

A special hockey game between local hockey players and Maple Leafs Alumni is taking place on Saturday, December 14 at 7 p.m. at the Durham arena. The game will feature former Toronto Maple Leafs players including Wendel Clark, Rick Vaive, Todd Gill, Gary Leeman and others. Tickets are \$30 each. Funds raised will be used to purchase gift/food baskets for local students in need. You can purchase tickets at Godfathers Pizza, The Foundry or Eckhardt's Shell.

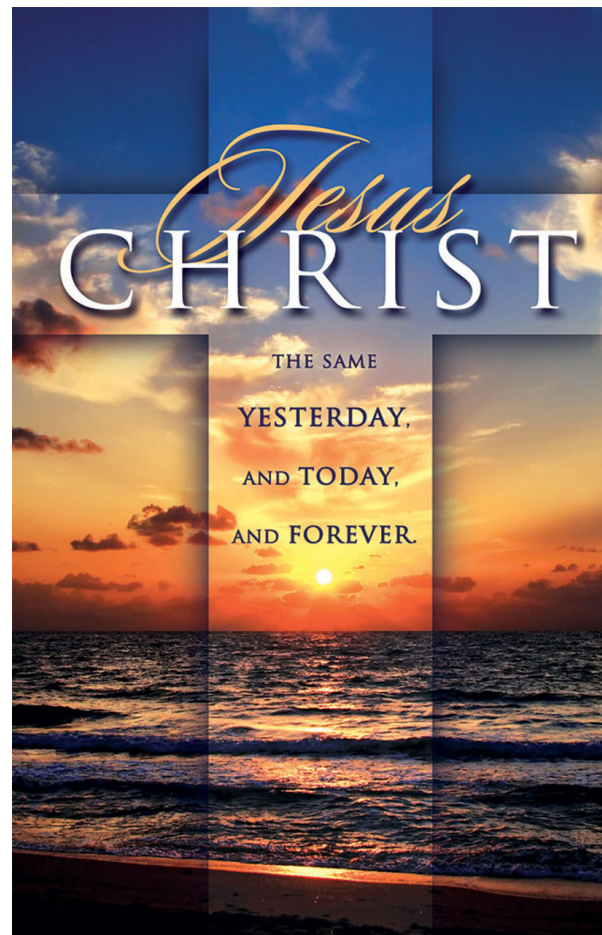
For the month of October, the givings were \$8,203.53 while the expenses were \$11,229.50 This left a shortfall of \$3,025.97 for the month.

We are always looking for people willing to be readers during our church service. If interested in this ministry, please speak to Wendy.

Anyone who would like offering envelopes can do so by asking Wendy McConnell, our church secretary for some. There are also request cards for them at the back of the church on the table. You can fill out the form and just leave it in the offering plates.

The Presbyterian Church in Canada is turning 150 – share your story! Do you have a favourite memory of singing in a choir, attending youth group, going to a potluck supper, attending the General Assembly—or anything else that shaped your involvement in the church? What are some of the things your congregation is doing today to share the good news of Jesus in your community? And what are your hopes and dreams for the PCC as it approaches 150 years? In recognition of the PCC's 150th anniversary in 2025, the Committee on History is preparing a published collection of stories about where we have been, where we are, and where we are going. We want to hear from you! Share your story using this the online form located at the PCC website (which includes some helpful prompts). Or, if you'd prefer, email pcc150book@gmail.com. Remember to include your full names! Submissions are being accepted through December 2024. **For those without a computer or the ability to electronically submit your stories, please mail them to Ian McKechnie, 40 Parkway Avenue, Lindsay, Ontario, K9V 4T9.**

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**Sunday,
November 24, 2024**



Musical Prelude
Words of Welcome, Birthdays or Anniversaries:
Announcements:
Call to Worship:
Blessing:
Praise:
Worship:
Prayer of Adoration and Confession:
Children's Story: The Great Banquet (Luke 14: 15-24)
Children's Music:
Prayer for Guidance from the Holy Spirit:
Scripture Reading: Psalm 93 (NIV)
Sermon:

The Reign and Majesty of the Lord



Closing Prayer: "Lord in your mercy ... " & "Hear our prayers"
Offering: "Joyful, joyful" (verse 1)
Dedication: Prayer
Hymn: "Majesty"
Benediction and Verbal Amen: "Forward in Faith"

"The Lord is coming, always coming. When you have ears to hear and eyes to see, you will recognize him at any moment of your life. Life is Advent; life is recognizing the coming of the Lord."

~ Henri Nouwen

The Announcements

Good morning to everyone! Following the service, you are invited to join us downstairs for a time of refreshment and fellowship. Next week, we will be entering the season of Advent. The Sacrament of Holy Communion will be part of the service.

The 3 O'Clock Prayer Slot is tomorrow. There are copies of the prayer list at the back of the church for anyone who wishes to join us in prayer.

Our Annual Christmas Bazaar is set for next Saturday, November 30 from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Donations of baking, squares, cookies, candy and handicrafts are most welcome and greatly appreciated. All donations should be at the church by Friday, November 29 by 7 p.m, especially the cookies, squares and candy needed to fill the containers. Pre-orders for the \$6.00 meal pies are being taken now. Please order by contacting Donna Love, 519-369-2916. If you have any questions, please call Louise Breen at 519-369-3381.

A reminder that orders for the Good Food Boxes are due this Thursday, November 28. The cost is only \$22.00.

The Durham Santa Claus Parade is on December 7 at 12:30 p.m. Our church is planning on putting in a float. If you wish to help or be on the float, please call Will at 226-974-6265.

Our annual Christmas Music Night is set for Thursday, December 12 at 7 p.m. Admission is by donation only with proceeds going to the West Grey Youth Centre.

Communicant classes for anyone who would be interested in becoming a member of the Presbyterian Church are being planned. Please contact Will - 226 974 6265 if interested.

The Ladies Annual Christmas Dinner is on Tuesday, December 10 at noon. The meal is open to all ladies of the church. It will be a turkey dinner and catered by Anna Hopkins. Cost is \$27 per person and tickets can be purchased from Eleanor Marshall.

A "Journey with Jesus" Sing-Along takes place at Crawford United Church next Saturday, November 30 at 2 p.m. There is no admission but donations to either the Hanover or Durham Food Banks will be gratefully accepted.

Our Christmas Eve Service will begin at 7 p.m.