

*We're delighted you're here. Welcome to the
historic, rural Eramosa Pastoral Charge*

*The Barrie Hill Congregation est 1832
The Speedside Congregation est.1845*

we're open. we're back. in person. welcome

Covid Precautions
and social distance
observed. Please
prepare to wear a
mask indoors.

**Whoever welcomes a child,
welcomes me. Mark 9:36**

Creation 2 Pentecost 2

Sunday, September 19, 2021

9:30a.m. worship at Speedside

Lay Reader ~ Doris Carney
Musicians Speedside Alyson Arsenault, Lester Hiraki,
Third Line Trio

11:00a.m. worship at Barrie Hill

Lay Reader ~ Tim Card, Chair of Worship.
Barrie Hill Music Mary Meads
Guest Musicians Barrie Hill Susan Spicer, Bonny Parkinson

EPC Children's ministry~ Bethany Parkinson

EPC A/V Technicians ~

Paul Knierim, Wesley Knierim, Jim Parker, Larry Webb

Worship PowerPoints~ Dave Wright

* Indicates an invitation to stand

Bold indicates an invitation join in worship with your voice

God Gathers Us

WELCOME

ANNOUNCEMENTS -

LIFE AND WORK OF THE CHURCH

ACKNOWLEDGING THE TERRITORY

LIGHTING THE CHRIST CANDLE

CALL TO WORSHIP

Come in -come in as we gather to
worship, in person and online, may
the peace of Christ be upon us.

**As we come together, may God's
peace rest on us.**

As we open ourselves to revelation, learning, music, silence, love
and light, and thanksgiving,

**May this time nurture a desire to
grow in awareness of the peace, light
and love of Christ in our everyday
life.**

Praising and singing God's welcome and
hospitality for all,

Let us worship God.

*(Adapted from Call to Worship by Stephanie Richmond, Greenbank-Seagrave P.C.,
Greenbank, ON in Gathering Pentecost 1, 2021, Year B, page 38. Used with
permission.*

GATHERING HYMN

Speedside ~ VU 595 "We are Pilgrims"

Sung by Third Line Trio

Barrie Hill~ VU 595 "We are Pilgrims"

Sung by Bonny Parkinson

OPENING PRAYER AND PRAYER OF CONFESSION

PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

Saying: "**May the peace of Christ be with you.**"

Or responding: "**And also with you.**"

Listening For God's Word

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

A TIME WITH THE YOUNG AND THE YOUNG AT HEART -
Bethany Parkinson

SCRIPTURE Mark 9: 30-37 New International Version

~ *Whomever welcomes a child, welcomes me*

MESSAGE ~ Rev. Lynn Hamilton

We Respond to God

OFFERTORY

DEDICATION OF OUR OFFERING

SPECIAL MUSIC OFFERED

Speedside ~ “Reach Out to Jesus”
Sung by the Third Line Trio
Barrie Hill ~ Musical Selection
played by Susan Spicer

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Prayer Song~ VU 400 Lord, listen to your children praying

Lord, listen to your children praying,

Lord, send your Spirit in this place;

Lord, listen to your children praying.

Send us love, send us pow’r, send us grace.

THE LORD’S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come; thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil - for Thine is the Kingdom, the power and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

We Go in the Power of the Holy Spirit

DEPARTING HYMN

Speedside ~ VU 422 God be with you till we meet again

Sung by the Third Line Trio

Barrie Hill~ VU 289 It Only takes a Spark

Sung by Bonny Parkinson

COMMISSIONING & BENEDICTION

Go Now In Peace spoken or sung by one voice or one household

Threefold Amen spoken or sung by one voice or one household

Go now in peace. Never be afraid.

God will go with you each hour of every day.

Go now in faith, steadfast, strong and true.

Know God will guide you in all you do.

Go now in love, and show you believe.

Reach out to others so all the world can see.

God will be there watching from above .

Go now in peace, in faith, and in love.

Amen. Amen. Amen. (Three fold Amen)

POSTLUDE

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~ THE END OF WORSHIP ~ THE BEGINNING OF SERVICE ~

ERAMOSIA PASTORAL CHARGE

The Barrie Hill and Speedside Congregations

For urgent Pastoral Care, call Rev. Lynn Hamilton 519 829 9024 - the voicemail is regularly checked.

According to our Western Ontario Waterways Region prayer cycle...

