached at **905-451-1723, Ext. 201** or rev.byronkappes@standrewsbrampton.ca.

Summer Offering

With summer upon us—and many heading off on weekend getaways or enjoying time at the cottage—the Stewardship Committee invites you to consider joining Pre-Authorized Remittance (PAR). The work of the church continues throughout the summer, and our ongoing ministries rely on regular weekly offerings. If you'd like to sign up for PAR or learn more, please speak with our Envelope Secretaries, who would be happy to help you get set up.