March 23, 2025 Worship at 10:30 a.m.



But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, forbearance, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control. Against such things there is no law.

Galatians 5:22-23 (NIV)

Mission Statement:

Attract people to Christ

Teach them to live for Christ

Relate to them with the Love of Christ

Reach out with the Compassion of Christ

"For I know the plans I have for you," declares the Lord,

"plans to prosper you and not to harm you,

plans to give you Hope and a Future."

Jeremiah 29:11 (NIV) (emphasis added)

CANADIAN BAPTISTS of Ontario and Quebec - A family of churches, transformed by Christ, revealing God's Kingdom

We warmly welcome you to Murray Street Baptist Church this morning. We hope you'll be blessed as you worship with us. Please join us for light refreshments in Webb Hall following the service.

Prelude Anne Smith

Scriptural Call to Worship: Isaiah 6:1; Rev. 4:8

Opening Prayer: The Apostles Creed

Musical Worship: Come Now is the Time to Worship

Christ Is Mine Forevermore

Lord I Need You

Here I am to Worship

The Wisdom of God Reading: Proverbs 19:1-4 (pg. 643 in pew Bible)

Gospel Reading: Matthew 18:10-14 (pg. 974)

Sharron Hatton

Announcements & Offertory

*Receiving Hymn: **Sanctuary** #655

Pastoral Prayer and Prayer of Petition

Scripture Reading: Matthew 16:13-19 (pg. 972-73)

Message: The New Life Church Pastor Brad

Closing Hymn: All for Jesus vs. 1, 3, 4 #596

Taking Our Love of God into the World/Blessing

Postlude

Praying for our CBOQ Sister Churches: This week we pray for Revive Alexandria Church Inc., and Chesley Baptist Church.



M'Cheyne Bible Reading Plan

Monday Exodus 17 Wednesday Exodus 19 Friday Exodus 21

Tuesday Exodus 18 Thursday Exodus 20 Saturday Exodus 22

Sunday Exodus 23

Church Family News:

† Needing Prayer: Audrie Boulet, Edie Faiers, Colin Greer, Diane Ivin, Graeme McAfee, Bill & Gloria Bird (Tish's sister & brother-in-law), Michelle Peters, Jerry Williams (hospital) & our new friends.

* Happy Birthday to Michelle Peters (24th) Ann Pinnington (26th).

THIS WEEK at MURRAY STREET

MONDAY March 24

9:15 a.m. **Precept Bible Study:** 2 Timothy - Bresees (Zoom).

1 p.m. **Deacons Committee** meeting.

TUESDAY March 25

2:30 p.m. **Jeremiah 29 Committee** meeting.

7 p.m. **ActiveFaith** - Revelation (Zoom).

WEDNESDAY March 26

10 a.m. **Heart to Heart Bible Study** led by Rev. Ev Moore.

THURSDAY March 27

9:30 a.m. **Prayer Meeting** (online).

10-11:30 a.m. Closet and Drop-In.

4 p.m. **Choir** practice.

FRIDAY March 28

10 a.m. **Handbell** practice.

SUNDAY March 30

9 a.m. **ActiveFaith Study** of Revelation.

10:30 a.m. Worship. Rev. Brad Peters preaching: Everyday Questions: New

Life & Free Will

3-7 p.m. Living Waters Mission Church.



Our next Fresh Beginnings day is Monday, March 31 @ 4:30 p.m. Please bring your donations of fresh fruit, vegetables or eggs to the church on Sunday, March 30. Thank you for sharing your bounty with the needy!

Week of March 23

Africa

- Pray for our partner FEBAC in South Sudan, as political instability has led to government attacks in some areas.
- Pray for lasting peace and protection.

Europe

- Pray for students in Kassel preparing for exams and job searches. May they rely on God's faithfulness and guidance.
- Pray for the student meditation group in Goettingen, which meets bi-weekly for silence and scripture reflection amid busy schoolwork.
- Pray that believers grow in their desire for God, practice communal spiritual formation, and balance
 "intimacy with God" and "service to Him", nurturing the importance of both "being" and "doing."

MENA

• Pray for Rabih as he continues to support church leaders across the MENA region during these challenging times, while being faithful stewards of the Lord's ministry and offering support and care to them.

Latin America and Caribbean

• Please pray for our partners as they complete the first quarter of the year. May God guide them, strengthen them, and grant them peace as they navigate the various challenges in their communities.

Asia

- Pray for Joseph and Lilian in Thailand, as they balance ministry, teaching, and their studies. May God strengthen them.
- Recently, the Thai government has cut off electricity, internet, and fuel to the Myanmar border area in an effort to crack down on fraudulent activities. However, this has also severely affected the local people and churches in the area.
- Please pray that God will grant the leaders of both countries the wisdom to address the problem while considering the needs of the people.

North America

• Pray for the SENT team from Gateway Baptist Church who will travel to Roxas City, Philippines and serve with CBM's partner KPM. (Mar 14-26)