Grey Dufferin

ERAMOSA PASTORAL CHARGE
SPEEDSIDE and BARRIE HILL UNITED CHURCHES

Sunday, September 19, 2021

Worship at Speedside is at 9:30 Worship at Barrie Hill is at 11:00

Welcome to worship at Speedside and Barrie Hill churches led by Rev. Lynn Hamilton. A special welcome to newcomers and guests with us today.

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Please submit bulletin
announcements to the EPC Office by
Wednesday evening.

If you wish to receive your Sunday Bulletin and Announcements by email, or if you know of anyone who would benefit from the DVD ministry please contact the church office.

Church Bookings: *Speedside:* Bruce Miller, 519-822-1731
Barrie Hill: Jim McFarlane, 519-822-4997, jsmcfarlane@xplornet.ca

MISSION STATEMENT

Arising from a deeply rooted faith in God, known to us through Jesus Christ and the Holy Spirit, we, the people of Eramosa Pastoral Charge, celebrate that we are a Christian community striving to share our faith, friendship, fun, music and other talents. We do this through our unique rural approach to worship, Christian education, stewardship and pastoral care.

LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

We acknowledge that we are on the land of the Anishinaabe People in Anishinabek territory. We are grateful for their stewardship of the land and we accept our responsibility to be good stewards in this time. *For more information about land acknowledgements and Indigenous Territories please visit www.native-land.ca .*

ERAMOSIA PASTORAL CHARGE

Newsletter info due September 26th

Submit your summer family news, holidays, anniversaries, special birthdays, fall recipes and past/upcoming church and local events.

Folks really enjoy reading the community news.

Please send to jsmcfarlane72@gmail.com

***Thank you to Connect29** for the support of the re-opening celebration and the organization of the re-opening committee. Speedside provided an excellent BBQ and Chips and drinks, and Barrie Hill offered ice creams, waters, and the fireworks. Music was enjoyed at both churches, with Sue Baker piping at both, and Mary Meads offering music at Barrie Hill. Paul Knierim set up a sound system at Barrie Hill. Bill Sommerville set off fireworks at the end of the evening. Donations were received at both churches, and these were given to Wale Shamonda Gordon along with receipts for expenses. Connect29 will cover the difference. It was a nice way to celebrate the return to in person worship. Thank you for the support offered by Connect29 and the community members who shared in this fun evening.*

Save the Date!

Saturday, October 23 for a Covid Responsible Barn Dance at the Frasson Barn. Rapid Test kits will be available, and by then most people will have their Vaccine Passport ready. Contact Susan Frasson or another Connect29 commissioner to volunteer to help with food, set up, or financial donations. Any profits will be shared equally by Speedside, Barrie Hill, and Connect29 projects.

***Thank you** to the re-opening committee for their efforts to ensure a safe return to in-person worship. We are now in our second Sunday following locally developed protocols for our two congregations. Our on-line worship will continue. Barrie Hill's service will be recorded (as it was prior to Covid) for the DVD ministry and the on-line services found on the Facebook Page and the Eramosa Pastoral Charge Website. The team at Barrie Hill is learning how to use the new cameras, and how to take the 11 am service and upload it quickly to the Facebook page and the Website so it can be viewed. We are learning tons of new things, and*

hope that you will be patient with us as we develop our recordings. Next week the Anniversary Service from Speedside will be recorded for the Pastoral Charge. Thank you.

**Wednesday,
October 6th**

Connect29 meets at 7 pm. Stay tuned to see if it is in-person or by Zoom.

Note About Our On-Line Worship / Website Worship:

We are now in transition to using our new filming and recording equipment. We are recording the Barrie Hill Service at 11 am – and then converting the live music and preaching and service with the power point slides and other pre-recorded elements. This service should be posted by evening dinner if things go well. We will continue to create DVD's to be mailed out to those who do not access the service through computers or devices. We hope that you will be patient with us as we develop our expertise with this equipment. Our hope is to eventually also live stream our services. Keep in touch so you can find out about our journey. This pastoral service development has been co-ordinated by Connect29 and has received financial support from the United Church's UPFund. Connect29 fundraising, and our two churches in the pastoral charge. Thank you for your generous support.

Learn to Play Euchre lessons begin soon.

Dates and times coming soon. Progressive Euchre nights to follow this fall.

A pastoral charge community event co-ordinated by Connect29.

Please email the EPC office to include your name on the list

SPEEDSIDE UNITED CHURCH

Please sign up to be a morning greeter on the sign-up sheet at the back.

Lay Reader: Doris Carney

TAKE OUT Turkey Dinner At Speedside United Church
Thursday, Sept. 30th

Turkey Dinner with all the fixings plus Apple Crisp for dessert

Adults \$20.00, Children 12 and under \$10.00.

