

CHALMERS' LIFE & MISSION

We welcome you to join us for **online** worship this Sunday. The service will be available through our website at chalmerslondon.com. The video link is found on the home page. We encourage you to let us know you have joined us by filling in the short response form.

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE: JUNE 27—JULY 4

SUNDAY	Online Worship Service	10:00 am
	Virtual Sunday School	11:00 am
	Stephen Ministry Supervision	7:00 pm
MONDAY	Online Bible Study (final week)	7:00 pm
WEDNESDAY	Care & Share Food Pickup	12:30 pm
	Mission Committee Online Meeting	7:00 pm
	Online Prayer Meeting	8:00 pm
THURSDAY	Online Community Coffee Hour	7:30 pm
SUNDAY	Online Worship Service	10:00 am

OFFICE HOURS:

The church building and office remain closed to the public. Wendy is once again working from HOME. We urge you to call ahead before dropping by the church. Email chalmerspresbyterian@bellnet.ca with any questions or needs.

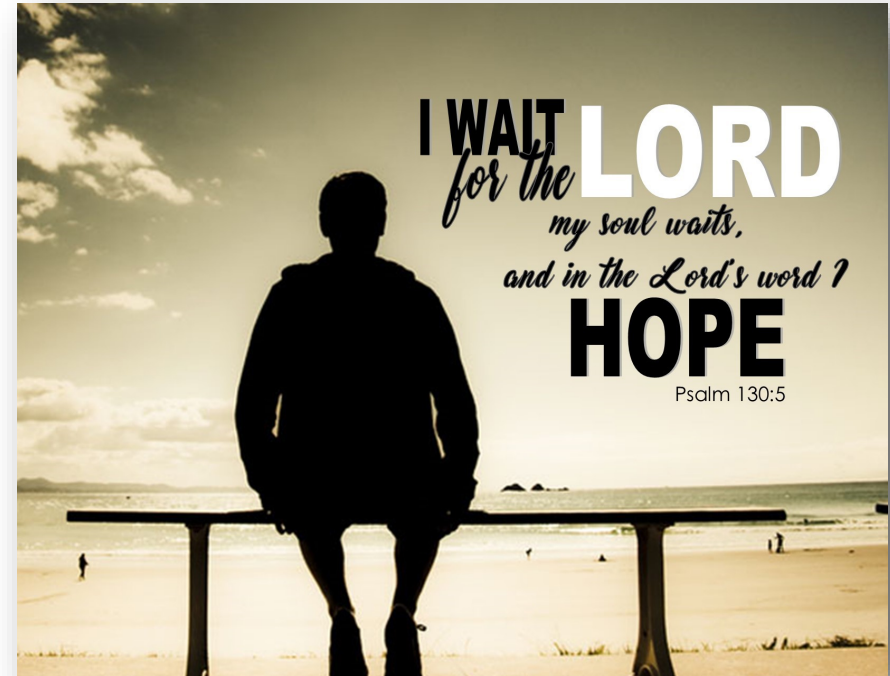
Rev. John can be reached on his home phone (519) 681-9876 or cell (226) 919-9180. Regular updates will be posted on the home page of our website, www.chalmerslondon.com. You may also find up to date information on the **Chalmers Presbyterian Church Ministries Group** Facebook page.

Chalmers Presbyterian Church

Online Worship Celebration

June 27, 2021

5th Sunday after Pentecost



Chalmers' Ministry Team:

Ministers
Clerk of Session
Music Director
Office Administrator
Caretaker
Pastor

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WE APPROACH GOD

Musical Prelude

Call to Worship

One: Out of the depths we cry to the Lord.

All: We wait for the Lord and find hope in God's Word.

One: Hope in the Lord!

All: For with God there is steadfast love.

One: With God there is great power to redeem.

All: So we come to offer our prayers and praise to God in whom we trust

Praise: *God, we praise you for the morning* (Lyrics on p. 3) 436

Prayers of Adoration, Confession and Pardon

Celebrating with the Children — Church School Presentation

WE LISTEN TO GOD'S WORD

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Reading: Psalm 130

One: Out of the depths I cry to you, O Lord.

All: Lord, hear my voice!

Let your ears be attentive to the voice of my supplications!

One: If you, O Lord, should mark iniquities, Lord, who could stand?

All: But there is forgiveness with you, so that you may be revered.

