

CHALMERS' LIFE & MISSION

We will be live-streaming the service this week. This can be viewed 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 online by filling in the short response form.

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE: FEBRUARY 13-19

SUNDAY	Online Worship	10:00 am
MONDAY	Online Bible Study	7:00 pm
TUESDAY	Session Meeting Online	7:00 pm
WEDNESDAY	Care & Share Food Pickup Online Prayer Meeting	12:30 pm 7:00 pm
SUNDAY	Online Worship	10:00 am

OFFICE HOURS:

Our regular church hours are Mon-Thurs, 9:30-4:30pm. Rev. John can be reached by email jbannerman@bellnet.ca or on his cell, 226-919-9180.

WORSHIP VOLUNTEERS:

	This Week	Next Week
HOSTS	Live-stream only	Live-stream only
A/V	Andrea Bruce Isla Thibodeau	Andrea Bruce Marilyn McFadden
Webex	Lizz Thibodeau	Richard Cote

Chalmers Presbyterian Church Worship Celebration

February 13, 2022

Live-stream Worship



Chalmers' Ministry Team:

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Music Director
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Caretaker
Pastor

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WE APPROACH GOD

Musical Prelude

Call to Worship Hebrews 12:28

One: Therefore, since we are receiving a kingdom that cannot be shaken,
All: let us give thanks, by which we offer to God an acceptable worship with reverence and awe.

Praise: *Oh worship the King* (Lyrics on p. 3) (vs 1,4-5) 313

Prayers of Adoration, Confession and Pardon

The Peace One: May the peace of Christ be with you
All: And also with you.

Celebrating with the children

Praise: *Give me oil in my lamp* (Lyrics on p. 3) 655

WE LISTEN TO GOD'S WORD

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Reading: Psalm 72: 1-7, 18-19

One: Give the king your justice, O God, and your righteousness to a king's son.

All: May he judge your people with righteousness, and your poor with justice.

One: May the mountains yield prosperity for the people, and the hills, in righteousness.

All: May he defend the cause of the poor of the people, give deliverance to the needy, and crush the oppressor.

One: May he live while the sun endures, and as long as the moon, throughout all generations.

All: May he be like rain that falls on the mown grass, like showers that water the earth.

One: In his days may righteousness flourish and peace abound,

All: until the moon is no more.

One: Blessed be the Lord, the God of Israel, who alone does wondrous things.

All: Blessed be God's glorious name forever; may the glory of the Lord fill the whole earth. Amen and Amen.

Scripture Readings: Colossians 1: 3-6, 9-13

Matthew 4: 12-17

One: The Gospel of the Lord.

All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Praise: *Thy Kingdom come—on bended knee* (Lyrics on p. 3) 784

Sermon: *Thy Kingdom Come*

Special Praise: *The Lord's Prayer* Wendy Sibley

WE RESPOND TO GOD

Chalmers' Life and Mission

Offering of our Gifts

Offering Praise: *We are God's people* (Lyrics on p. 3) (vs 1&3) 472

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

Praise: *Praise him, praise him, Jesus our blessed Redeemer* (Lyrics on p. 3) 372

Blessing

Musical Postlude

SPECIAL PRAISE

The Lord's Prayer

Fielding, Hastings, Morgan & Sampson

Father in Heaven holy is Your Name
Your kingdom come
Your will be done on earth
As it is in Heaven
Our Father in Heaven

Lead us not into temptation
God deliver us from the enemy

Yours is the kingdom
And the power and the glory
Forever

Give us each moment all that we need
Forgive us our sins as we forgive the ones
Who have sinned against us
Our Father in Heaven

Our Father have Your way
On the earth Your will be done

Forevermore

And evermore
Amen

Oh worship the King

Robert Grant, William Croft

Oh worship the King, all glorious above;
oh gratefully sing God's power and God's love,
our Shield and Defender, the Ancient of Days,
pavilioned in splendour and girded with praise.

