



**Parkwoods United Church
Sunday School Recognition
June 13, 2010 - 10:00 a.m.**



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Parkwoods United Church
Sunday, June 13, 2010
Third Sunday after Pentecost

GATHERING AS GOD'S PEOPLE

**Please stand if you are able*

Prelude **“Arioso”** by J. S. Bach

Welcome & Announcements **Mabel French**
Finding Our Quiet Centre
Lighting of the Christ Candle
Call To Worship (*Leader*)
We gather as the world turns in conflict and worry.
We gather looking to God for justice.
We gather and affirm our trust in God's reign.
We gather as the earth groans with the weight
of our over-indulgent living.
We gather knowing Christ is alive in us.
We gather as those who have exploited
and those who have been exploited.
We gather with the One
who forgives and reconciles.
We gather as the people of God.
We gather and proclaim God's realm is within us.

Gift of Music **“Over My Head”** Junior Choir
Leaders: Helen Bawtenheimer & Sharon McKenzie-Bone

Opening Prayer (*Unison*)
Open our eyes to where your justice belongs.
Open our hearts to the voice
that calls us to confess.
Open our minds to the call to live your way.
Open our souls to your realm within us,
around us, and everywhere. Amen.

***Hymn** **“Jesus, Lover of My Soul” # 669**

Prayer of Confession (*Responsively*)
We never intended to be people of injustice,
but we know our lifestyle choices,
and life decisions always affect others.

**In our living, may we choose justice,
live responsibly, and act wisely.**

May seeds of justice be sown here.

We never intend to hurt this world,
but the earth testifies that we do not always live
in balance with your creation.

**In our world may we lie in sustainable ways,
travel lightly, and honour the earth.**

May seeds of justice be sown here.

We never intend to be exclusive,
but we know the ways faith can divide us,
and see the harm that has been done in your name.

**May we grow your realm with grace that includes,
openness that leads to understanding,
and love that transforms all.**

May seeds of justice be sown here. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon (*Leader*)

God says, the vine grows once more,
the soil holds life once again,
and hope returns to your living.

**Let us live committed to justice,
and confident in God's reign of justice,
forgiveness, and renewal for all creation.
The seed has been planted in us.**

Gift of Music "We Thank You, God, for Teachers"

music by Mark Patterson

Prayer of Illumination (*Scripture Reader*)

O God, open our hearts and minds
by the power of your Holy Spirit,
that as the scriptures are read and your Word is proclaimed,
we may hear what you are saying to us today. **Amen.**

Psalm 5 # 728 Refrain # 2 : Organ, Choir, People

Gospel Reading: **Luke 7: 36-8:3** (pg. 65)

Reader: Nancy-Jean Nickel

Hear what the Spirit is saying to the church.

And let this word be fruitful among us.

***Children's Hymn "Seek Ye First the Kingdom"**
#356

Sunday School Recognition **Lynda McCowan**

Sermon ***“Teacher, Speak.....”***

Hymn:** ***“When We Are Living” **# 581**

RESPONDING TO GOD’S WORD

Offering of Our Life and Work

Offertory Music **“The Peace”** by G. F. Handel

*** Offertory Hymn**

“Your Work, O God, Needs Many Hands” # 537

*Your work, O God, needs many hands
to help you everywhere,
and some there are who cannot serve
unless our gifts we share.
Because we love you and your work,
our offering now we make:
be pleased to use it as your own,
we ask for Jesus’ sake.*

Offertory Prayer

Prayers of the People

Hymn “Go, Make A Difference” More Voices # 209

Commissioning and Benediction

Benediction Response

*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.*

Postlude

“Bagatelle”

A. Diabelli

SUNDAY SCHOOL PROMOTION AND RECOGNITION

Today is Promotion and Recognition for Sunday School and we extend a special welcome to all children and their families. It is also the last Sunday School class before the summer vacation season. A reminder that volunteers are needed, if we want a children's Sunday Program and Nursery Care over the summer months. Nursery care is for children 4 years of age and under. Please carefully consider this opportunity to assist with the younger members of our congregation.

