

Worship Service

Message: Rev. Dr. Todd Thomason

July 23, 2017

Worship Leader: Tim McCoy

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.

Prelude *For Who You Are* Worship Team

Welcome and Call to Worship Rev. Dr. Todd Thomason

Songs *I Will Follow
Unfailing Love
The Solid Rock*

Video *KidsCamp Flashmob*

(Children Invited to Sunday School)

A Reflection on Ministry at Kingsway Isabel Federgreen

Scripture *Acts 9:1-9* Craig Kennedy

Congregational Prayer Tim McCoy

Offering

Offertory *Come As You Are*

Scripture *Acts 9:10-19* Paul Lintner

Message *"Saul, Jesus, and That Other Guy"* Rev. Dr. Todd Thomason

(Silent Reflection)

Closing Song *Be Thou My Vision*

Benediction

Postlude

KINGSWAY IN PRAYER

Remember to pray for:

*Marjorie Friesen, Pearl Thomas @ Burton Manor, Ellen Perry
Joan Walker, Shannon Woolfrey*

Prayer Request

Tefera Maro has asked for special prayer for his wife Miheret Jego and her family. Miheret is in Ethiopia mourning the passing of her mother. Her illness resulted in a burden of debt for the family from the hospital where she was treated. Miheret's father is now on his own, and Miheret would like him to return to Canada with her, for a few months, so that he does not grieve alone. They are praying for discernment and clear direction as they struggle with the turmoil the family find themselves in. Tefera says: "The Bible says in James 5:16, (...The effectual fervent prayer of righteous man availeth much) KJV., let us pray as the body of Christ together, and we believe that God will give answers to our prayers."

CHILDREN'S SUMMER 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 1-2 Board Room
Grades 3-5 Fellowship Room



LIBRARY LINES



BREAKING NEWS! It's still not too late to join our annual Summer Reading Game – it runs until September 17th. Come to the resource centre to sign up today!

UPCOMING EVENTS

July 24-28 KidsCamp week 3
July 31-Aug 4 KidsCamp week 4 (half-day camp)
Aug 21 -25 KidsCamp week 5 (Bloor West Village)
September 9 Taste of the Kingsway
September 10 Kingsway outdoor worship service
September 16 Kingsway Prayer Meeting
September (date TBD) Staff/Elders/Ministry Team Leaders Meeting
September 23-24 Kingsway 75th Anniversary Celebration
September 30 rEcess Training
October 14 Pastoral Care Seminar

KidsCamp 2017 Week 2 Highlights



KidsCamp Week 2 was an amazing, incredible, fabulous and awesome week of hope, courage, direction, love and power! It wouldn't have been a reality without the help of our encouraging, creative and energetic Summer Interns, Senior and Junior leaders from Kingsway, and special helpers who selflessly shared their time and have gone the extra mile in making week 2 a resounding success. An extra-special big **thank you** to our very own Director for Children's Ministries, *Mary-Jane Clarry* for spearheading the KidsCamp and for bringing the love and joy of God to about 40 kids and 15 volunteers.

Please continue to pray for smooth operation of the camp, safety, merciful weather, tons of fun for everyone, and for kids to learn that they are "Made by God, Built for a Purpose".

Lemonade on the Lawn

It's that time again for Lemonade on the Lawn! Please sign up in the Narthex for a Sunday that works for you! Thank you from the Hospitality Team!



Available in the Narthex:

- Homefront Magazine (July 2017) – **NEW!**
- Upper Room (July-August 2017)
- Annual Report (2016-2017)

Homefront Magazine

New issue of Homefront is now available in the Narthex! Grab your new issue today! It has a great reflective prayer exercise in it. Enjoy it with your summer reading!

Want to Know More?

Come to the resource centre to borrow books about the Holy Spirit and the book of Acts, or borrow a Bible in a translation that you aren't so familiar with as Pastor Todd takes us through Acts this summer.

New Pastor at Martin Grove Baptist Church

Rev. Peter Harrichand was inducted last Sunday as the pastor at Martin Grove Baptist Church. Greetings were brought by *Ramona Matthews* as an elder on behalf of KBC. You may know that Martin Grove was a church plant of our own congregation in 1962.

Wanted: Summer Sunday School Teachers & Helpers

If you would like to have the joy of teaching or helping out in Summer Sunday School, feel free to sign up in the narthex! For more information, contact our summer intern *Alaysia Graham*.



Women's Christmas Outreach Fundraising Event Proceeds will support our own Jo Djenar retroactively on his mission trip to Indonesia!

Our KBC Christmas Women's Outreach Fundraising Event planning starts in September/October. The event takes place **December 5th**. We need ladies to help in the following roles: Team Leader or two Coordinating Team Leaders, food purchase & preparation, decorations, table layout and set-up, ticket design, ticket sales, raffles set-up on the day of event, music, M.C., someone to look for donated party favours. There are many ladies who look forward to this important Outreach Fundraising event every December. Proceeds will support our own *Jo Djenar* retroactively on his mission trip to Indonesia. Interested? Please email or call *Rosemary* in our church office.

PARTNERS IN MISSION

Making a Difference:

Jo's Outreach Vision for Adonara & Flores in Indonesia



The Mission & Outreach team is pleased to support that our very dear ministry team member, *Jo Djenar* is planning a major mission trip this fall to two islands in Indonesia, Adonara and Flores. *Jo* has felt a distinct calling to make a difference in the lives of children, youth and adults in these islands in a variety of ways. **Here's how you can help:**

- *Jo* has spent hours artistically designing one of a kind multi-purpose tote bags to help raise the needed mission funds. **Don't miss the opportunity to purchase one for \$50.**
- *Jo's* butterfly cards are back! **Purchase one set of 4 for \$5.**
- **Make a direct donation** (cash or cheque). Cheques payable to Kingsway Baptist Church (Designated: Mission Trip-Indonesia)

75 Years In The King's Way Update



Saturday, September 23

1:00 - 2:00 pm Great Hymns of the Faith, celebrating our musical inheritance, with our Casavant organ

Afternoon: Visiting, with displays throughout the church, memorabilia for sale, refreshments, activities for children, and boat races on Mimico Creek supervised by *Ken Froese*

Supper: Catered, tickets to be purchased in advance (email/call church office for details)

Evening: Music Jam

Sunday, September 24

10:00 am Worship Service and Communion, and honouring *Laurie Barber & Bruce Neal* as Ministers Emeriti
Light Luncheon, visiting and displays in the lower hall

FINANCIAL UPDATE: July 9

<u>General Fund</u>	
Plate Offerings	\$10,270.20
Summer internship	200.00
PAC Givings	905.50
Total General Fund Contributions	\$11,375.70
2017 Weekly Budget	\$10,266.00

Designated Fund Offerings:

Mission trip – Indonesia	225.00
Benevolent Fund	115.00
75 th Anniversary Fund	87.50
Total Designated Offerings	\$427.50
July 9 Contributions	\$11,803.20

MINISTRY/OFFICE STAFF

Senior Minister: **Rev. Dr. Todd Thomason** tthomason@kingswaybaptist.ca
Children's Ministry Director: **Mary-Jane Clarry** mjclarry@kingswaybaptist.ca
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Staff Vacation Leave Schedule:

Pastor Todd (July 31-Aug 13)
MJ (July 31-Sep 1); Jon (July - Camp Kwasind)
Holly (July 13-Sep 5); Shannon (May – August)
Rosemary (July 13-31; Sep 15-22)

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