



MacNab Street Presbyterian Church

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WELCOME TO MACNAB!

Thank you for taking the time to worship this morning at MacNab.

If you are a first time visitor, please plan to join us following the service for coffee in Johnston Hall - when you exit the sanctuary, turn left and follow the aroma!

If you have children, they are invited to join us at the front part way through our service for our "children's time" with Michelle. Following this, children will go to "KidZone" (takes place in the Parlour). Children will re-enter the Sanctuary at the POSTLUDE, and parents can pick up their children at the front of the sanctuary as soon as POSTLUDE is completed. We also ask that (except for CHILDREN'S TIME AND "KidZone") you keep your child in your care (never wandering unsupervised), including accompanying them to the washroom if the need arises. **Infants are most welcome to remain with parents throughout the service - and fussing babies are music to our ears and a sign of a healthy growing church!** This includes new children who may not yet be comfortable going to "KidZone." Change tables are located in both the ladies' and men's washrooms adjacent to Johnston Hall. Ushers can direct you.

If you are looking for a church, you are invited to consider making MacNab your church home. **There are visitor cards in the pew rack** - if you wish to fill one out, simply drop it on the offering plate later in the service.

Hearing assistance is also available. Ushers will be happy to assist with any questions. Thanks again for coming!

GATHERING

April 23, 2017

*Those who are able, please stand

PRELUDE: Shine on us, Precious Jesus, The Old Rugged Cross
Soloists: Graydon Westover, Steve Allen

*ENTRY OF THE WORD & PRAISE

*PRAISE: The church's one foundation Hymn #479

*CALL TO WORSHIP I Peter 1:23-5 Duty Elder, Kathy Shields

Leader: Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ!

People: **By his great mercy he has given us a new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead,**

Leader: and into an inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading, kept in heaven for you,

ALL: **who are being protected by the power of God through faith for a salvation ready to be revealed in the last time.**

PRAYER OF APPROACH AND CONFESSION (followed by)

THE LORD'S PRAYER (Unison)

Our Father, which 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.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON, followed by GLORIA

**Glory be to God the Father, glory be to God the Son,
Glory be to God the Spirit, God almighty, Three-in-one!
Glory, glory, glory, glory, while eternal ages run.**

THE PEACE

Minister: The peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

People: **And also with you.**

With one another: The Peace of Christ.

*PRAISE Rejoice, the Lord is King

Hymn #267

WE PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

CHILDREN'S TIME

NEW TESTAMENT John 20:24-28 (p.119NT)
1 Peter 1:6-9 (p.250NT)

Mair Davies

ANTHEM Sing Ye That Love the Lord G.F. Handel arr. J. Lowe

MESSAGE: "Not Seeing Is Believing" Steve Baldry

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

*PRAISE Be thou my vision

Hymn #461

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESSION

PRESENTATION OF OUR GIFTS AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY MUSIC The Church's One Foundation arr. D. Grotenhuis

*DOXOLOGY

**All: Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.**

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

LIFE AND WORK OF THE CONGREGATION

Irene Duffey

*PRAISE Guide me ,O thou great Redeemer

Hymn #651

*BENEDICTION & THREE-FOLD AMEN

POSTLUDE My Tribute

*Thank
You*

**THANK YOU! TO THE SALVATION ARMY BAND
ETOBICOKE TEMPLE**

for their contribution to today's worship service.

TO ALL THE PARTICIPANTS and leadership in making the Good Friday and Easter Sunday Worship Services so powerful and joyous!

Special thanks also for the generous response to the Easter Offering.

\$1980.00 was received toward Mission and Outreach projects for 2017.

