This Week at PPBC

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**Thursday, July 3rd**

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**Friday, August 22nd, 2025**

All youth in grades 7-12 are welcome at the church from 7:30 pm - 9:30 pm for a time of Bible study and games!

[Ministry Opportunities 2025-2026 Survey](https://forms.gle/gux2TLdFm4goxJM86)

Paper Copies available in the Office

We believe that God gives spiritual gifts to every believer so that each one can contribute to the spiritual health and growth of the local church (Ephesians 4:11-16).

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**A Prayer Request from the Merajis:** Pray for those we are discipling. It is a stressful time as many wait for news about family and the future of the home country. That they would keep their eyes on Jesus.

Pray for our support raising. We are encouraged by new support commitments and new church partnerships. Please pray we would have energy to continue on and God would speak to others to join us.

Notes

Sunday Ministry Schedules

Below are ministry schedules for Nursery, Jr. Church, Greeters, Ushers, and Sound & Video:

**Nursery**  
**Aug 17:**Laura Saunders, Amber Saunders  
**Aug 24:**Brenda Clemens, Jen Werner

**Jr. Church; ages 3 to grade 6 (Classes combined for the summer)**  
**Aug 17:**Justine McKenzie, Abby Saunders  
**Aug 24:**Deb Brown, Kelsey Schoenrock

**Greeters**  
**Aug 17:**Tracy & Karen Ballanger  
**Aug 24:**Donna & Leno Araujo

**Ushers**  
**Aug 17: Gregg Anderson,** Graeme Foster  
**Aug 24: Mark McLaren,** Matt Saunders

**Sound & Video**  
**Aug 17:**Sound:  Caleb Bolsonello  | Video: Josh Myers  
**Aug 24:**Sound:  Wyatt Werner  | Video: William Conley

***Romans 8:18-21***

*I consider that our present sufferings are not worth comparing with the glory that will be revealed in us. For the creation waits in eager expectation for the children of God to be revealed. For the creation was subjected to frustration, not by its own choice, but by the will of the one who subjected it, in hope that the creation itself will be liberated from its bondage to decay and brought into the freedom and glory of the children of God.*

Morning Service

Welcome

Song- *Behold Our God*

Song – *How Firm a Foundation*

Scripture

Song – *Blessed Assurance*

Song – *Christ Our Hope in Life and Death*

Prayer

Message – *Pastor Jim*

Song – *This is My Father’s World*

***Romans 8:22-30***

*We know that the whole creation has been groaning as in the pains of childbirth right up to the present time. Not only so, but we ourselves, who have the firstfruits of the Spirit, groan inwardly as we wait eagerly for our adoption to sonship, the redemption of our bodies. For in this hope we were saved. But hope that is seen is no hope at all. Who hopes for what they already have? But if we hope for what we do not yet have, we wait for it patiently. In the same way, the Spirit helps us in our weakness. We do not know what we ought to pray for, but the Spirit himself intercedes for us through wordless groans. And he who searches our hearts knows the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for God’s people in accordance with the will of God. And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose. For those God foreknew he also predestined to be conformed to the image of his Son, that he might be the firstborn among many brothers and sisters. And those he predestined, he also called; those he called, he also justified; those he justified, he also glorified.*

Praise & Prayer Highlights

**PRAY**for *Roy & Diane Wilson*. Roy is going on Monday morning for ear surgery.**PRAY**for his health and that he would receive the care he needs.

**PRAY**for *Josh Anderson* as he goes to preach in Bowmanville this weekend. Please **PRAY**for the congregation in Bowmanville as they look for a new Pastor.

**PRAY**for Joan's ongoing health & recovery.

**PRAISE**that the *Persis Family* have found an apartment in North York.**PRAISE**God for His Provision!

**PRAY**for *Bert & Ada Faber* and their ongoing health concerns.

**PRAY**for *the Malawi Missions Team; Lino, Les, Lisa, Thea, Sara, Kathryn, Adam, Lucas, Paul and Helen*.**PRAY** for strength and daily preparation. **Pray**for the hearts and minds of people to be open to the messages they have heard this week.  **Pray**for our team's rest, mentally, physically and spiritually.

**Giving**

Just as a reminder, there are several ways you can give:

**In Person** using the offering box located on the back wall of the sanctuary. Donation envelopes are available at the Welcome Centre. Please contact the church office if you would like a box of donation envelopes (office@portperrybaptist.ca)

**Through your online banking**, you may send electronic transfers to ppbcdonations@gmail.com.

**You can also give through Canada Helps**. Donation receipts will be provided by Canada Helps, and transaction fees apply.

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**Weekly Newsletter**

The PPBC Newsletter is emailed to the church family every Friday. If you would like to be added to the weekly email list, please contact the office by phone: 905-985-8681 or by email: [office@portperrybaptist.ca](mailto:office@portperrybaptist.ca).

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**Church Information:**

**Location:**

2210 Hwy 7A

Port Perry, ON

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**Office Hours:**

Monday: 8:30am – 4:00pm

Tuesday: 8:30am – 4:00pm

Wednesday: Closed

Thursday: 8:30am – 4:00pm

Friday: 8:30 am - 3:00 pm

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**Staff:**

Sr. Pastor – Rev. Jim Clemens

Administrative Assistant – Madeline Werner

Family Ministries Director – Josh Anderson

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**Sunday, August 17th, 2025**

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**Sunday Starting Point**

**Sunday, August 17th, 2025 - 9:30 am**

*“Beginning the day with the Word and prayer”*

**Adults & Youth:**Adults and Youth will meet in the sanctuary for a time of study and prayer.

(Please note childcare is unavailable during Starting Point)

**Sunday Morning Worship**

**Sunday, August 17th, 2025 - 10:30 am**

We are meeting in the sanctuary and will continue to live-stream for those who are unable to attend.

***Message:****Hope of a New Creation*

***Scripture:****Isaiah 63-66*

*Pastor Jim Clemens*