

Worship Service

Message: Rev. Todd Thomason

October 2, 2016

Worship Leader: Holly Froese

Worship is an act of remembrance that elicits offerings of praise and sacrifices of self to God, and sends us back into the world to live as instruments of the Lord's peace. We remember who Christ is. We remember who we are in Christ.

GATHERING

Prelude *Your Great Name* Worship Team
Welcome
Call to Worship *Responsive Reading* Rev. Todd Thomason

PRAISE

Songs *Forever*
Everlasting
Open the Eyes of My Heart

(Children Invited to Sunday School)

COMMUNITY

Belong, Grow, Serve
Scripture *Jeremiah 32: 1-3, 6-15* Shirley Ingram
Congregational Prayer Linda Deterville
Offering
Offertory *When I Survey the Wondrous Cross* Worship Team

WORD

Scripture *Luke 16: 19-31* Donna Quigley
Message *"Increasing the Prophets"* Rev. Todd Thomason

COMMUNION

Song *I Will Offer Up My Life*
Communion

RESPONSE

Closing Song *I Surrender All*
Benediction Rev. Todd Thomason
Postlude

KINGSWAY IN PRAYER

Remember to pray for:

Ruth Gregory (Humber River Regional Hospital)
David Gregory
Vlad Nuk
Pearl Thomas @ Burton Manor

CHILDREN' SUNDAY SCHOOL



We gather in the gym (Nursery – Grade 5) for an open session then separate to the following rooms:

Nursery Care Sunny yellow room behind stage
Toddler/JK/SK Room off of the Gym
Grades 1-5 Fellowship Room
Middle School Kingsway House basement

LIBRARY LINES



Congratulations to everyone who completed this summer's reading game, *Go for the Gold - Read!* Step up to the podium, *Ada Gregory, Rachael Pylyp, Micah and Nathan Freeman, Kenya and Thalia Syder, and Amelia and Jordan Gray.* You've got the gold, *Shirley Dawidiuk, Win Fisher, Pat Gregory, Edith Karpetz, Ramona Matthews, June*

Roberts, Linda Deterville, Leila Gummatova, Buffy MacGregory, Sue Pylyp, and Sumitra Robertson. Hope you'll join us for the 2017 version next June!

KINGSWAY THIS WEEK

Connexion Sunday today, after the worship service, in the Lower Auditorium

Monday, October 3

9:30 am Mom's Group (KH basement)
1:00 pm Knit n Chat (KH basement)

Wednesday, October 5

6:00 pm Kingsway Youth

ON THE HORIZON

October 13 Choir rehearsal begins
October 13 Thursday Morning Diamonds
October 14 Family Fun Night
October 15 rEcess

(For a complete calendar of events, check out our website and click on What's Happening>Events Calendar)

The Return of Family Fun Night! Life Sized Clue!

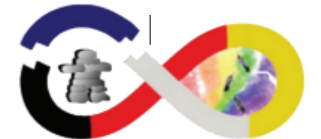
It's coming... Life Sized Clue Night on October 14, 5:30-7:30 pm!



Join us for pizza, games, and help the gang from Veggie Tales solve who took the Golden Ruler! Bring your friends, neighbours, grandparents... everyone will want in on the fun! Please RSVP to MJ to reserve your spot.

Resetting the Relationship An Indigenous Peoples Conference

October 21 – 22, 2016
Highland Baptist Church,
Kitchener



Expand your knowledge of the issues that are facing our First Nations communities in Canada. Come on the journey toward recognition and reconciliation. Registration fee: \$50 (includes conference fee and lunch) Register online now at www.highlandbaptist.ca. Co-sponsored by CBOQ, CBM, CBWOQ, South Central Baptist Association and Highland Baptist Church.

Baptist Women's Day of Prayer

Immeasurably More | praying the issues with sisters



Come out and pray the issues with your sisters! Canadian Baptist Women of Ontario and Quebec invites all women to a Day of Prayer conference on **Saturday November 5th** at

Mississauga Chinese Baptist Church. This will be a day filled with good preaching, workshops and of course . . . prayer! Our own *Meghan Matthews* will be leading 2 workshops.