One: I wait for the Lord, my soul waits, and in the Lord's word I hope;

All: my soul waits for the Lord

**more than those who watch for the morning,
more than those who watch for the morning.**

One: O Israel, hope in the Lord!

For with the Lord there is steadfast love,
with the Lord is great power to redeem.

All: It is the Lord who will redeem Israel from all its iniquities.

Scripture Reading: Mark 5:21-24, 35-43

One: The Gospel of the Lord.

All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Praise: *When the poor ones* (Lyrics on p. 3) 762

Message: *Out of the Depths*

Special Praise: *Everlasting God* by Brown, Riley Lynn & Tom Ball

WE RESPOND TO GOD

Chalmers' Life and Mission

Offering of our Gifts

Offering Praise: *We give thee but thine own* (Lyrics on p. 3) 661 (vv. 1-2)

Offering Prayer, Prayers of the People and **The Lord's Prayer**

Praise: *Deep in the shadows of the past* (Lyrics on p. 3) 510

Blessing

Musical Postlude

We praise you, O God

Jim Strathdee, Jean Strathdee

God, we praise you for the morning;
hope springs forth with each new day,
new beginning, prayer and promise,
joy in work and in play.

God, we praise you for creation,
mountains, seas and prairie land.
Waking souls find joy and healing
in your bountiful hand.

God, we praise you for compassion,
all the loving that you show;
human touching, tears and laughter,
help your children to grow.

God, we praise you for your Spirit,
Comforter and daily friend;
restless searcher, gentle teacher,
strength and courage you send.

God, we praise you for the Saviour,
come that we may know your ways.
In his loving, dying, rising,
Christ is Lord of our days.

Hallelujah, hallelujah,
Hallelujah, hallelujah!
Hallelujah, hallelujah!
Christ is Lord of our days!

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We give Thee but Thine own

William Walsham How

We give thee but thine own,
whate'er the gift may be;
all that we have is thine alone,
a trust, O Lord, from thee.

May we thy bounties thus
as stewards true receive,
and gladly, as thou blesses us,
to thee our first-fruits give.

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When the poor ones

Manzano, Olivar, Lockwood

When the poor ones who have nothing
share with strangers,
when the thirsty water give unto us all,
when the crippled in their weakness
strengthen others,
then we know that God
still goes that road with us.

When at last all those who suffer
find their comfort,
when they hope though even hope
seems hopelessness,
when we love though hate at times
seems all around us,
then we know that God
still goes that road with us.

When our joy fills up our cup
to overflowing,
when our lips can speak no words
other than true,
when we know that love for simple things
is better,
then we know that God
still goes that road with us.

When our homes are filled with goodness
in abundance,
when we learn how to make peace
instead of war,
when each stranger that we meet
is called a neighbour,
then we know that God
still goes that road with us.

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Deep in the shadows of the past

Brian A. Wren

Deep in the shadows of the past,
far from settled lands,
some nomads traveled with their God
across the desert sands.
The dawning hope of human-kind
by them was sensed and shown;
a promise calling them ahead,
a future yet unknown.

While others bowed to changeless gods,
they met a mystery, invisible, without a name,
"I AM WHAT I WILL BE";
and by their tents, a round their fires,
in story, song and law,
they praised, remembered, handled on
a past that promised more.

From Exodus to Pentecost
the promise changed and grew,
while some, remembering the past,
recorded what they knew,
or with their letters and laments,
their prophecy and praise,
recovered, kindled and expressed
new hope for changing days.

For all the writings that survived,
for leaders long ago,
who sifted, copied and preserved
the Bible that we know,
give thanks, and find its story yet
our promise, strength and call,
the model of emerging faith,
alive with hope for all.

