

A special thank you to all participants in today's service.

Reader: Robert McIntyre
Projectionist: Rev. Richard Thorne
Ushers: JoAnne Livingstone
& Doreen McLuhan
Coffee Fellowship: CL&W

We hope that you have been enriched through the worship
today and that you will come again.



*Emmanuel United Church is a caring,
welcoming faith community, nurturing
spiritual life and sharing God's love
and grace as experienced in Jesus Christ.*

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Thank you for worshipping with us today! If you are new to Emmanuel, we hope that you will feel welcome and join us for coffee fellowship after the worship service.

Please introduce yourself to our minister, Rev. Roni Beharry and sign the Guest Book before you leave.

Trinity Sunday

Today at Emmanuel

10:30am Worship Service

This Week

Wed. Bible Study at 7pm

Thurs. Choir Practice at
7:30pm

Fri. Timmies at Two

WE GATHER

Welcome
Announcements
Greeting:

*Leader: The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of
God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you
all.*

Congregation: And also with you.

WE ENTER INTO GOD'S PRESENCE

Call to Worship:

*God the Shepherd looks for lost sheep and when he finds
them, he says,*

Rejoice with me!

*God the homemaker seeks a lost coin and when she finds
it says,*

Rejoice with me!

Jesus the Saviour welcomes all people and says,

Rejoice with me!

**Come, let us rejoice with the God who finds us
and claims us!**

WEST FERRIS COMMUNITY BRUNCH



The Outreach Mission and Service Committee and West Ferris Community Brunch welcome non-perishable food items to help support those less fortunate. Items such as pasta, tomato sauce, canned soups, fruit, beans, cereal, meat, and fish are most welcome. Other items that would be welcome include toiletries, toilet paper, toothbrushes, coffee and tea.

Donations made the 3rd Sunday of the month will be distributed at the Community Brunch which is held the 4th Saturday of the month.

The remainder of the food items will be distributed from the EUC food cupboard.

Thank you to all who have been so generous.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

SAVE THE DATE

June 16th, 2018

High Tea will be served on Saturday June 16th, 2018 at Trinity United Church from 1:00pm - 3:00pm. Entertainment will be provided by the Heartbeat Quartet. Admission is \$10 per person plus a baby item. No clothing or formula please. Cash donations excess of \$20 will receive a tax receipt. Come for the food and entertainment. Feel free to wear a fancy hat, after all this is a high tea. All proceeds will go directly to Trinity's Infant Food Shelf. For more information please contact the church office at 705-474-3310.

NEWSLETTER

The May newsletter is now available and can be picked up in the Narthex today, for those who are unable to receive it via email.

Please get yours now, and, if you could possibly deliver any to those who are not in church today, that would be most appreciated.

Thank you.



COFFEE FELLOWSHIP



The CL&W Committee needs your help to prepare the coffee, tea, cookies, serve & clean-up after church on Sundays. We hope that people who come for Coffee Fellowship will sign up on the board by the William St. entrance or phone Jo McCulley by Wed. to say that you are willing to help. We need your help for this event to continue.

Usually people who help arrive shortly before 10 a.m. to get the key to the cupboards from the Office. Tables need to be set up in the Hall with chairs. Instructions as to things that need to be done are on the inside of the coffee, tea cupboard (1st cupboards behind the Hall door). It only takes about 15 to 20 minutes to prepare everything. Other people often help with washing & drying the cups etc. which is really appreciated & that only takes about 20 minutes. If you don't know what to do we'll show you! We need & appreciate your help & many thanks for those that are willing to help! The purpose of Coffee Fellowship is to encourage people to mingle, care for one another & share stories to facilitate fellowship.

Thanks! ... Bud & the CL&W Committee

Hymn: "Jesus Shall Reign" VU #330

Prayer of Approach (in unison):

Shepherding God, you are the God for us! You are the One who leads us to the peaceful place, renews our strength and guides us wisely through life. We thank you and come to you in praise, so glad that we may be the sheep of your flock, the children of your redeeming. In the name of Jesus, our Risen Lord, we pray, AMEN.

Hymn: "Teach Me, God, to Wonder" VU #299

Children's Time

Lord's Prayer

WE LISTEN FOR GOD'S WORD

Responsive Reading: Psalm 82 pg.799

Epistle Reading: Colossians 1:1-14

(after the reading) *One: The Word of the Lord.*

All: Thanks be to God!

Choir Anthem: "O Come, Thou God of Grace"

By: William Evans & Jay Althouse

Gospel Reading: Luke 15:1-10

(after the reading) *One: The Gospel of Christ.*

All: Praise be to Jesus Christ!

Sermon: "Ours is the Rejoicing"

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

Hymn: "Amazing Grace" VU #266

Offering

Offertory:

**Praise God from who all blessings flow,
Praise God all creatures here below.
Praise God above, ye heavenly hosts,
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

Offertory Blessing

Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession

SENT TO SHOW CHRIST'S LOVE

Benediction

Choral Benediction:

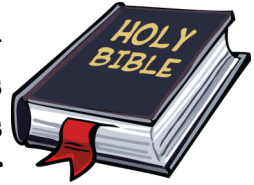
**Go now in peace, never be afraid
God will go with you each hour of every day.
Go now in faith, steadfast, strong and true.
Know God will guide you in all you do.
Go now in love, and show you believe.
Reach out to others so all the world can see.
God will be there watching from above.
Go now in peace,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

Please join us for a time of fellowship after our service.
Our gathering will be in Bert Passmore Hall. Just follow everyone else as we head to the hall and our time together.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BIBLE STUDY

Bible Study is on Wednesdays at 7:00pm - 8:00pm in the Board Room. Our Study is usually based on the previous Sunday's Readings. Please contact Rev. Roni for more information.



SCENT-SITIVE



Scented products can aggravate health problems for some people with medical conditions. Please do not wear scented products, your cooperation is appreciated, thank you.

TIM HORTONS GROUP



This week the group that meets at the Tim Hortons/Wendy's is meeting at 2:00pm. Join Rev. Roni and Lorne for conversations about our faith and how it intersects with our lives and culture.

REV. RONI'S VACATION

Rev. Roni Beharry is on vacation from May 14th - 28th. Rev. Kathy McCallum will provide pastoral care supply emergency relief May 14th - 17th. Rev. Jane Howe will provide pastoral care relief May 18th - 28th.

COFFEE FELLOWSHIP

The coffee fellowship TODAY is cancelled due to advance voting polls being held in the hall.

VOTING

Anyone can vote today if they wish, because this is an advanced poll, it does not matter where you live. You will just need to provide something to prove your address, like a driver's licence or bill, no photo I.D. required.