Order of Worship Sunday July 18 The Adventures of Paul: Paul's Evangelism

God Invites Us to Gather

Prelude

Lord Whose Love in Humble Service
Performed by Robin Dalgleish



Welcome & Announcements

Land Acknowledgement

We acknowledge that our church is on the Treaty Lands and Territory of the Mississaugas of the Credit. For thousands of years the first peoples gathered, loved, celebrated, created, and overcame great obstacles on this land. We give thanks that we can create community here too and pray that the communities we create will be spaces of peace and respect for all.

Call to Worship

We gather today to worship the One who created us,

The One who calls us,

The One who equips us,

The One who loves us without end.

With joyful hearts, let us worship God.

Prayer of Approach and Lord's Prayer

Hymn 218 We Praise You O God

Voices United

Prayer of Confession

Passionate God, you gave your apostle Paul a whole new meaning and intensity to his life with the gift of faith through Jesus Christ, a gift you offer to us as well.

But sometimes we squander this gift, sometimes we are unable to respond to you as we could:

Forgive us when we do not answer your call,

Forgive us when the worries of this life overshadow your gifts to us

Forgive us when we want to take control

Forgive us when we lack the ability to trust.

Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Take comfort in the assurance that God the Creator bring us new life, Forgives us, accepts us and guides us on our way. Live into this grace. Thanks be to God.

Special Music

Awaken Me To Pray

Duet – Dianne Nowoselski, Cathy Hitchcock
Piano – Kim Perrin

The Word of God Proclaimed

Prayer for Illumination

God, your word is a light to our path, Your word is a breath in our stillness, Your word is water to our thirst: Refresh us now, and speak through your word. Amen.

Scripture Lesson Acts 17:16-34

Sermon Being In God Rev. Jessica McCrae

Hymn 567 Will You Come and Follow Me Voices United

Our Response to God

Prayers of the People

Hymn 606 In Christ There Is No East Or West Voices United

Blessing and Benediction

Postlude Via Dolorosa Billy Sprauge/Miles Borop

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Givings - We continue to have expenses, such as utilities and salaries. If you are not on PAR, offering can be provided by:

- You can e-transfer directly to the church. From your online banking, add a recipient using the name Streetsville United Church and email address <u>info@streetsvilleunited.ca</u> E-transfers are automatically deposited in the church account with no need for a password. Please note that e-transfers will be included on your tax receipt. <u>More guidance here.</u>
- You can e-transfer directly to the UCW. From your online banking, add a recipient using the name Streetsville UCW and email address <u>stvlucw@bell.net</u>. E-transfers are automatically deposited in the UCW church account with no need for a password. Please note that e-transfers will be included on your UCW tax receipt. <u>More guidance here</u>.
- Canada Helps (tax receipts provided by Canada Helps) at https://www.canadahelps.org/en/dn/13238
- Mailing in a cheque (or post-dated cheques to Streetsville United Church at 274 Queen St. South, Mississauga, ON L5M 1L8
- Pre-Authorized Remittance: We also now have over ten years' experience with United Church PAR, which automatically makes monthly deposits to the church. For more details, contact Neil Beattie at nbeattie@rocketmail.com or 416-909-0042.
- Cheques/envelopes can also be dropped off in the mailboxes at the **front or back doors** of the church. They are locked & secure.

Please let Rev. Jessica know when any of our members or friends are in hospital or in need of pastoral attention – 647-222-9683 (cell); 905-826-1542 (office); revjmccrae@gmail.com

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