



ORDER OF WORSHIP

Trinity Sunday, June 16th, 2019 – 10:30 am

*Invites you to stand, as you are able

You are invited to say or sing the bold print

WE GATHER AS GOD'S PEOPLE

MUSICAL PRELUDE: Wie Lieblich Sind Deine Wohnungen J. Brahms

WELCOME, BIRTHDAYS, ANNIVERSARIES & ANNOUNCEMENTS

How are you today? **We are blessed and highly favoured.**

ACKNOWLEDGING THE LAND:

As we begin this worship, we acknowledge this land on which Collier Street United Church exists for thousands of years has been the traditional land of the Haudenosaunee (Iroquois), Ojibway/Chippewa & Anishinabek First Nations – Treaty 16.

Today, this land is still the home to many Indigenous people from across Turtle Island and we are grateful to have the opportunity to share this land.

LIGHTING OF CHRIST'S CANDLE

(Sung response – “I am the Light of the World” – VU# 87, chorus)

I am the light of the world!

You people come and follow me!

If you follow and love you'll learn the mystery

Of what you were meant to do and be.

PASSING OF THE PEACE

The peace of God in Christ be with you. **And with you also!**

(Sharing of signs of peace with others)

CALL TO WORSHIP:

Creator God; forming the oceans, raising the mountains, author of the smallest cell,

We worship you!

Jesus Christ; Loved One of God, infinitely, cruelly crucified, wonderfully risen.

We adore you!

Holy Spirit; Influence of God, unseen but present, working purposefully, eternally compassionate,

We glorify you!

(David Sparks – Responsive Prayers – Year C)

***HYMN:** VU#315 “Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty”

NICAEA

1 Holy, holy, holy! Lord God almighty!

Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee;

holy, holy, holy, merciful and mighty,

God in three persons, blessed Trinity!

2 Holy, holy, holy! All the saints adore thee,

casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;

**cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee,
which wert, and art, and evermore shalt be.**

**3 Holy, holy, holy! Though the darkness hide thee,
though the eye made blind by sin thy glory may not see,
only thou art holy; there is none beside thee,
perfect in power, in love, and purity.**

**4 Holy, holy, holy! Lord God almighty!
All thy works shall praise thy name in earth
and sky and sea;
holy, holy, holy, merciful and mighty,
God in three persons, blessed Trinity!**

OPENING PRAYER

Holy God, you call us, to look up to the sky and to remember the limitless extent of your recreation.

We look up and consider our crucial need to keep creation good.

Friendly Jesus, you call us, to look around at the diversity of our fellow men and women, girls and boys.

We will find ways to compassionately care for the challenged, the sick, and the vulnerable.

Holy Spirit, you call us, to recognize the talents of those who know well and those who work and play with us.

We will support those who try out our new skills and set out on new ventures.

Trinity, you call us, to acknowledge your timeless responsibility to humanity.

We will praise your greatness, your supremacy in time and beyond time.

(David Sparks – Responsive Prayers – Year C)

SILENCE

WE SHARE IN THE SACRAMENT

SACRAMENT OF HOLY BAPTISM:

BENNETT PETER RENDELL GROSSKURTH

SON OF RYAN AND ANDREA

Introduction and Scripture

Questions to Parents & Godparents ...who will respond **"We do"**

Question to congregation ... who will respond **"We do"**

Act of Baptism

Presentation of Gifts from the Collier Church family

SUNG RESPONSE: VU# 958 "Halle, Halle, Hallelujah"

CARIBBEAN

Halle, halle, hallelujah! Halle, halle, hallelujah!

Halle, halle, hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!

WE GROW AS GOD'S PEOPLE

HYMN: VU#644 "I Was There to Hear Your Borne Cry"(vv. 1-3)

Collier's Kids are invited to gather as the hymn is sung for a talk and prayer.

