

CHALMERS' LIFE & MISSION

Our services are in-person and live-streamed. They 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: JULY 31—AUGUST 7

SUNDAY	Livestream and In-Person Worship	10:00 am
TUESDAY	Session Executive Meeting on Zoom	9:00 am
WEDNESDAY	Care & Share Food Pickup	12:30 pm
	Knitting Circle	1:00 pm
	"Come to Camp" Outreach Event	5:30 pm
SUNDAY	Livestream and In-Person Worship	10:00 am

Office Hours:

For the months of July and August, our regular office hours have changed to

Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday, 8:30 am—1:30 pm.

Rev. John can be reached by email at jbannerman@bellnet.ca or on his cell, 226-919-9180.

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Worship Volunteers:

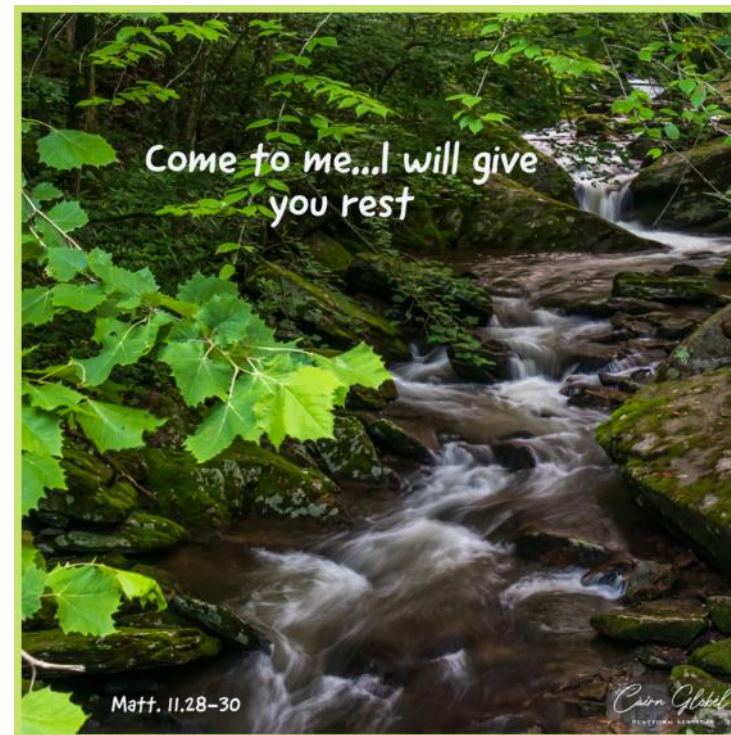
	This Week	Next Week
HOSTS	Jane Vannus Chris Hardy Mary Vair	Anita Powell Fran Peach Karen Dutton
A/V	Tammy McDonald Richard Cote	Torry Thibodeau Isla Thibodeau
Webex	Richard Cote	Lizz Thibodeau

Chalmers Presbyterian Church Worship Celebration

July 31, 2022

Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

In-Person and Livestream Worship



Chalmers' Ministry Team:

Ministers
Clerk of Session
Music Director
Office Administrator
Caretaker
Pastor

All the People of Chalmers
Tom Hunter
Beth Hickey
Wendy Sibley
Brad Dobbie
Rev. John Bannerman

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WE APPROACH GOD

Musical Prelude

Call to Worship

One: The church lives to praise God.

All: We have no higher calling than to offer the worship that belongs to God day by day, Sunday by Sunday.

Praise: *This is the day* 78

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 Gord Vair

Praise: Seek ye first 625

WE LISTEN TO GOD'S WORD

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture reading: Psalm 145: 8-14

One: The Lord is gracious and merciful,

All: slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.

One: The Lord is good to all,

All: and your compassion is over all creation.

One: All your works shall give thanks to you, O Lord;

All: all your faithful shall bless you.

One: They shall speak of the glory of your realm, and tell of your power,

All: to make known to all people your mighty deeds, and the glorious splendor of your realm.