Thy bountiful care what tongue can recite?
It breathes in the air; it shines in the light;
thy mercies, how tender, how firm to the end,
our Maker, Defender, Redeemer and Friend.

O measureless Might, unchangeable Love,
while angels delight to hymn thee above,
thy ransomed creation, in glory ablaze,
in true adoration shall sing to thy praise.

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We are God's people

Brian Jeffery Leech, Arr. Fred Bock

We are God's people,
the chosen of the Lord,
born of the Spirit,
established by the word;
our cornerstone is Christ alone,
and strong in him we stand:
oh, let us live transparently,
and walk heart to heart
and hand in hand.

We are the body
of which the Lord is head,
called to obey him,
now risen from the dead;
he wills us be a family,
diverse yet truly one:
oh let us freely give our gifts,
and so shall God's work
on earth be done.

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Give me oil in my lamp

Give me oil in my lamp; keep me burning;
give me oil in my lamp, I pray.
Give me oil in my lamp; keep me burning;
keep me burning till the break of day.

Refrain:
Sing hosanna, sing hosanna,
sing hosanna to the Servant King;
sing hosanna, sing hosanna,
sing hosanna, let us sing!

Give me joy in my heart; keep me praising;
give me joy in my heart, I pray.
Give me joy in my heart; keep me praising;
keep me praising till the break of day.

Refrain

Give me peace in my heart; keep me loving;
give me peace in my heart, I pray.
Give me peace in my heart; keep me loving;
keep me loving till the break of day.

Refrain

Give me love in my heart; keep me serving;
give me love in my heart, I pray.
Give me love in my heart; keep me serving;
keep me serving till the break of day.

Refrain

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Thy kingdom come-on bended knee

Frederick Lucian Hosmer

Thy kingdom come- on bended knee
the passing ages pray,
and faithful souls have yearned to see
on earth that kingdom's day.

But the slow watches of the night
not less to God belong,
and for the everlasting right
the silent stars are strong.

And lo! already on the hills
the flags of dawn appear;
gird up your loins, O prophet souls;
proclaim the day is near:

the day in whose clear-shining light
all wrong shall stand revealed,
when justice shall be clothed with
might,
and every hurt be healed,

when knowledge, hand in hand with
peace,
shall walk the earth abroad,
the day of perfect righteousness,
the promised day of God.

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Praise him, praise him, Jesus our blessed Redeemer

Fanny J. Crosby, Chester G. Allen

Praise him, praise him, Jesus, our blessed Redeemer!
Sing, O earth, his wonderful love proclaim!
Hail him, hail him, highest archangels in glory;
strength and honour give to his holy name!
Like a shepherd, Jesus will guard his children;
in his arms he carries them all day long.

Refrain:
Praise him, praise him! Tell of his excellent greatness;
praise him, praise him, ever in joyful song!

Praise him, praise him, Jesus, our blessed Redeemer!
For our sins he suffered and bled and died;
he, our Rock, our hope of eternal salvation,
hail him, hail him! Jesus the Crucified.
Sound his praises! Jesus who bore our sorrows,
love unbounded, wonderful, deep and strong.

Refrain

Praise him, praise him, Jesus, our blessed Redeemer!
Heavenly portals loud with hosannas ring!
Jesus Saviour, reigneth forever and ever;
crown him, crown him, Prophet and Priest and King!
Christ is coming, over the world victorious;
power and glory unto the Lord belong.

Refrain



Please Pray

- ◆ We thank God that **Janet Bruce** had successful surgery last week. May God's healing hand be upon Janet as she recovers during these next few weeks.
- ◆ For God's peace and comfort for **Leny Jongepier** and her family as they grieve for the passing of her husband, **John**.
- ◆ For healing and pain control for **Vic Laursen** who continues to receive care in hospital.
- ◆ For God's blessing for **Ken Hall, Betty Smedley, Linda McPherson,** and **Ross Cole**.
- ◆ For God's protection, peace and grace to surround us as we walk through these trying times due to the COVID-19 virus.

