

Assisting This Week: *Welcome Team:* Lead – Katie Sparrow
Lower Hall – Bev Mathew, Ruth Kochanuk *Welcome Table* – Karen
Monk *Balcony* – Jennifer Honsa *Elevator* – Dave Moase
Reader – Carolyn Stewart *Coffee* – Outreach

Assisting Next Week: *Welcome Team:* Lead – Lorraine Treanor
Lower Hall – Katie Powell, Christine Viau *Welcome Table* – Nanci
Anderson *Balcony* – Anna Loughlin *Elevator* – Clarke Mills
Reader – Vincent Tume *Coffee* – UCW

Pre-school Room for your children up to JK age is available with an audio/video feed of the service. Attendants are glad to show you where the pre-school room is located.

Parents: For safety reasons, please ensure your children are supervised while in the balcony.

Our Prayer Chain is available. When you have a prayer concern, call Kate Sparrow @ 905-302-4549 or the church office.

Hospital Visits: Please let Rev. John know when any of our members or friends are in hospital – 647-522-9483 (cell); 905-826-1542 (office); john.tapscott@streetsvilleunited.ca

Emergency Automated External Defibrillator (AED) Onsite

Located in the sanctuary on the landing going up to the balcony on the center of the wall.

Streetsville United Church Leadership Team

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January 13, 2019
Baptism of the Lord



*Anchored in God's Word...
Moving into God's Future*

*Inviting and welcoming all people into a growing
relationship with God through Jesus Christ.
Serving God and our neighbours in the local
community and the wider world.*

Order of Service

Prelude *Prayer* M. Davis

- Standing for all who are able
- **Call to Worship** (responsively) from Isaiah 43

Leader: But now, says the LORD, he who created you, O Jacob, he who formed you, O Israel: Do not fear, for I have redeemed you; I have called you by name, you are mine.

All: When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; and through the rivers, they shall not overwhelm you; when you walk through fire you shall not be burned, and the flame shall not consume you.

Leader: For I am the LORD your God, the Holy One of Israel, your Savior, I give a ransom in return for you.

All: You are precious in my sight, and honored, and I love you. Do not fear, for I am with you.

- Prayer of Approach (followed by the Lord's Prayer)

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us, and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

- Assurance of Pardon
- Passing of the Peace

- Hymn **228** *Sing Praises to God*

Announcements

Children's Time (JK to Grade 5 come to the front)

All Sunday School students and teachers leave for classes

Offering

Offertory *We Three Kings of Orient Are* arr. R. Haan

- Presentation of Offerings

**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. Amen.**

Anthem *Lord, Lead Us Still* arr. J. Brahms

Scripture Readings: Luke 3:15-22
Luke 7:18-28

Pastoral Prayer

- Hymn **100** *When Jesus Comes to Be Baptised*

Sermon: *The Strengthening Word*
Luke 2:22,23

So he replied to the messengers, "Go back and report to John what you have seen and heard: The blind receive sight, the lame walk, those who have leprosy are cleansed, the deaf hear, the dead are raised, and the good news is proclaimed to the poor. Blessed is anyone who does not stumble on account of me." Luke 2:22,23

- Hymn **660** *How Firm a Foundation*

- **Benediction** *Go Now In Peace* Don Besig

**Go now in peace, never be afraid,
God will go with you each hour of every day.
Go now in faith, steadfast, strong and true.
Know He will guide you in all you do.
Go now in love and show you believe.
Reach out to others so all the world can see.
God will be there watching from above.
Go now in peace, in faith, and in love. Amen, amen, amen.**

Moment for Reflection

Postlude



Meetings

Today

After Worship – UCW Annual Meeting in the Fellowship Lounge.

2019 Giving Envelopes – please pick up if you have not done so.

This Week

Tue. 7:00 pm – Church Council Meeting in the FL.

Wed. 9:30 – 11 am – The Café - Join us in the Fellowship Lounge.

Wed. 7:00 – Senior Choir practice.

Thu. 8:30 pm – Boomer Band practice.

Upcoming Events

Sun. Jan. 20 – UCW Sunday.

Announcements

Streetsville United Church.....What It Takes!

It Takes a Worship Committee!

Chairs: Anna Loughlin

Members: Wally Bridel, Heather Drew, Ruth Kochanuk

Responsibilities include:

- The focus of the committee is supporting the worship service with participation from the congregation.
- Organizing preparation and serving of Communion, Baptisms, Members received or transferred, marriages and funerals.
- Scheduling of the Welcome Team of 40 members. Update and distribute Welcome Handbook and contact list.
- Support of special services including Christmas Eve, Mother's Day, White Gift, Scout Day, Black History Month and so on.

Annual Report – Submissions – please email no later than **Mon. Jan. 28** to info@streetsvilleunited.ca.

Church Food Pantry – In December, we helped 17 people. This week we need ONLY the following and please NO EXPIRED cans: canned chicken or beef stew, chicken or turkey, peanut butter, mayonnaise, jam, cookies & 1L size juice. Thank you.

Book Sale – We have exceeded our \$1,000 goal for 2018 and are now at **\$1,099.50**. Thanks for your HELP!