One: Your realm is everlasting,

All: and your dominion endures throughout all generations.

One: All the words of the Lord are faithful;
all the deeds of the Lord are gracious.

**All: The Lord upholds all who are falling,
and raises up all who are bowed down.**

Scripture Reading: Acts 9 (selected verses)
Matthew 11: 28-30

One: The Gospel of the Lord.

All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Special Praise: Love the Lord Lynn & Tom Ball

Sermon: Ananias!

Time for Reflection: Spirit of the living God 400

WE RESPOND TO GOD

Chalmers' Life and Mission

Offering of our Gifts

Offering Praise: When we are living 630 (v.2)

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

Praise: We are one in the Spirit 471

Blessing

Musical Postlude

(All hymn lyrics can be found on page 3)



This is the day

Hymn # 78 - Psalm 118:19, 24, 28

This is the day this is the day
that the Lord has made,
that the Lord has made.
We will rejoice, we will rejoice
and be glad in it, and be glad in it.
This is the day that the Lord has made;
we will rejoice and be glad in it.
This is the day, this is the day
that the Lord has made.

Open to us, open to us
the gates of God, the gates of God;
we will go in, we will go in
and praise the Lord, and praise the Lord.
Open to us the gates of God;
we will go in and praise the Lord.
Open to us, open to us the gates of God.

You are our God, you are our God;
we will praise your name,
we will praise your name;
we will give thanks, we will give thanks
for your faithfulness, for your faithfulness.
You are our God; we will praise your name;
we will give thanks for your faithfulness.
You are our God, you are our God;
we will praise your name.

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When we are living

Elise S. Eslinger, Roberto Escamilla

Through all our living, we our fruits must
give.
Good works of service are for offering.
When we are giving or receiving,
we belong to God; we belong to God.

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Seek ye first

Karen Lafferty

See ye first the kingdom of God
and his righteousness,
and all these things will be added unto you. Al-
lelu, alleluia!

Ask, and it shall be given unto you;
seek and ye shall find;
knock and the door shall be opened unto you.
Allelu, alleluia!

We do not live by bread alone,
but by every word
that proceeds from the mouth of God.
Allelu, alleluia!

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Spirit of the living God

Hymn # 400—Daniel Iverson, Michael Baughen

Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.
Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.
Melt me, mould me, fill me, use me.
Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.

Spirit of the Living God,
move among us all;
Make us one in heart and mind;
make us one in love:
Humble, caring, selfless, sharing.
Spirit of the living God, fill our lives with love.

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We are one in the Spirit

Peter Scholtes

We are one in the Spirit,
we are one in the Lord;
We are one in the Spirit,
we are one in the Lord;
And we pray that all unity
will one day be restored.

Refrain:

*And they'll know we are Christians
by our love, by our love,
yes, they'll know we are Christians
by our love.*

We will walk with each other,
we will walk hand in hand;
We will walk with each other,
we will walk hand in hand;
And together we'll spread the news
that God is in our land.

We will work with each other,
we will work side by side;
We will work with each other,
we will work side by side;
And we'll guard each one's dignity
and save each one's pride.

All praise to the Father,
from whom all things come;
And all praise to Christ Jesus,
who is God's only Son.
And all praise to the Spirit
who makes us one.

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SPECIAL PRAISE

Love the Lord

Lincoln Brewster

Love the Lord, your God, with all your
heart
With all your soul, with all your mind
And with all your strength
Love the Lord, your God, with all your
heart
With all your soul, with all your mind
And with all your strength

With all your heart, with all your soul
With all your mind, with all your strength
Love the Lord, your God, with all your
heart
With all your soul, with all your mind
And with all your strength

I will serve the Lord with all my heart
With all my soul, with all my mind
And with all my strength
I will serve the Lord with all my heart
With all my soul, with all my mind
And with all my strength