Mabel French, Christian Development Chair

CAMPING OPPORTUNITIES

Each year, the Wayne & Mary Linkert Memorial Committee donate to Sparrow Lake Camp and Ryde Lake Camp. We also make funds available to assist Parkwoods youth who attend these camps or to families wishing to attend. If you know of Parkwoods people who would like to use this opportunity of assistance to attend, please contact Sandra Chapman, Carol Keffer or Glory Wigle in the church office.

RAYOAK FOOD BANK

"Next week is Week 3"

Week 1 Cereals

Week 2 Baby Food

Week 3 Dry canned goods, Pastas (Mac/Cheese)

Week 4 Sweets - Cookies, canned fruits etc.

Week 5 Cooking oil, condiments ie. ketchup, relish, spices, peanut butter etc.

A cheque payable to **Parkwoods United Church** in an envelope, marked "**Rayoak Food Bank**" to help with bulk buying is appreciated.



Our birthday wishes to **Harry Whalen** who will be celebrating his **90th Birthday** on Friday, June 18, 2010. Everyone at Parkwoods wishes you a very happy day with your family and friends.



UPCOMING SERVICES

SUN. June 20 **Father/Baptism Sunday**
10:00 am. Rev. Dr. Ellen Redcliffe

SUN. June 27 **Fifth Sunday after Pentecost**
10:00 am. Rev. Dr. Ellen Redcliffe

SUN. July 4 **Sixth Sunday after Pentecost**
Rev. Bob Wright

Welcome to Parkwoods United Church!

If you are a visitor today, please introduce yourself to
our Minister, Rev. Dr. Ellen Redcliffe
In emergency, call Rev. Ellen @ 416-491-8231.
Please make yourself known to the Greeters and
Ushers and sign our guest book in the narthex.

**Join us for “Refreshments”
following the service.**

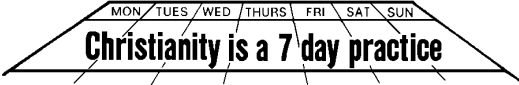


NEXT SUNDAY’S READINGS
Fourth Sunday after Pentecost
1 Kings 19: 1-15 † Psalm 42 Or 43
Galatians 3: 23-29 † Luke 8: 26-39

TODAY’S SERVICE

WORSHIP LEADER:		Mabel FRENCH
GREETERS:	Norma EVANS	Violet LENNON
USHERS:	Carolyn HORTON	John HORTON
	Agnes CERVINEK	Jochem BOERS
COFFEE HOSTS:	Carol JEFFS	Brian JEFFS
SOUND TECHNICIAN		Dave BONE

Announcements

			
CALENDAR FOR JUNE 14 to JUNE 20, 2010			
MON.	QUILTING GROUP	(Church Hall)	9:30 a.m.
FRI.	AFRICAN DRUMMING	(Church Hall)	6:30 p.m.
SUN.	SR. CHOIR PRACTICE	(Church Hall)	9:15 a.m.
SUN.	WORSHIP SERVICE	(Sanctuary)	10:00 a.m.

PARKWOODS U. C. BOOK CLUB



Are you a reader?

We could get together on a regular basis at the church to discuss the book of the month -

“Sarah’s Key” by Tatiana de Rosnay

Discussion/supper will take place on Monday, **June 28, 2010 @ 6:00 pm.** All who read the book are invited to attend this gathering.

HOW GREAT IS CREATION

“In gentle spring flowers I see your artistry,
In greening branches I see your handiwork;
In warm sun and blue sky I feel your love.

O Lord, how great is your creation about us!

How near is your Spirit in what you have made!

From the depths of my being,

I praise you Creator.

For the glory and beauty invading my soul,

for chanting birds

and the twinkling of butterfly wings,

I praise you, Creator, Eternal God.” Amen.