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If you would like a copy of the **CHURCH DIRECTORY** please email Denise at [chalmerspclondon@gmail.com](mailto:chalmerspclondon@gmail.com) and she will email you an electronic copy.

**CARE & SHARE** Chalmers' weekly food assistance program continues to serve our local community in this time of need. Precautions and procedures are in place, as prescribed by the Health Unit. Families in need can call the church Mondays to book an appointment for food pickup on Wednesday between 12:30 and 1:30 pm.



In Malawi, the Mulanje Mission Hospital provides care and support to orphans through its community-based program. **Vocational skills, such as livestock farming, are taught to out-of-school children as a means for achieving economic empowerment.** Brian lives with his grandmother. Through the program, he started goat farming, which has allowed his family to pay for food and other necessities and has also helped him establish a sustainable livelihood. "After the mother of the children died, things have been difficult. We had nothing to depend on during hard times, but now things are becoming smooth as we can sell goats and buy grain and other basic needs," his grandmother expressed. This project is supported by Presbyterian World Service & Development.

### **SPEAKING OF STEWARDSHIP**

*It's not how much we give but how much love we put into giving.*

Mother Theresa

## Monday Night Bible Study on The Lord's Prayer

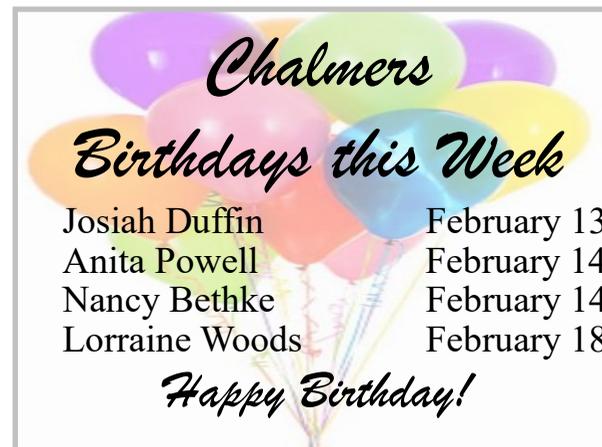
on Zoom, at 7 pm, and concluding on February 28<sup>th</sup>

In **The Lord's Prayer: The Meaning and Power of the Prayer Jesus Taught**, pastor and bestselling author Adam Hamilton guides us to really know and really pray The Lord's Prayer.

Due to the **Omicron Variant** and the increasing number of people being infected, both in the province and in the city, the Task Force met on January 15th to discuss worship services at Chalmers. This variant is extremely contagious and we feel that in-person worship services are not the best option at this time.

The Session of Chalmers' Presbyterian Church met on January 18th. It was approved that **we will continue with live-streamed only worship services.** This is to be reviewed again, at the February 15th Session meeting.

We are hopeful that this will be short term, and we'll soon be able to meet in person.



Have you considered signing up for **PAR (PRE AUTHORIZED REMITTANCE)?** It's easy to do, makes consistent offerings simple and can be stopped or adjusted easily. Offering is withdrawn directly from your bank account monthly. Forms are available in the church office, or Denise can email one to you.

## Annual Congregational Meeting Sunday, February 27th,

This year's meeting will be on Zoom, at 12 noon, following morning worship. The annual report will be distributed electronically and made available through our website. If you require a hard copy please notify the church office.

## LIBRARY NEWS

**A Promise Kept** – by Robin Lee Hatcher Allison Kavanagh's life is in a shambles. This is not how it was supposed to unfold. She is living in a quiet mountain cabin with her dog, Gizmo. The cabin had been left to her by her Aunt Emma – but Allison thought she was never going to live in it. Her plans and dreams went way beyond this lonely existence. The story flips back and forward between 1917 – Aunt Emma's story and 2011 – Allison's story. Allison's husband walked out on her, and her daughter is angry with her dad's actions ..... making a rift in a once happy family. Can this rift be filled? Can they be a happy family once more? Read on and enjoy this wonderful, interesting book. *Christine Hunter, Librarian*

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