Cost: \$25 (lunch is extra)

Register: www.baptistwomen.com and click on events (registration limited to 145 women) *Bursaries & child care to age 4 available*

Thursday Morning Diamonds

"Kingsway Welcomes a Newcomer Family." Join us at 10:30 a.m. to hear Ramona Matthews and Pat Simon share the experiences of sponsoring a Syrian refugee family. Bring a bag lunch. We eat and fellowship together at noon.

New Issue of Homefront Spiritual Parenting Available in the Narthex

Please pick up the October issue of Homefront today. The theme this month is Modelling. It's a great issue, especially the family activity on praying for fruit. Enjoy!

Sunday School Teachers Needed!

We are in need of Sunday school Teachers and Classroom assistants! Do you have a passion for sharing Jesus with kids and families? Please see MJ if you are interested.

Kingsway Choir Begins!



We will be starting our Christmas seasonal choir rehearsals on Thursday evenings from 7:30 - 9:00 pm beginning **October 13**. On selected Sundays, the choir will also be singing various anthem styles including hymns, blues, spiritual and contemporary!

When we sing on Sunday mornings, we also meet at 9:15 a.m. to prepare for the Sunday morning service at 10:00 a.m. New members are always welcome and an audition is not required. Just bring your enthusiasm. You will meet great people who are passionate to know and sing praises to God. You will also find wonderful fellowship and experience glorious satisfaction and pleasure for being part of a team creating wonderful music. Hope to see you there. Contact *Shannon Woolfrey* at shannonwoolfrey@gmail.com if you are interested.

Kingsway's Women's Christmas Event

Calling all Kingsway women: we are starting the planning for the annual Kingsway Women's Christmas Event, and would love to have some volunteers on the planning committee. This is such an amazing outreach event for our church and community and we are looking for help with food, decor, the raffle, ticket sales and help the night of. Our first planning meeting is taking place on Tuesday **October 4th** at 7:30pm in the Fellowship Room. Please speak to or email Shannon Carkner (shannon.carkner@gmail.com) for more information, or come to the meeting!

AVAILABLE IN THE NARTHEX

- Mosaic Magazine (CBM – Spring 2016)
- The Upper Room (September-October 2016)
- Homefront Magazine (October 2016)

COMMUNITY NEWS

From Matthew House – Join us on October 16, 2016 for the Scotiabank Charity Run! You can walk or run to raise funds that will make a lasting difference in the lives of refugees arriving in our city. For more information visit www.matthewhouse.ca

Mimico Baptist Church Fundraising Gala Night

Raising funds for the MBC Accessibility Elevator Project
Combined Concert and Sale
Saturday, October 22 • 6:00 pm
See poster in the narthex for more details.

FROM THE CHURCH OFFICE

Church Directory Update

We are currently updating our church directory. **If you are new and would like to be included in the new directory**, or if you have recently moved or changed contact information (phone and/or email), please inform the church office at rborja@kingswaybaptist.ca

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#### STEWARDSHIP UPDATE:

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| <b>September 25</b> | General Fund Offering | \$4,587.75        |
|                     | Capital Fund          | 50.00             |
|                     | Benevolent            | <u>262.00</u>     |
|                     | <b>Total</b>          | <b>\$4,899.75</b> |
| <b>Attendance:</b>  | <b>134</b>            |                   |

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MINISTRY/OFFICE TEAM

Senior Minister: **Rev. Todd Thomason** tthomason@kingswaybaptist.ca
 Children's Ministry Director: **Mary-Jane Clarry** mjclarry@kingswaybaptist.ca
 Youth and Young Adult Ministry: **Jon Matthews** jon@kingswaybaptist.ca
 Interim Worship Director: **Holly Froese** hfroese@kingswaybaptist.ca
 Choir Director/Organist: **Shannon Woolfrey** swoolfrey@kingswaybaptist.ca
 Office Administrator: **Rosemary Borja** rborja@kingswaybaptist.ca
 Custodian: **Jo Djenar*** jdjenar@kingswaybaptist.ca
 Interim Custodian: **Nathan McCoy** (n.mccoy89@hotmail.com)
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## Kingsway Baptist Church



**We celebrate our faith in God by reaching out creatively to our community and helping spiritually-searching people grow in a life-changing relationship with Jesus Christ.**

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