With all my heart, with all my soul
With all my mind, with all my strength
I will serve the Lord with all my heart
With all my soul, with all my mind
And with all my strength

Please Pray

- ◆ For God's healing and strength for **Jeanne Ferguson** as she continues to make progress at home.
- ◆ For healing and pain control for **Vic Laursen**.
- ◆ For God's blessing for **Ken Hall, Betty Smedley**, and **Linda McPherson**.
- ◆ For God's healing hand to touch **Doug Bruce** as he recovers at home from a mild heart attack.
- ◆ For healing and a spirit of perseverance for **Shirley Hall** as she recovers at home from a fractured clavicle bone that she suffered due to a recent fall.
- ◆ For God's healing Spirit to strengthen and encourage **Leny Jongepier** as she recovers at Westmount Gardens from the recent amputation of the lower part of her leg.
- ◆ 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.

Chalmers COVID Protocols

Advanced registration is no longer required for Sunday services. We will continue with:

- 1) Masks are **recommended** in the building.
- 2) Physical distancing of 2 m maintained in the building at all times.
- 3) Food & beverages are not permitted in the building at this time.

Summer Campership Program

Applications available for assistance in attending summer day/overnight camp. Please contact the church office for details.



July 31: God has done amazing things at Montreal West Presbyterian Church in Quebec! Over the past few years, with support from Presbyterians Sharing, the church has transitioned into a thriving multicultural ministry filled with energy and hope. Though the congregation has already done much good work in bringing a new vision and vitality to the church, they aren't stopping there. They have their sights set to the future, wholeheartedly embracing youth ministry and seeing and treating their youth as the leaders of tomorrow. This new focus on youth ministry has youth participating in all levels of governance and worship leadership, and the transformation continues.

We pray for Montreal West Presbyterian Church in Quebec as the congregation works to uplift and empower youth to participate fully in the life of the church.

Speaking of Stewardship

"For it is in giving that we receive."
Francis of Assisi – friar, deacon, mystic

Vacation Notices:

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Library News

Kings Meadow Romance, Robin Lee Hatcher

You're Gonna Love Me

Who knew fate could twist a tragedy into a second chance at love? Samantha Winters lives her life the way a good accountant should—measured, deliberate, and safe. After watching her father die in a tragic skiing accident, she decided never to allow risk into her life again. But she didn't count on falling for Nick Chastain, who embodies everything she doesn't want in her safely constructed world.

Against Samantha's warnings, Nick plans a dangerous kayaking trip over spring break. Furious that he's so careless with his life, she ends their fledgling relationship with harsh words. Two years later, Samantha is desperately in need of a change. When she learns her grandmother has had an accident and is in need of a caretaker, Samantha quickly packs her bags and heads to Thunder Creek, Idaho. But nothing could prepare her for the surprise awaiting her in her grandmother's hospital room. Nick.

This book keeps you wondering if this couple can get past their differences.

Christine Hunter, Librarian

Volunteers Needed!

The Audio/Visual (A/V) Team provides audio and visual services required for in-person and live streaming, during our Sunday worship services. Training will be provided. Please contact the church office to express interest.

Care & Share Chalmers' weekly food assistance program continues to serve our local community through the summer months. Families in need can call the church Mondays to book an appointment for food pickup on Wednesday between 12:30 and 1:30 pm. Many thanks to our very faithful volunteers!

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 in the amount you choose is withdrawn directly from your bank account monthly. Forms are available in the church office, or we can send you one by email.

"Come to Camp" Outreach Event



Join us here at Chalmers on **Wednesday, August 3** from 5:30—8:00 pm for an inter-generational outreach event, featuring a BBQ meal, crafts, indoor and outdoor games and a bonfire singalong! Invite your friends, family and neighbours—**all welcome!**

Chalmers Upcoming Birthdays

Grace Laursen	August 1
Brenda Bakelaar	August 5
Kiera deHoog	August 6
Joanne Dickert	August 6