- 1 I was there to hear your borne cry,
I'll be there when you are old.
I rejoiced the day you were baptized,
to see your life unfold.**

- 2 I was there when you were but a child,
with a faith to suit you well;
in a blaze of light you wandered off
to find where demons dwell.**

- 3 When you heard the wonder of the word,
I was there to cheer you on;
you were raised to praise the living Lord,
to whom you now belong.**

BIBLE READING: Romans 5:1-5

Derryl Johnston

5 Therefore, since we have been justified through faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, ²through whom we have gained access by faith into this grace in which we now stand. And we^[b]boast in the hope of the glory of God. ³Not only so, but we also glory in our sufferings, because we know that suffering produces perseverance; ⁴perseverance, character; and character, hope. ⁵And hope does not put us to shame, because God's love has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit, who has been given to us.
*This is the Word of God, for the People of God. **Thanks be to God.***

MUSIC MINISTRY: "Sheep May Safely Graze"

J. S. Bach

SERMON: "Trinity: Creator, Christ and Comforter"

Hewitt Holmes

WE RESPOND AS GOD'S PEOPLE

SILENCE

***HYMN:** VU#381 "Spirit of Life"

SPIRIT OF LIFE

Spirit of Life, come unto me.

Sing in my heart all the stirrings of compassion.

Blow in the wind, rise in the sea;

move in the hand, giving life the shape of justice.

Roots hold me close; wings set me free;

Spirit of Life, come to me, come to me.

INVITATION TO OFFERING & CARE CARDS

Offering Music: Prelude in C

J. S. Bach

*Offering Response: VU#540 "Grant Us, God, the Grace"

**Grant us, God, the grace of giving,
with a spirit large and free,
that ourselves and all our living**

we may offer faithfully.

*Offering Prayer:

God is known, as our gifts refresh the faith community.

Jesus Christ is known, as our gifts are used to bring different churches and faith community together in worship and for service.

The Holy Spirit is known, as our gifts bring joy and empowerment, to communities, churches and faith centres, way beyond this nation. - Amen.

(David Sparks – Responsive Prayers – Year C)

PASTORAL PRAYERS

THE PRAYER OF JESUS

(The Lord's Prayer – Traditional): (VU, pg. 914)

Our Father (Creator), 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. Forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, forever and ever, Amen.

WE GO TO BE GOD'S PEOPLE IN COMMUNITY

*HYMN: VU#580 "Faith of Our Fathers"

ST CATHERINE

**1 Faith of our fathers, living still
in spite of dungeon, fire, and sword;
O how our hearts beat high with joy,
whene'er we hear that glorious word:
faith of our fathers, holy faith,
we will be true to you till death.**

**2 Faith of our mothers, daring faith,
your work for Christ is love revealed,
spreading God's word from pole to pole,
making love known and freedom real:
faith of our mothers, holy faith,
we will be true to you till death.**

**3 Faith of our sisters, brothers too,
who still must bear oppression's might,
raising on high, in prisons dark,
the cross of Christ still burning bright:
faith for today, O living faith,
we will be true to you till death.**

**4 Faith born of God, O call us yet;
bind us with all who follow you,
sharing the struggle of your cross
until the world is made anew.
Faith born of God, O living faith,
we will be true to you till death.**

***BENEDICTIONN & SENDING SONG:**

Go Now in Peace

N. Price/D. Besig

**Go now in peace, never be afraid, God will go with you each
hour of every day. Go now in faith, steadfast, strong and true.
Know he will guide you in all you do. Go now in love, and show
you believe. Reach out to others so all the world can see. God
will be there watching from above. Go now in peace, in faith,
and in love. Amen, amen, amen.**

POSTLUDE: Haleluya! Pelo Tsa Rona and Siyahamba from Freedom
Trilogy Paul Halley

...OUR MINISTRY STAFF

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Hewitt will be away from July 1 -21, 2019

WORSHIP SUPPORT TEAM & INFORMATION

USHERS: Team 6 - Joyce Moore, Mabel Peyer, Leona Appleby, Dorothy Ramsay, Elisabeth Wever, Marilyn King, Betty Hunter, Dan Riordan, Brian Young.

HEARING ASSISTS are available from an Usher.

SCRIPTURE READERS needed for worship? Contact Hewitt or Joyce Moore.

PARKING is available in the underground building next to the Lawyers office, on the streets and in the Church parking lot. WE kindly ask you NOT TO PARK your vehicle in the marked pathway between designated accessibility parking spots. Thank you!

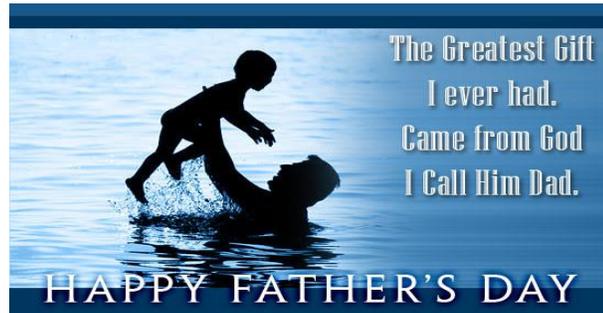
...STAY CONNECTED...TODAY

WELCOME to worship at Collier. We are happy to have you with us. We ask our visitors to sign the book at the front main entrance. Feel free to worship the Holy One in Spirit and Truth. Please join us for a time of fellowship and refreshments in the Hall after the service. A special welcome to our supply organist Laura McClure.