To arrange pick-up:

from 4.30 pm to 5.30 call 519 822 1731(Millers)

from 5.30 pm to 6.30 call 519 824 0055(Mandersons)

Speedside Anniversary is coming up on **September 26th, at 10 am**. Although it will not be like anniversary celebrations of the past, we want to recognize this important date. Rev. Lynn will be doing the service and all health precautions will take place. Hopefully we will be able to have juice and coffee on the lawn following the service.

BARRIE HILL UNITED CHURCH

Please sign up to be a greeter! Sign-up sheet posted at both doors.

Lay Reader: Tim Card	Greeter: Pat Weir
<p>Thank you to Paul Knierim. Mary Meads, Pat Weir and Bill Sommerville for their efforts to ensure the Barrie Hill portion of the Welcome Back evening was a success.</p>	
<p>Thank you to Susan Spicer for offering her gifts of music this week as Mary Meads is away from her position for this week.</p>	
<p>Thursday, September 30th</p>	<p>You will see in the sanctuary a display commemorating Orange Shirt Day – September 30th. Please join us in wearing orange to honour the healing journey of residential school survivors and bring awareness to the need for reconciliation.</p>
<p>Sunday, October 3rd</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">World Wide Communion</p> <p>Barrie Hill is offering individual communion wafers and juice in a special package so that there is limited touch and movement in the church service. Thank you to the worship committee for finding this resource.</p>

Upcoming Services of Worship at Barrie Hill

- World Wide Communion – October 3rd (we have safe individual elements for a socially distanced experience)
- Thanksgiving Sunday – October 10th
- Anniversary Sunday – October 24th
- All-Saints/All-Souls – October 31st
- Remembrance Day Sunday – November 7th

Barrie Hill's Anniversary Service – October 24th

For our Anniversary Service this year, Senator Rob Black has graciously accepted a one year delay and is our guest speaker for the Barrie Hill Anniversary Service in 2021.

Rob has worked in the rural, agricultural, and leadership arenas for much of his working career. He was involved in 4-H for 45 years and is a Past President of the Canadian 4-H Council. Rob was Ward 5 Rep. on Wellington County Council, a Manager of the Ontario Research and Development Challenge Fund, and President of the Ontario Agricultural

Hall of Fame Association and the Wellington County Historical Society. Rob worked with OMAFRA for 15 years, the Ontario Soybean Growers and was Executive Director of the Rural Ontario Institute (ROI).

In 2012, he received the Queen Elizabeth II Diamond Jubilee Medal. In 2013, Rob was awarded the Outstanding Leadership Program Director Award from the International Association of Programs for Agricultural Leadership (IAPAL) and in 2016, Rob was made an Honorary Member of the Canadian 4-H Council. On February 27, 2018, Rob was sworn in as a senator. Rob and his wife Julie live north of Fergus and have four grown children and two grandsons. We look forward to having him speak at our Anniversary Service.

Minute for Missions

Wondering what more you can do to become anti-racist?

“We commit to this work not alone but with God.”

Published On: August 21, 2021 (<https://united-church.ca/stories/wondering-what-more-you-can-do-become-anti-racist>)

Wondering what more you can do to become anti-racist in your local communities? You aren't alone.

It's one of the questions Adele Halliday, the United Church's Anti-Racism and Equity Lead, is asked a lot. *40 Days of Engagement on Anti-Racism*, a new cutting-edge program set to run from October 12 through November 26, is one of the ways Halliday is answering.

“I took the question to heart, mulled it over with colleagues, and an idea was born to invite the whole church to intentionally reflect on a range of racial justice issues in creative ways for a specific period of time together,” she says.

Each day for 40 days, heart-expanding reflections on anti-racism themes written by contributors from across the church will be shared on the United Church's website. These free reflections geared for individuals and small groups will also come with activities for children and families, prayers, and practical ways to take action in local communities.

What does Halliday hope the impact of the program will be?

“I'm hoping there will be engagement with advocacy, personal transformation, and continued commitment to work to become actively anti-racist not just for 40 days but over the long haul,” says Halliday. “We commit to this work not alone but with God. Ultimately, I hope 40 Days of Engagement on Anti-Racism will draw church members into a deeper understanding of God's vision for a just world and how they can live it out.”

Your Mission & Service gifts help support the development of awakening education and learning resources like 40 Days. Because of your generosity, the whole of the church will be blessed with practical ways to live into God's call to become anti-racist. And in turn, our world will become a more just and equitable place for all. Thank you.