ASSISTING US TODAY

Greeters: Ian & Shirley Rowe
Ushers: Frank & Irene Mills, Harry & Annette Callaghan
Monitor: John Lumsden
Reader: Mair Davies
Coffee Servers: Bill & Maureen Wright, Bob & Marion Cameron
Duty Elder: Kathy Shields

ASSISTING US NEXT WEEK

Greeters: John Shields, Jennifer Applewhaite, Ian & Shirley Rowe
Reader: Ruth Pearson
Monitor: Frank Mills
Coffee Servers: Chris Stephens, Jina Middleton, Grace Maynard, Gerda Wolf
Duty Elder: Marguerite Gilbert

PLEASE PRAY FOR

- Family & Friends of Kay Robertson who died April 9th.—the family will be participating in a brief committal prayer at the front of the Sanctuary on Sunday, April 30 shortly after the 10:30 service. Anyone from the congregation who wishes to attend is welcome.
- Don & Carole MacVicar's Inner City Ministry
- All who are grieving, facing health uncertainties, lonely or jobless

DID YOU KNOW THAT MACNAB HAS AN OFFICIAL FACEBOOK PAGE?

You can find us at @MacNabStreetChurch. We will be posting event announcements, news, and promotions, and we need your help. If you are on Facebook, it would help us if you could like the page, and share/comment on posts.

“Camp Out” Vacation Bible Camp:

Please let your family and friends know that our VBC, “Camp Out” is taking place weekday mornings from July 17-21. More information and promotional materials coming soon! Lots of help still needed so fill out a form or talk to Michelle today! Also, urgent need to lend or donate: LARGE—lumber jack shirt/ jacket... overalls... I work boots or rubber rain boots.... winter hat with ear flaps —talk to Michelle today!

MACNAB MEN'S GROUP

Who: For all men at MacNab Church.

What: Breakfast.

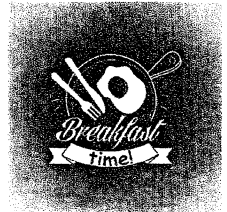
Where: Valley Charcoal Restaurant* (parking in rear)
44 King St. W, Dundas

*Order & pay at walk up counter. Join other MacNab guys at a table or booth

When: Saturday, May 6th @ 9 a.m.

Why: Relaxed, informal, agenda free fellowship.

Other: Need a ride or want to carpool? Organize yourselves or call Jeff (905-648-3442) or Kevin (905- 527-6416).



MACNAB'S 163rd ANNIVERSARY CONCERT - SUNDAY, MAY 7TH 2PM

Featuring Valerie Tryon, Pianist
Valerie will perform on the grand piano that was graciously
donated to MacNab by the family of the
late Rev. Mark Hoogsteen.
Reception prior to the concert at 1:30pm in Johnston Hall

THIS WEEK AT MACNAB

Today!	2:30pm	Salvation Army Band	
Etobicoke Temple	"Festival of Praise" in the Sanctuary	Free Will Offering	
Mon	Apr 24	7:45pm	RSCD-Johnston Hall
			Overcomers –Church House
Tues	Apr 25	7:30pm	RSCD-Johnston Hall
Wed	Apr 26	8:00am	Prayer Group-Steve's Office
		7:30pm	RSCD-Johnston Hall
Thurs	Apr 27	1:30pm	RSCD-Johnston Hall
		7:30pm	Choir practice-Sanctuary
Sun	Apr 30	9:00am	Gathering-Steve Baldry preaching
		10:30am	Worship –Steve Baldry preaching

LOOKING AHEAD:



COMMUNITY BREAKFAST OUTREACH

Monday, May 22 from 9-11. Our format has changed a bit to accommodate greater numbers. When you sign up to help please look at the various duties, including our need for supervisors for each section. Sign up today in Johnston Hall. Thanks!

NEW MEMBERS SUNDAY MAY 29TH: Contact Florence Sharman at her cell phone (905 808-3475) if you would like to become a member.

Office Hours:

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 8:30am-12:30pm

Sundays at MacNab:

9:00am Johnston Hall
(Relaxed and interactive)

gathering
with God - with others - with others still to come

10:30am Sanctuary
(Rich in Tradition)

Worship Service

PARKING – if you are able, please use the City Hall lots and take an extra minute or two to walk into MacNab. This way, new comers and those who find it difficult to walk far will have a better experience attending church! Maps available in the Narthex