

*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*



Rockwood Farmers Market - Rockmosa Park

*World Food Day Service
Highlighting Mission & Service*

“Food insecurity is rising because of climate extremes and economic slowdowns caused by the COVID-19 pandemic. “More people slid into chronic hunger in 2020 than in the previous five years combined,” says the World Food Programme’s executive director David Beasley.”

both our Eramosa Pastoral Charge congregations worship on Wellington Rd 29 RR 5 Rockwood NoB 2Ko every Sunday morning, and online at <https://www.facebook.com/barriehillunited/> anytime.

Sunday, October 17, 2021

9:30a.m. worship at Speedside

Lay Reader ~

Speedside Music

Glenda Rose

Alyson Arsenault

Lester Hiraki

Third Line Trio

Guest Musicians Speedside~

Susan Spiceer

Brian Arsenault

11:00a.m. worship at Barrie Hill

Lay Reader ~

Barrie Hill Music~

Martha Amidon

Mary Meads

Barrie Hill Virtual Choir

Guest Musicians Barrie Hill~

Sam Chyc & Kylie Chyc

EPC Children’s ministry~

EPC A/V Technicians ~

Bethany Parkinson

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

PRELUDE

WELCOME

ANNOUNCEMENTS - LIFE AND WORK OF THE
CHURCH

ACKNOWLEDGING THE TERRITORY

LIGHTING THE CHRIST CANDLE

CALL TO WORSHIP

One: We gather on sacred ground

All: On the rich earth that nourishes us

One: Under the great awning of sky that replenishes us

All: To once again listen to the voice

One: That warms our hearts say,

All: "Come, follow me."

GATHERING HYMN

Speedside~VU 291 All things Bright and Beautiful

Barrie Hill~ MV 12 Come Touch Our Hearts

OPENING PRAYER

Invitation to Pray

Friends, in John 4:34 Jesus says, "My food is to do the will of him who sent me and to complete his work."

Food is the source of our energy. What Jesus was saying is that the will of God energizes him to live out his mission. As we pray, we turn to God to replenish our sense of call and purpose. Let us pray:

God, the stories of our faith remind us that you are manna from heaven and water from rock.

You are the miracle of the loaves and fish.

You are our Bread of Life. You are the water of life.

In this hour, fill us up with your Holy Word. Energize us with your songs. Make us thankful, aware, and inspired: thankful for the universe that feeds us, aware that food is a sacred gift given to all and yet still withheld from many, and inspired enough to make a difference. Amen.

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

PSALM

Speedside VU 826/27, *Psalm 104* parts one and two
Refrain 1

Barrie Hill *Psalm 104* litany and music by Coni
Housman

from "Psalms for all Seasons" ISBN 978-59255-444-7 (Faith Alive Christian Resources)

Gospel Reading **Matthew 13:1–9 NIV**

That same day Jesus went out of the house and sat beside the sea. Such great crowds gathered around him that he got into a boat and sat there, while the whole crowd stood on the beach. And he told them many things in parables, saying: “Listen! A sower went out to sow. And as he sowed, some seeds fell on the path, and the birds came and ate them up. Other seeds fell on rocky ground, where they did not have much soil, and they sprang up quickly, since they had no depth of soil. But when the sun rose, they were scorched; and since they had no root, they withered away. Other seeds fell among thorns, and the thorns grew up and choked them. Other seeds fell on good soil and brought forth grain, some a hundredfold, some sixty, some thirty. Let anyone with ears listen!”

MESSAGE ~ Rev. Lynn Hamilton

A time for reflection

We Respond to God

OFFERTORY

DEDICATION OF OUR OFFERING

VU 537 Your work, many hands (sung twice)

I. Your work, O God, needs ma-ny hands
to help you ev - ery - where,

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SPECIAL MUSIC OFFERED

Barrie Hill ~ The Dawning of the Day played by
Sam & Kylie Chyc

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

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. Amen

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 296- This is God's Wondrous World
Barrie Hill~ VU242 "Let all things now living" played by
Sam & Kylie Chyc

COMMISSIONING & BENEDICTION

Go Now In Peace

**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.

A food blessing, a grace, a prayer of thanks for the Thanksgiving month

Recognizing our abundance God, today, we gather in ways that others may not be able. We enjoy the blessings of warmth, shelter, and provision. Thanks for giving us this time and a thanksgiving meal. You are The Creator, the Provider, so we offer you our first thanks.

And God, thank you for the family and the friends who are joining us as lockdowns ease up and we socialize more. May our conversations be bright, may we be grateful for each other, and give us the courage to be appreciative of each other. For those who cannot be with us today, we remember them and celebrate them in their absence. Bless this meal to our bodies. Amen.

ERAMOSIA PASTORAL CHARGE
SPEEDSIDE and BARRIE HILL UNITED CHURCHES

Sunday, October 10, 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
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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 .*

ERAMOSA PASTORAL CHARGE

Official Board Meeting November 2nd at 7:00pm
(The details of whether it will be in-person or via Zoom will be released closer to the date)

**Sunday October 24 at
1:30pm**

Online Hymn Sing by Mary Meads. Check out Facebook for event information

Learn to Play Euchre lessons begin November 10, 7-9pm



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

**Stone UC Foodgrains 2021 Pumpkin and Sunflower Growing Project
Wrap-Up**

This afternoon!

