

CENTENNIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

A caring Christian fellowship called by God to serve
Christ in and through our community

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Welcome

Welcome to worship at Centennial today. Please take a moment to sign the "Friendship Registry" when it is passed so we may greet each other personally. All are invited downstairs for refreshments following the service.

March 3, 2024

10:30am

Order of Service

Entry of the Word

Welcome

Call to Worship (Please stand if you are able) **Israel Ayongwa**

Time of Praise

SB 134 Come, Now is the Time to Worship

SB 255 Faith of our Fathers

Prayers of Confession and the Lord's Prayer

Assurance of Pardon

Announcements The life of the Congregation

Church Family Celebrations (Birthday, Anniversary, Welcome Song)

Children's Time

Hymn

SB 150 In Christ Alone

Scripture: **1 Corinthians 1:18-25; John 2:13-22**

Reader: Israel Ayongwa

Sermon: **A HOUSE OF PRAYER**

Offering

Dedication of the Offering

God of Love, Hear Our Prayer

(Edelweiss)

The Lord's Supper

The Invitation to the Table

Communion Hymn

BP 366 Jesus, Thou Joy of Loving Hearts

The Apostles' Creed

Book of Praise #539

The Prayer of Thanksgiving

Book of Praise #564

The Lord's Supper

(Our bread is gluten free and our wine is grape juice)

Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession (Rev. Kim)

Hymn

BP 626 Lord of All Power

Benediction and Choral Commissioning

BP 553 May the Lord Bless You

Prayer Counsellors are available by telephone. Please contact the church office.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Upcoming Services/Events:

Mar. 3	Okelo Aballa, pulpit supply Annual Meeting and luncheon
Mar. 5	Stewardship Committee, 7:00 pm, zoom
Mar. 10	Karen Plater, pulpit supply Stewardship workshop after the service
Mar. 17	Food Bank Sunday Blue Jean Sunday
Mar. 19	Board, 7:00 pm, zoom
Mar. 20	FISH Network, 7:00 pm, zoom
Mar. 26	Session, 7:00 pm
Mar. 29	Good Friday Service, 10:30 am
Mar. 31	Easter Sunday Dancing Up the Offering

Thank you to Okelo Aballa for leading us in worship this morning.

On March 10, Karen Plater will be hosting a Stewardship workshop downstairs after the service during coffee hour. All members of the congregation are invited to come down for coffee and stay for her presentation. Karen Plater is the Associate Secretary for Stewardship and Planned Giving for The Presbyterian Church in Canada.

The tax receipts are currently available at the back of the sanctuary. Please check to get yours!

The Annual General Meeting will be held on Sunday, March 3rd following a light lunch. The meeting time is set for 12:30 PM in case you are unable to attend the service and lunch. **We are still looking for a few pots of soup.** Any volunteers please see Doug Bonar or any Elder.

Session Notes

- The Session met with the new Clergy Care and Resources committee of Presbytery whose mandate is to monitor and assist as needed with Clergy and Session needs.
- The time for the start of the Annual Meeting on March 3, 2024 was set at 12:30 PM.

- Our application for a Supplementary Unemployment Benefit Plan was approved by Service Canada.
- It was agreed that the standing policy on paying musical accompaniment be continued. This is that only those from outside the congregation be paid.
- The Senior's Ministry program is moving forward and more news will be forthcoming.
- The Roll of Active Members was reviewed and updated.
- The Sunday School is very thankful for the four new teacher/helper volunteers.
- Presbytery has requested that Centennial have a Fire Drill in the near future as part of our Leading with Care Policy.

Situation: You recognize the faces of those in the congregation, but can't recall their names. Help has arrived! Solution: Name tags. When you arrive for church service, please make your way to the mail slots in the narthex. On the flat surface beneath the mail slots, you will find sticky-backed tags and a marker. Print your name on the tag and adhere the tag to you. If you see someone without a name tag, please encourage them to use the tags that are beneath the mail slots. Let's get to know one another by name!

The Church is currently in search and needs help from a Specialist to conduct an inspection of the roof of our Church. Please any Christian who has expertise in this domain should contact The Clerk of Session – Doug Bonar, Tony Singh or Emmanuel Nyambod for further details.

When you enter the sanctuary, you are invited to spend a few moments praying for God's blessing on the congregation and all who are participating in the service.

*Please ensure that your cell phone is off or on vibrate during worship.
Thank you.*