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Special Praise

Everlasting God

Brenton Brown, Ken Riley

Strength will rise as we wait upon the Lord
We will wait upon the Lord,
we will wait upon the Lord
Strength will rise as we wait upon the Lord
We will wait upon the Lord,
we will wait upon the Lord

Chorus

*Our God, You reign forever
Our hope, our Strong Deliverer
You are the everlasting God
The everlasting God
You do not faint
You won't grow weary
You're the defender of the weak
You comfort those in need
You lift us up on the wings
Like eagles*

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Please *PRAY*

- ◆ For God's healing and pain control for **Joyce Yull**.
- ◆ We pray for healing for **Tom Hunter** as he recovers at home.
- ◆ For God's healing for **Doris Tuft** and a spirit of perseverance as she recovers at home.
- ◆ For God's healing for **Ken Hall** as he convalesces at home. May the Lord give strength to Shirley, as she cares for Ken.
- ◆ For God's protection, peace and grace to surround us as we walk through these trying times due to the COVID-19 virus.
- ◆ For God to inspire us to be generous in giving our time, talents and treasure for the ongoing work of the Lord in the world.
- ◆ For God's blessing for **Betty Smedley, Linda McPherson, and Ross Cole**.
- ◆ For the Lord to encourage the staff and campers of **Camp Kintail** and all of our church camps across Canada as they continue to deal with the cancellation of summer, overnight camp programs and the financial implications of the pandemic.

WALK-A-THON IN SUPPORT OF CAMP KINTAIL: A fundraising walk-a-thon to support Camp Kintail is being planned for **Saturday, July 24**, beginning at 10am in the Chalmers parking lot. More details, sign-up and pledge sheets to follow on our website. **Watch also for details of a mini tennis tournament in support of Camp Kintail in early August!**



June 27: Equipping New Leaders

Growing up in a village in northern Malawi where the nearest health facility is 30 km away, Dorica Nkhata knows about the importance of accessible healthcare. Working at Embangweni Mission Hospital as a nurse and noticing a critical shortage of doctors, she decided to pursue her dream of becoming a doctor at the Malawi College of Medicine. She approached the Church of Central Africa Presbyterian, Livingstonia Synod, for assistance. At our partner's request, the PCC accepted Dorica into the Leadership Development Program. With financial support from Knox Presbyterian Church in St. Catharines, Ont., and Presbyterians Sharing, Dorica is on her way to fulfilling her dream and serving those in need in rural Malawi. Presbyterians Sharing supports leadership development through medical and theological education and training programs in Kenya, Malawi, Lebanon and Eastern Europe.

SPEAKING OF STEWARDSHIP

June 27 Generosity is the flower of justice.
Nathaniel Hawthorne, novelist

CHALMERS VIRTUAL PRAYER MEETING: Join us for a weekly online prayer meeting. We will meet on ZOOM every Wednesday evening at 8 pm for about 40-50 minutes. Link available on our website.

LIBRARY NEWS

Lavender Tides Novels – by Colleen Coble

The House at Saltwater Point

Lavender Tides Novel #3

Ellie Blackmore buys houses, then she and her partner Jason do a makeover on them, and resell the houses. Her sister Mackenzie (Mac) helps her with the updates on occasion, but Mac's real love is her tall ship that she bought and refurbished and now is looking forward to sailing in a local regatta. But Mac disappears under very suspicious circumstances and when Grayson Bradshaw comes to Lavender Tides to find out what happened to Mac, he and Ellie cross swords often as he assumes Mac is dead, and was into some serious spying business. Ellie refuses to believe this of her sister.

This story keeps you guessing who the terrorists are, and who is trying to stop these terrorists from causing serious harm to this small town.

A very exciting read.

Christine Hunter, Librarian

CHALMERS ONLINE COMMUNITY COFFEE

Hour: Join us Thursday evenings at 7:30pm for a relaxed time of fellowship. We are meeting on ZOOM, meeting ID 350 336 4073 (this will remain the same each week).

WEDNESDAY EVENING WORSHIP: Our next midweek, interactive worship time will be **Wednesday, July 7 at 7 pm**. Details for joining in on Zoom will be available on our website.

COVID-19 UPDATE: At their meeting on June 22 Chalmers Session decided that **online worship will continue for the month of July 2021**. Session has approved the live-streaming of services beginning mid-July, and indoor worship services beginning mid-August in accordance with health and safety protocols, and if COVID-19 numbers in the community permit. All regular programming at Chalmers Presbyterian Church, save Care & Share, remains suspended and **the church building and office remain closed to the public for the month of July**.

OFFICE HOURS: Wendy is only working in the office as necessary. Please call ahead before visiting the church. Wendy can be reached at 519-872-0003 or email chalmerspresbyterian@bellnet.ca.

VIRTUAL SUNDAY SCHOOL: Meets today at 11 am online. We will be taking a break for the summer months. Many thanks to our leaders for their faithful service these past many months!