MILESTONES

BIRTHDAYS – Marcia Johnston(June 17), Ken Byles(June 18), Gillian Hamilton(June 19), Laurie Beatty(June 21).

BIRTHDAY SONG: Happy birthday to you, to Jesus be true.
May God's richest blessing descend
upon you!



...AS WE FORM COMMUNITY TOGETHER

COLLIER'S KIDS & 10+ HANG OUTS June 22 is a pool party– 4:00pm – 6:30 pm.

PRAYER REQUESTS - *write on a care card and place in the offering plate.* Please hold in your prayers the following (at their request): Melanie Moffat, Rid & Agnes Groves, Louise Hamilton, Carol Duckworth, Ruby Johnston, Shirley Dunstan, Jim Tizzard and Carol Warnica.

FELLOWSHIP LUNCH – Wednesday, June 19th @12:00pm. Jack Pierce will be speaking on International Sailing and Sr's Exercise. Tickets will be on sale this Sunday. You must be signed up by Monday June 17th before 12 noon in order to attend the luncheon. Tickets are \$13.00.

JESUS WALK is seeking leaders as we've lost several leaders recently. We meet every Monday night from September until June. If you feel the lord pulling you in our direction, please come and check out our group. Come and give us a try. If interested, please call Sharon Moir at 705-796-2233.

BLANKET EXERCISE – June 26 from 6-9pm to increase one's awareness of Aboriginal history and culture in Canada. If you are interested in learning more, please contact Robin Milani at robin_milani@yahoo.ca or by calling or texting 705-305-3138 (cell). Robin also extends an invitation to those interested in learning more about the Aboriginal culture, particularly in Ontario, to join her in a study group.

MUSIC DIRECTOR

Collier Street United Church in downtown Barrie, Ontario with a proud history of 182 years of worship and witness is seeking a Music Director for 14 hours, who will play for our present traditional worship service and help us to use more contemporary music in worship.

Our Music Director will:

- share in a team, by providing music leadership, education and administration, in collaboration with the Minister of Worship, Congregational Care and Leadership.
- be proficient in playing our Keats-Geissler 3 manual pipe organ and 7` Steinway piano.
- effectively direct the church's choir during worship; and
- support the worship life of the congregation through meaningful music ministry.

The ability to play another instrument (e.g. guitar, keyboard, drums) will be an asset.

Please forward your application and resume to opportunity@collierunited.ca by **September 30, 2019**.

We offer a compensation that is negotiable upon qualifications/experience and based on the RCCO guidelines. *We thank all applicants but only shortlisted persons will be contacted.*



Collier Street United Church now accepts debit and credit cards.



We also accept online donations on our website!



...AS WE WORSHIP GOD

	June:	"The God of the Gospel!"	
June 23 rd	Ga. 3:23-29	Aboriginal Sunday	Hewitt Holmes
June 30 th	Ga. 5:1, 13-25	The Gospel: Freedom to live	Hewitt Holmes
July 07	Phi. 3:8-20		Bill Fritz

...AS WE LEARN & GROW IN FAITH

DAILY READING - *Physical Exercise is good but of limited value, Godliness is very dear, a pledge of life, both there and here. (1 Timothy 4:8).* So, we spend some time with God and the Scriptures each day this week:

Mon., June 17 – Acts 3

Tues., June 18 – Acts 4:1-22

Wed. June 19 – Acts 4:23-37

Thurs., June 20 – Acts 5:1-21

Fri., June 21 – Acts 5:22-42

Sat., June 22 – Acts 6

CHAPEL - located on the 2nd floor, is open for daily prayer and meditation.

...SHARE THE GOOD NEWS

COLLIER'S EMAIL NEWSLETTER - We are now sending occasional newsletter emails to congregants (weekly or bi-weekly) with Collier news, events and updates. We encourage you to sign up to receive these emails. You can either call the office to give them your email address or go to the website - you can sign up right on the homepage under "Subscribe to our newsletter".