

ST. DAVID & ST. MARTIN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

444 St. Laurent Blvd.
Ottawa, Ontario K1K 2Z6
Interim Moderator: Rev. Blair Bertrand
Moderator Pro Tem: Rev. Meg Patterson

20 SEPTEMBER 2026

11:30 AM EDT

6:30 PM EAT

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Leading Worship: Rev. Meg Patterson

Music: Jennifer Channen

ENTRY OF THE BIBLE

CALL TO WORSHIP:

Leader: We thank you, O God, for the gift of this day.

People: For this beautiful space, for the warm hearts that greet us.

Leader: We thank you, O God, for the ability to come together to worship.

People: For songs and prayers that sustain us not only in this hour, but in the days that unfold.

Leader: We thank you, O God, for the blessings in our lives and in our world.

People: May we lift our voices in thanks, even as we worship You.

Source: Written by Beth Merrill Neel on her blog, 'Hold Fast to What Is Good'. Used with permission.

HYMN: **"Lord of all power"**

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STATEMENT OF PURPOSE: (UNISON)

Our purpose is: to seek to know God; to nurture spiritual growth; to love and worship God and to do God's work.

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS *(See slides at the end.)*

PRAYER OF ADORATION AND CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

LESSONS FOR THE YOUNG

PRaise IN THE AFRICAN WAY

Hallelujah Challenge Praise Medley by Nathaniel Bassey from Nigeria

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

PSALM 112

Leader: Praise the LORD! Blessed are those who fear the LORD, who greatly delight in Gods' commandments.

People: Their descendants will be mighty in the land; the generation of the upright will be blessed. Wealth and riches are in their houses, and their righteousness endures forever. They rise in the darkness as a light for the upright; they are gracious, merciful, and righteous.

Leader: It is well with those who deal generously and lend, who conduct their affairs with justice. For the righteous will never be moved; they will be remembered forever.

People: They are not afraid of evil tidings; their hearts are firm, secure in the LORD. Their hearts are steady, they will not be afraid; in the end they will look in triumph on their foes.

Leader: They have distributed freely, they have given to the poor; their righteousness endures forever; their horn is exalted in honour.

People: The wicked see it and are angry; they gnash their teeth and melt away; the desire of the wicked comes to nothing.

DEUTERONOMY 16:13-17

Celebrate the Festival of Tabernacles for seven days after you have gathered the produce of your threshing floor and your winepress. Be joyful at your festival—you, your sons and daughters, your male and female servants, and the Levites, the foreigners, the fatherless and the widows who live in your towns. For seven days celebrate the festival to the Lord your God at the place the Lord will choose. For the Lord your God will bless you in all your harvest and in all the work of your hands, and your joy will be complete.

Three times a year all your men must appear before the Lord your God at the place he will choose: at the Festival of Unleavened Bread, the Festival of Weeks and the Festival of Tabernacles. No one should appear before the Lord empty-handed: Each of you must bring a gift in proportion to the way the Lord your God has blessed you.

DEUTÉRONOME 16:13-17

»Tu célébreras la fête des tentes pendant 7 jours, au moment où tu récolteras le produit de ton aire de battage et de ton pressoir. Tu te réjouiras à cette fête, toi, ton fils et ta fille, ton esclave et ta servante, ainsi que le Lévite, l'étranger, l'orphelin et la veuve qui seront dans ta ville. Tu célébreras la fête pendant 7 jours en l'honneur de l'Eternel, ton Dieu, à l'endroit que l'Eternel choisira. En effet, l'Eternel, ton Dieu, te bénira dans toutes tes récoltes et dans tout le travail de tes mains, et tu te livreras entièrement à la joie.

»Trois fois par an, tous les hommes parmi vous se présenteront devant l'Eternel, ton Dieu, à l'endroit qu'il choisira: à la fête des pains sans levain, à la fête des semaines et à la fête

des tentes. On ne paraîtra pas devant l'Eternel les mains vides. Chacun donnera ce qu'il pourra, en fonction des bénédictions que l'Eternel, ton Dieu, t'aura accordées.

LUKE 16:10-15

“Whoever can be trusted with very little can also be trusted with much, and whoever is dishonest with very little will also be dishonest with much. So if you have not been trustworthy in handling worldly wealth, who will trust you with true riches? And if you have not been trustworthy with someone else’s property, who will give you property of your own?”

“No one can serve two masters. Either you will hate the one and love the other, or you will be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve both God and money.”

The Pharisees, who loved money, heard all this and were sneering at Jesus. He said to them, “You are the ones who justify yourselves in the eyes of others, but God knows your hearts. What people value highly is detestable in God’s sight.

This is the word of the Lord
Thanks be to God!

HYMN: *"In times like these"*

On Screen

SERMON: *Put your money where your mouth is*

CALL FOR THE OFFERING

OUR OFFERING

DOXOLOGY: *"Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow"*

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PRAYER OVER THE OFFERING

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

LORD’S PRAYER (Unison)

Our Father 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. 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, the power, and the glory. Forever. AMEN

HYMN: *"Praise, my soul, the King of Heaven"*

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COMMISSIONING : *"Go Now In Peace"* (Sung)

BENEDICTION

THREE-FOLD AMEN (Sung)

SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

Bible Study

Bible Study was supposed to start on Septmber 9th but unfortunately cannot be started until further notice. Please speak to Sheila Major if you have any questions.



 The Animator Presents

**WE ARE
LOOKING FOR NEW
MEMBERS**

Join the Youth Working Group

**INVEST IN
THE
NEXT
GENERATION**



JOIN US IF YOU LOVE

- Event Planning
- Mentoring
- Teamwork

REQUIREMENTS

Monthly meetings, a desire to reach the young people in the Presbyteries, planning fun, exciting large groups events and living out the Gospel

Email Sunjay - prezminanimator@gmail.com

AN EVENING OF MUSIC

IN SUPPORT OF
URBAN CHRISTIAN OUTREACH



Glen Soderholm

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SEPTEMBER

7PM



TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
1817 RICHARDSON SIDE ROAD

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TICKETS: \$30

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/an-evening-with-glen-soderholm-in-support-of-urban-christian-outreach-tickets-1992356461810>



Bible CONVERSATIONS

Starting September 22!

Studying
the
Parables of
Jesus

If you are interested in an in person version of
this study, let Meg know!

Join us
on Zoom
TUESDAYS
AT 7PM



Play Free drop-in activities in the City of Ottawa
Play Free is the City of Ottawa's lineup of free drop-in
activities for children and youth (aged 17 and under), and
accompanying adults. The Play Free initiative is to
encourage young people to participate and get active.
Includes: Swimming, Skating, Sports

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