

Thank you for worshipping at Westminster Church

**Children**

Sunday School has concluded for the summer and will resume on Sunday, September 7. Activity packets are available in the lobby for children to work on during the service.

Should children become restless during the service, parents are welcome to use the crying room, where the service is received through closed-circuit television. An usher will be pleased to direct you to the room.

**Hearing Assistance**

Sennheiser headsets are available in the entrance lobby. Please ask an usher if you wish to use one.

**Electronic Devices**

Thank you for turning all electronic devices off or to mute during the service.

**Washrooms**

The entrance lobby has two washrooms, which are wheelchair accessible and have change tables for infants.

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**Office Hours**

Monday to Thursday  
9:00 a.m. to noon  
1:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

**Westminster Church**

**“We love because God loved us first”**

**1 John 4:19**

**Ministry Staff**

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**We Are All Members of the Body of Christ!**

1 Corinthians 12:27

If you're looking for a way to get involved at Westminster Church, we'd love to hear from you!

Please contact us at [getinvolved@westminsterchurch.org](mailto:getinvolved@westminsterchurch.org) or talk to one of the ministers.

Choir  
Small Groups  
Bell Tower Community Garden  
Bell Tower Community Cafe  
Sunday School, Youth  
Book Club  
Annual Kids Christmas Sale  
Committees (budget and management, communications, fellowship, finance, fundraising, membership and pastoral care, ministry and personnel, outreach, presbytery, property, worship)

**Sunday Worship**

Westminster Church  
The United Church of Canada

**Sunday, August 24, 2014**  
Eleventh of Pentecost  
10:30 a.m.

Nathan Poole is sharing the leadership of worship today.  
Our service begins with the Prelude, inviting us to prepare for worship.  
**ORGAN PRELUDE** “Rondo” from Abdelazer - H. Purcell  
“Solemn Melody” - H.W. Davies  
"Sicilienne” - M.T. von Paradis

**INTROIT** “Spirit of God, Unleashed on Earth”  
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Spir - it of God, un - leashed on earth with rush of wind and\_

roar of flame! With tongues of fire saints spread good news; earth,

kind - ling blazed\_ its\_\_\_\_\_ loud ac - claim.

**GREETING**  
Leader: The Lord be with you.  
People: And also with you.

**WELCOME AND CALL TO WORSHIP**

**HYMN** “For All the Saints” VU 705

**OPENING PRAYER**

**PRAYER OF CONFESSION**  
Merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent, for the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.  
*Moment of silence for personal confession.*

Leader: Lord, have mercy.  
People: Christ, have mercy.  
Lord, have mercy.

**WORDS OF ASSURANCE**

**SCRIPTURE READING** Exodus 1:8-2:10 NRSV p.49  
Read by James Campbell  
*At the conclusion of the reading ...*  
Reader: The Word of the Lord.  
People: Thanks be to God.

**HYMN** “Take My Life and Let it Be” VU 506

**SERMON** "In Praise of Sneaky"  
*Finding the Holy in the most unexpected, surprising - even laughable - places.*  
Rev. Dr. Paul Peters Derry

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**THE PEACE**  
Leader: May the peace of Christ be with you all.  
People: And also with you.

**HYMN** “What Shall I Render to the Lord” PFAS 116B page 732

**COLLECTION OF OFFERINGS AND OFFERTORY**  
Chorale Prelude on “Now, My Tongue” - F. Peeters  
  
*After the offering is introduced, an offertory will be played by the organist and the collection taken. Thank you for your gift, whether given today or through other means of supporting ministry at Westminster Church.*

**OFFERING DOXOLOGY** - Old 100<sup>TH</sup>, VU 822  
Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
praise God all creatures here below;  
praise God above, ye heavenly host;  
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

**SOLO** “I Asked The Lord”  
- Words & Music by Johnny Lange and Jimmy Duncan  
Given by Mary Ann Taylor

**PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING AND CONCERN**

**THE LORD’S PRAYER** Sung, VU 960  
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 them that trespass against us.  
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil:  
For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory,  
for ever and ever. Amen.

**HYMN** “Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah” VU 651

**BLESSING AND SENDING FORTH**

**CHORAL RESPONSE** “Danish Amen” VU 967

**POSTLUDE** “Fanfare” - W<sup>m</sup>. Mathias

**Westminster News Brief**

**NATHAN’S NOTES**  
***Sine Nomine** (English: without name)* is the Latin title of the tune we sing with **For All The Saints**. English composer Ralph Vaughan Williams wrote this tune for the English Hymnal published in 1904, and it has since become one of the most widely known and used hymn tunes. There are more than ten other hymns that employ **Sine Nomine**, including one that just repeats the word Alleluia throughout!  
  
**A meeting of the congregation will be held following worship on Sunday, September 7 in order to elect officers to fill vacancies on the Church Board. The Nominating Committee is putting forward the following names: Ted Barnett for Chair and Carol Latter for Vice-Chair.**

**LIFE AT WESTMINSTER**  
Do you have silk flowers at home that you no longer need? The Bell Tower has a use for them. Please drop them off at the church. Thanks - Suze Stevenson.  
  
Sunday September 7th our choir will return to the loft for the 2014/2015 season. Rehearsals start on September 4th, and include free childcare! If you or somebody you know may be interested in joining the choir, please speak with Nathan Poole. All are welcome!