

Welcome Team

Assisting Today: *Sanctuary Lead* – Gail Boulton *Narthex* – Anna Loughlin
Elevator – Doug Hitchcock *Reader* – Ken Boulton *Tech* – Ken Boulton,
Wally Bridel

Assisting Easter Sunday: *Sanctuary Lead* – Nadean Harley *Narthex* – Nanci
Anderson *Elevator* – Murray Lewis *Reader* – Dianne Nowoselski
Coffee Hour – Finance *Tech* – Wally Bridel
Communion - Bill & Katie Powell, Nanci Anderson

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

Emergency Automated External Defibrillator (AED) Onsite

Located in the sanctuary on the landing going up to the balcony on the center of the wall. **Naloxone Kit** in the red First Aid box.

Sharing Our Offerings:

Streetsville United Church needs you now more than ever. Please consider any of the several ways to support our congregation and our work in the surrounding communities. Small changes, like a slight weekly or monthly increase, or more regular givings, can go a long way. All giving methods are on the website or contact the office for help.

- You can e-transfer directly to the church (use info@streetsvilleunited.ca) or the UCW (use stvlucw@bell.net)
 - Mailing in a cheque or post-dated cheques to the church (or drop off at secure mailboxes front and back of the church)
 - Pre-Authorized Remittance (PAR) – automatic monthly deposits to the church. For more details, contact Bev Mathew at bev.mathew@rogers.com or 905-826-5005.
 - Canada Helps (tax receipts provided by Canada Helps)
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GOOD
Friday

March 29, 2024

Order of Worship

God Invites Us to Gather

- indicates standing for all who are able

Before the Service

Boomer Band

Who You Say I Am
The Wonderful Cross
For Those Tears I Died
You Are My King (Amazing Love)

Prelude

A Grand Dirge

Thomas Attwood

Greeting and Announcements

Prayer of Illumination

One: On this solemn morning, come, Holy Spirit, that we might be comforted by your presence and that our reading of this story might be filled with wisdom, compassion, and understanding.

Many: Come, Holy Spirit. Amen.

The Story from Calvary

Mark 15:22-32

Ken Boulton

- Hymn VU 142 *Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross*

Gathering Prayer (by Christine Sine)

Many: Christ Jesus, You hung upon a cross and died for us so that we might live for You. Your body was broken and your blood shed so that we might be healed and made whole. You were faithful unto death so that we might be faithful unto life. Your last command was that we might love one another: one family together from every tribe and nation, a new creation united through your sacrifice, redeemed by your blood, healed by your love, united by your covenant of peace. In your death may we find life. Amen.

Music

Unashamed
Who You Say I Am

Boomer Band
see insert
Ben Fielding & Reuben Morgan

Prayer of Illumination

One: As we continue the story of Jesus' ultimate sacrifice, come, Holy Spirit, that we may face the mystery of death with courage and hope.

Many: Come, Holy Spirit. Amen.

Continuing the Story

Mark 15:33-41

Ken Boulton

Anthem

Pie Jesu

John Rutter

(Antoinette Clarke, Soloist)

Blessed Jesus, Lord I pray in they mercy grant them rest.
Lord our God, we pray thee, grant them everlasting rest.

Homily:

Following Jesus When Close to Death Rev. Joe Hopkins

- Hymn VU 144

Were You There

Community Prayers & Lord's Prayer

Each phrase will end with "O crucified Christ, have mercy on Your siblings," and worshipers should respond with, "**O God of the cross, deliver us from all evil**".

Music

The Wonderful Cross
See insert

Chris Tomlin
Boomer Band

Prayer of Illumination:

One: As we finish the story of Good Friday, come, Holy Spirit, that we may witness to the love of God and wait expectantly for the kingdom of God.

Many: Come, Holy Spirit. Amen.

The End of the Story (So It Seemed)

Mark 15:42-47

Ken Boulton



Who You Say I Am (Ben Fielding & Reuben Morgan)

Who am I that the highest King would welcome me?
I was lost, but He brought me in
Oh His love for me Oh His love for me
Who the Son sets free
Oh, is free indeed
I'm a child of God, yes, I am
Free at last, He has ransomed me His grace runs deep
While I was a slave to sin, Jesus died for me Yes, He died for me
Who the Son sets free Oh is free indeed
I'm a child of God, yes, I am
In my Father's house There's a place for me
I'm a child of God, yes, I am
I am chosen, not forsaken I am who You say I am
You are for me, not against me I am who You say I am
I am chosen, not forsaken I am who You say I am
You are for me, not against me
I am who You say I am I am who You say I am
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You are for me, not against me I am who You say I am
Oh I am who You say I am Yes, I am who you say I am
Who the Son sets free Oh is free indeed
I'm a child of God, yes, I am In my Father's house
There's a place for me I'm a child of God, yes, I am

The Wonderful Cross (Chris Tomlin)

When I survey the wondrous Cross
On which the Prince of Glory died
My richest gain, I count but loss
And pour contempt on all my pride
See from His head, His hands, His feet
Sorrow and love flow mingled down
Did ever such love and sorrow meet?
Or thorns compose, so rich a crown
Oh the wonderful Cross, oh the wonderful Cross
Bids me come and die and find that I may truly live
Oh the wonderful Cross, oh the wonderful Cross
All who gather here by grace, draw near and bless Your name
Were the whole realm of nature mine
That were an offering far too small
Love so amazing, so divine
Demands my soul, my life, my all
Oh the wonderful Cross, oh the wonderful Cross
Bids me come and die and find that I may truly live
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All who gather here by grace, draw near and bless Your name
Oh the wonderful Cross, oh the wonderful Cross
Bids me come and die and find that I may truly live
Love so amazing, so divine
Demands my soul, my life, my all
It's the beauty and the shame
It's the glory and the name
Wonderful Cross
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Bids me come and die and find that I may truly live
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