

Sunday, January 5th, 2020

Prelude

Gathering Praise "Shout To The Lord"

Welcome and Announcements

Sharing the Peace of Christ

Call to Worship led by Veronica Christian-Prichard

Prayer of Adoration & Confession & the Lord's Prayer

Hymn #412 "Come, Let Us Sing

To The Lord Our Song"

Children's Time

Song of Praise "I Love You Lord"

Scripture led by Mary-Anne Denney

Genesis 1:26-31 (p.3)

Special Music Melinda Camplin, Violin

Message: "The Creation Story...Every Day" Speaker: JoAnne Fleming

Hymn #322 "How Great Thou Art" (v. 1,2 & 4)

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Offering Music Melinda Camplin, Violin

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Hymn #433 "All Creatures Of Our God

and King" (v. 1,2&6)

Benediction and Choral Amen

Closing Chorus "Go Make A Difference"

Upcoming Events

Mon. Jan. 6th - *VON Exercise Pr*ogram, 9:30am, Gym

Tues. Jan. 7th – First Pres Tappers, 6:30pm, Gym

Wed. Jan 8th – *Men's Coffee & Conversation*, 9:30am Conf. Rm.

Thurs. Jan. 9th-*Treasure Time for Tots* resumes -stories at 9:30am, Library. Children from birth to preschool

Thurs. Jan. 9th – <u>Burning Bush Theatre</u> will begin to work on their next musical "A Technicolour Promise", The Story of Noah (Not Joseph)! For more information contact Kimberley at karg@rogers.com

Fri. Jan. 10th – Welcome Back <u>V.O.I.C.E</u>. and <u>Impact</u> Youth Groups, 7pm, Lower Hall

Book Buzz: Do you need to change some habits, but need encouraging scriptures? Check out this booklet for guidance, **101 Resolutions for the New Year**, "In the Spotlight", on the library counter.

Pastoral Care Ministry

If you know of someone who would appreciate a visit, please Contact Catherine, Brown, Director of Pastoral Care at 705-445-6941 or cjbrown1@rogers.com

Thank you to Joanne Fleming, Melinda Camplin and all those who lead in worship today.



Help make First Pres a more
Mission Minded church by
praying for missions, making
a donation to Presbyterian

Sharing and helping local kids by sponsoring a student at Youth for Christ. We need volunteers. Are you good at social media and marketing? Contact Frank Tilley at franktilley44@gmail.com.

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<u>Cherubs Choir</u> [ages SK – Gr. 5] practices resume Thursday January 9th , 6:10-6:45 Contact: Angela Girdwood <u>agirdwood@scdsb.on.ca</u>

The <u>Worship Choir</u> next practice is January 9th, 7:00pm Contact: Kimberley -<u>karg@rogers.com</u>

Sign up in the Welcome Centre to purchase a DVD of the First Christmas Story. Cost is \$10.

BURNING BUSH THEATRE

WINTER SESSION (January to March)



- Free after school Drama and Music Theatre program
- Thursdays 4:00 6pm Some Saturday mornings
- Youth ages 7-17
- "A Technicolour Promise" (The Story of Noah!)
- For info contact Kimberley Raeburn-Gibson at karg@rogers.com or the church office 705-445-4651
- Registration forms available in the Welcome Centre

Joy is finding a way to be happy even when things don't go your way. God is the source of our joy. Our circumstances might not always make us feel happy, but we can have joy knowing that God is in control.

The children continue to contribute to the school **breakfast program** with their weekly offering. We encourage the children to bring an offering to donate to this worthwhile project.



IT'S PRETTY AMAZING THAT OUR SOCIETY HAS REACHED A POINT WHERE THE EFFORT NECESSARY TO

SHIP IT TO A REFINERY, TURN IT INTO PLASTIC, SHAPE IT APPROPRIATELY, TRUCK IT TO A STORE, BUY IT, AND BRING IT HOME

IS CONSIDERED TO BE LESS EFFORT THAN WHAT IT TAKES TO JUST WASH THE SPOON WHEN YOU'RE DONE WITH IT.

"Says it so well!"

Source: Tumblr/MEME



10 Ways to Be Greener, Healthier & Happier

- Deepen your Nature Connection Recognize everything is made from materials created by Nature, and modified by humans.
- 2. **Rethink Convenience** How often do you say, 'It is more convenient if I...' and think of the real long term impact.
- 3. **Rethink Cheap** Low quality creates more garbage and higher costs because you must replace more often.
- Less is More Buy fewer but better quality clothes, gadgets, technology, appliances and replace less often.
- 5. **Reduce Plastic** Carry your own reusable beverage bottles, cutlery, produce bags & shopping bags.
- 6. **Cleaning** Check <u>www.ewg.org</u> to determine the toxicity of cleaning and personal care products.
- 7. **Eat** local & seasonal, with a focus on plants, and less red meat/dairy.
- 8. **Alternatives to Shopping** Make a list of fun activities you enjoy and choose them instead of shopping.
- 9. **Less Technology** Schedule time-out from tech. Only replace when devices no longer work, not when the next model is available.
- Be kind to one another We're ALL on this planet together!

"Reconnection to the natural world is fundamental to human health, well-being, spirit, and survival." Richard Louv

