

The Barrie Hill Congregation est. 1832

The Speedside Congregation est .1845

We're delighted you're here.

Welcome to the historic, rural Eramosa Pastoral Charge

*both 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.*

The Eramosa Pastoral Charge



Sunday, November 14, 2021

9:30a.m. worship at Speedside

Lay Reader ~	Pam Pletsch
Organist~	Lester Hiraki
Speedside Music ~	Alyson Arsenault Lester Hiraki Third Line Trio



11:00a.m. worship at Barrie Hill

Lay Reader ~	Ted Kent
Barrie Hill Music~	Mary Meads
Guest Musicians Barrie Hill~	Bonny Parkinson Lynn 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

PRELUDE

WELCOME

ANNOUNCEMENTS - LIFE AND WORK OF THE
CHURCH

ACKNOWLEDGING THE TERRITORY

LIGHTING THE CHRIST CANDLE

Call to Worship (based on 1 Samuel 1 & 2)
Come worship the Lord who is in our midst today.
There is no Holy One like the God of all peoples.
Like Hannah of old, we raise our voices
to praise the Lord of strength.
There is no Rock like our God.
We prepare to listen and learn
with open hearts and open minds.
There is no Source of knowledge like our God.
We trust that righteousness will come
on the heels of God's judgment.
There is no Justice like our God.
May the Son of our God lead us into faith.
There is no Guide like our God.
Come worship the Light who is in our midst today.

GATHERING HYMN

VU 703 In the bulb there is a flower
-Barrie Hill Bonny Parkinson

OPENING PRAYER

Holy One, known by many names,
expressed in countless ways,
there is no God like you.

In praise and thanksgiving,
we come before you

ready to learn of your will for us, and of your power,
ready to follow your path for our lives.

Through days of jubilation as well as dejection,
help us realize your influence in the world - your
light and love in us, and in the cosmos,

We ask simply for ears to hear, eyes to see, hearts to
feel,

and minds to comprehend

the strong, mighty, and gentle blessings you bestow.

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

Hebrew Scripture **Samuel 1:4-20**

1:4 On the day when Elkanah sacrificed, he would give portions to his wife Peninnah and to all her sons and daughters;

1:5 but to Hannah he gave a double portion, because he loved her, though the LORD had closed her womb.

1:6 Her rival used to provoke her severely, to irritate her, because the LORD had closed her womb.

1:7 So it went on year by year; as often as she went up to the house of the LORD, she used to provoke her. Therefore Hannah wept and would not eat.

1:8 Her husband Elkanah said to her, "Hannah, why do you weep? Why do you not eat? Why is your heart sad? Am I not more to you than ten sons?"

1:9 After they had eaten and drunk at Shiloh, Hannah rose and presented herself before the LORD. Now Eli the priest was sitting on the seat beside the doorpost of the temple of the LORD.

1:10 She was deeply distressed and prayed to the LORD, and wept bitterly.

1:11 She made this vow: "O LORD of hosts, if only you will look on the misery of your servant, and remember me, and not forget your servant, but will give to your servant a male child, then I will set him before you as a nazirite until the day of his death. He shall drink neither wine nor intoxicants, and no razor shall touch his head."

1:12 As she continued praying before the LORD, Eli observed her mouth.

1:13 Hannah was praying silently; only her lips moved, but her voice was not heard; therefore Eli thought she was drunk.

1:14 So Eli said to her, "How long will you make a drunken spectacle of yourself? Put away your wine."

1:15 But Hannah answered, "No, my lord, I am a woman deeply troubled; I have drunk neither wine nor strong drink, but I have been pouring out my soul before the LORD.

1:16 Do not regard your servant as a worthless woman, for I have been speaking out of my great anxiety and vexation all this time."

1:17 Then Eli answered, "Go in peace; the God of Israel grant the petition you have made to him."

1:18 And she said, "Let your servant find favor in your sight." Then the woman went to her quarters, ate and drank with her husband, and her countenance was sad no longer.

1:19 They rose early in the morning and worshiped before the LORD; then they went back to their house at Ramah. Elkanah knew his wife Hannah, and the LORD remembered her.