Sunday Oct 17 2-4 pm



Everyone is welcome to attend our wrap up celebrations and fun activities. Participants are asked to bring your pumpkins and sunflowers to Paul and Diane May's farm (5233 4th Line, Eramosa) for measuring, weighing and/or displaying.

Pumpkin categories include: heaviest, smallest, ugliest, best decorated, best carved and honorable mentions.

Sunflower categories include: tallest and biggest head diameter We will take photos of the sunflowers pumpkins and participants.

Participants may take their pumpkins and sunflowers back home, leave it to be part of our Great Pumpkin display or donate it for someone to purchase.

If you require assistance to deliver your pumpkin or sunflower please contact Tom Parker, 519-856-9255.



Barn Dance

October 23rd, 2021 | 7:00pm – 11:00pm



Enjoy a live band, snacks, drinks and FUN at this community barn dance!

In order to attend, we ask that all guests be fully vaccinated – vaccine passports will be required. To ensure everyone's safety, everyone planning to attend will need to pick up a rapid test the morning of the event from Speedside Church, complete it in the privacy of their own home and then bring it with the to prove they are negative before entering the barn.

We will do everything in our power to ensure a COVID free event.

For any additional information, please contact Susan at 519-831-6725 or email susan.frasson@wooddevelopment.ca.

To register, visit <https://bit.ly/CONNECT29-BarnDance> or use the code below.

Hosted by CONNECT29: Inspired by the rural and historic congregations of Barrie Hill and Speedside to connect and engage our community.

*Using the camera app on your smart phone,
hover over this code to open the registration site.*



SPEEDSIDE UNITED CHURCH

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

Lay Reader: Glenda Rose

BARRIE HILL UNITED CHURCH

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

Lay Reader: Martha Amidon

OFFERINGS

October 3-\$1191.00 (includes PAR) October 10-\$1531.00 (includes PAR)

Barrie Hill United Church CHICKEN BBQ DINNER Drive-Thru Take-Out Only

- 1/2 chicken
- baked potato
- baked beans
- coleslaw
- roll
- dessert

Pick up at Barrie Hill United Church
5702 Wellington Rd. 29
Saturday, November 6, 2021
4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.
ADVANCE TICKETS ONLY
Tickets \$20. each



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For tickets call:

Sandra 226-343-0367 or
Shirley 519-822-4997

tickets are also available to purchase at:
Swanston's Farm Equipment 519-856-9512
Ennotville Garage 519-843-4867

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

Making a difference in the lives of those most at risk

Published On: September 20, 2021

<https://united-church.ca/stories/your-support-there-when-disaster-strikes>

When emergencies strike, people need help right away. First with the basics—shelter, food, clothing—and then with rebuilding. Increasingly, people around the world are facing a variety of disasters. Climate change, health crises, food insecurity, and violent conflicts that forcibly displace thousands are just some of the catastrophes that affect millions of people every day.

The United Church is part of a worldwide network that makes a difference in the lives of those most at risk. United Church partners and ecumenical relationships in over 120 countries mean that we are on the ground ready to help in times of emergencies.

Recently, generous supporters have helped people struggling as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic, the devastating explosion in Beirut, and the earthquake in Haiti. From vaccines to hygiene kits to food to farm implements, your support is there when it is needed most. In return, our partners minister to us in a variety of ways, including spiritually.

The United Church of Christ in the Philippines, a Mission & Service partner, shares this prayer with us. Let us pray, together:

Most gracious and merciful God, amidst the din of howling winds above the noise of rampaging waves atop the earthquakes and the shaking of the earth we hear your voice: "Be still and know that I am God."

Yes, even in times when we are prone not to be still,
at moments when we are sorely tempted to resort to flight,
we hear you and we pause to listen and to reflect, to stand still
and recognize that indeed you are the God who is with us,
that it is not in the wind or waves or in the earth's tremors that you speak,
and that even when we walk through the shadow of the valley of death, that we
are not alone
that even when we are put in the crucible of a fiery furnace, that you are there to
save. In times like these, you speak to reassure us

through that still, small voice

through the concrete acts of solidarity of partners and friends

through those who lovingly stretched out their helping hands

to those ravaged by the storm


to those who are desolate and in despair

to those who are left with a threadbare of hope.

In times like these you assure us that we are not alone;
that we have sisters and brothers who are moved to walk the lonesome valley
with us. We thank you, for in times like these, your love and care are made more
manifest and incarnate,
made alive in concrete deeds of lovingkindness and compassion.

To you we return all glory and praise.

In Jesus' name. Amen.



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Go Define Love

When I wake up each day
let gratitude
stir and strengthen me, O God.
Let it draw me to goodness
and hold me there...
There, where your Spirit sings,
"Go define love today,"
and my heart chooses
to rise to the occasion.
Amen.

Mission & Service—*helping save and transform lives,
inspire meaning and purpose, and build a better world.*