



ST. DAVID'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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Welcome to God's house on this beautiful morning!

We are grateful for this opportunity to join together in worship.

If you are a guest, we extend a special welcome to you;

you're invited to fill out a Welcome Card and place it in the offering plate.

Please come again and share in the life and worship of this congregation.

Seventh Sunday of Easter

May 17, 2026 at 10:30 a.m.

"Therefore, as God's chosen people, holy and dearly loved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness and patience."

(Colossians 3:12, NIV)

Please ensure your **cell phone** is turned off or in silent mode.

Large print (words only) hymn books are available.

✧ *Indicates that those who are able are invited to stand.*

Bold print indicates the congregation's response.

MUSICAL PRELUDE

We Gather

✧ **CALL TO WORSHIP**

Let us be joyful before God!

We will sing praises to God's holy name.

Let us lift up a song to the One who rides upon the clouds,

who protects orphans and widows and gives the desolate a home.

Sing to God, all nations of the earth.

We will sing praises to the Lord, our God!

✧ **HYMN:** "Lord of All Power" (verses 1, 2, 4) #626

✧ **GREETING**

O worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness:

Let the whole earth stand in awe of him.

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAYER OF ADORATION

God of life, we praise you for your love which fills creation from the beginning and which calls all life into being. We worship you for Christ who reveals your loving purpose for all people. We bless you for your Spirit who guides and inspires us and who draws us into the circle of your tender love. In recalling all that you have done and who you are, we confess what we have done and who we are:

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God of mercy, we confess the times when we forget you and are divided from one another, and how often our thoughts, words, and actions betray your goodness and our calling. Forgive us, merciful God. Mend what is broken, heal our wounded relationships and convert our hearts and minds, through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

While it is true that we have all fallen short in our call to follow Jesus, it is a greater truth that we are forgiven through his grace. Remember the Good News! In Jesus Christ our sin is forgiven. Be at peace with God, with yourself and with one another. Amen.

We Listen

KIDS' PRAISE: "The Holy Spirit"

KIDS' TIME: "The Broken Glasses!"

[Children are invited to leave to attend Sunday School]

RESPONSIVE READING PSALM 21:1-7

*(Congregation's response is in **bold** type)*

In your strength the king rejoices, O LORD,
and in your help how greatly he exults!

**You have given him his heart's desire
and have not withheld the request of his lips.**

For you meet him with rich blessings;
you set a crown of fine gold on his head.

**He asked you for life; you gave it to him—
length of days forever and ever.**

His glory is great through your help;
splendor and majesty you bestow on him.

**You bestow on him blessings forever;
you make him glad with the joy of your
presence.**

For the king trusts in the LORD,
**and through the steadfast love of the Most High
he shall not be moved.**

✧ **HYMN:** "Gloria Patri"

#594

OLD TESTAMENT: Isaiah 45:4-7
The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

ANTHEM: "Our God Reigns"

NEW TESTAMENT: Ephesians 1:14-23
The Word of our Lord, Jesus Christ.
Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.

HYMN: "Seek Ye First" #625

SERMON: "EYES OPENED TO GOD'S POWER"

We Respond

HEART TO HEART PRAISE BAND: "Since Christ My Soul
from Sin Set Free/Amazing Grace"

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESSION

THE LORD'S PRAYER (*Sung*) #535

THE OFFERING

✧ **PRESENTATION:** "Praise God from Whom All
Blessings Flow" #830

✧ **PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

We Go into the World

✧ **PRAISE:** "Standing on the Promises" praise book 138

✧ **BLESSING FOR REFRESHMENTS**

✧ **COMMISSIONING AND BENEDICTION**

✧ **CHORAL AMEN**

MUSICAL POSTLUDE

We invite you to join us in the Multi-purpose Room
for a time of refreshments and conversation
following the service.

ST. DAVID'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Minister: Rev. Paul Ku

Music Director: Lynda Wray

Welcoming Elder: Molly Naidoo

Worship Leader: Dennis Zouhair

Scripture Reader: Jasmine Zouhair

Duty Ushers: Roy Harripaul, Lin Nah Ho

Coffee Host: Raymie Cousins, Janice Flavien

Prayer requests, please contact

Evangeline Persaud

Joan Watson

Pastoral care, contact your elder or
Rev. Paul at the church 416-267-7897.



Pastoral Care

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The **Annual General Meeting** of St. David's Village Corporation will take place Sunday, May 31, immediately following our Worship Service. All members of St. David's Presbyterian Church are also members of St. David's Village Corporation and are encouraged to participate in the meeting. Refreshments will follow.

Bible Studies—in person on Tuesdays at 10:30 am in the Village Board Room or Thursdays at 7 pm via Zoom. Join in as we journey through the Gospel of Matthew together.

Rev. Paul will be leading a **Baptism** and **New Member** class, to be held on Sundays following coffee hour. If you are interested in being baptised or becoming a member of our congregation, or simply have questions, please speak to Rev. Paul.

BIBLE READING PLAN FOR MAY **The Acts of the Apostles**

Sunday, May 17	<input type="checkbox"/> Acts 10:1-23
Monday, May 18	<input type="checkbox"/> Acts 10:24-48
Tuesday, May 19	<input type="checkbox"/> Acts 11:1-24
Wednesday, May 20	<input type="checkbox"/> Acts 11:25-12:19
Thursday, May 21	<input type="checkbox"/> Acts 12:20-13:20
Friday, May 22	<input type="checkbox"/> Acts 13:23-47
Saturday, May 23	<input type="checkbox"/> Acts 13:48-14:20