1:20 In due time Hannah conceived and bore a son. She named him Samuel, for she said, "I have asked him of the LORD."

Gospel Mark 13:1-8

The Destruction of the Temple and Signs of the End Times

13 As Jesus was leaving the temple, one of his disciples said to him, “Look, Teacher! What massive stones! What magnificent buildings!”

2 “Do you see all these great buildings?” replied Jesus. “Not one stone here will be left on another; every one will be thrown down.”

3 As Jesus was sitting on the Mount of Olives opposite the temple, Peter, James, John and Andrew asked him privately, 4 “Tell us, when will these things happen? And what will be the sign that they are all about to be fulfilled?”

5 Jesus said to them: “Watch out that no one deceives you. 6 Many will come in my name, claiming, ‘I am he,’ and will deceive many. 7 When you hear of wars and rumors of wars, do not be alarmed. Such things must happen, but the end is still to come. 8 Nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom. There will be earthquakes in various places, and famines. These are the beginning of birth pains.

Message

We Respond to God

OFFERTORY

DEDICATION OF OUR OFFERING

- VU 537 Your work, many hands (sung twice)

The image shows a musical score for a hymn. It consists of two systems of music. Each system has a treble clef staff on top and a bass clef staff on the bottom. The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 4/4. The lyrics are: "I. Your work, O God, needs ma-ny hands to help you ev - ery - where,". The melody is simple and hymn-like, with a steady rhythm.

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Special Music

Barrie Hill

“I’ve Got the Joy Down in my Heart” by George William Cooke
Sung by Bonny Parkinson with drum by Lynn Parkinson

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 VU MV 154 Deep in our Hearts

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.**

Threefold Amen

Amen. Amen. Amen. (Three-fold Amen)

POSTLUDE

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*According to our Regional Prayer Cycle:
Belgrave*

~ THE END OF WORSHIP ~ THE BEGINNING OF SERVICE ~

ERAMOSIA PASTORAL CHARGE
SPEEDSIDE and BARRIE HILL UNITED CHURCHES

Sunday, November 14, 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

Learn to Play Euchre Lesson November 16th 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

As part of our outreach to the greater community this Christmas season, we at Barrie Hill are asking for donations for kids lunches to support the Centre Wellington Food Bank. At this time there is a great need for items such as *drink boxes, pre packaged individual cookies or crackers, granola bars, dried fruit snacks*, etc. Please do not donate fresh fruit, veggies, and junk food like chips and candy.

If you wish to make a monetary donation, please make cheques payable to ‘The Centre Wellington Food Bank’.

The CW Food Bank will issue official charitable tax receipts to donors of cash or cheques to be mailed in February 2022. Place your monetary donation on the offering plate in an envelope labeled ‘Kids Lunches’ and include your mailing address.

Please leave your donations in the specified box in the foyer of the church. The last day for accepting donations will be Sun. Dec. 12.



Christmas Messy Church Cosplay
Friday December 3 from 5:30 to 7:00 pm

Dress up as a Christmas Character from bible, literature, movie, or comic.

Join us at Barrie Hill for a Christmas Pageant Themed Evening. Enjoy a simple, yummy, nutritious supper (veggie and gluten free options available). Craft and tree decorating will be enhanced with you wearing a Nativity Themed costume. 5:30 opening. Facial Masks required for some parts of the evening; social distancing will be in place for sharing the meal. Come and enjoy the fellowship and the celebration of the Christmas Season.

Christmas Eve Family Service will be available on Facebook and the Eramosa Pastoral Charge Service at 7 pm on December 24, 2021. Please share in our service of carols and readings virtually this year. We will have this virtual service to ensure the safety of all over the holiday season.



Sunday, January 2, 2022 will be a virtual service only – coming from Barrie Hill. Welcome in the New Year with this service available through Facebook or the Eramosa Pastoral Charge Website.



People on line or in the pews can help donate toward the placement of poinsettias and Christmas Greenery in the sanctuary and share names to be read aloud for our online Christmas Eve Service. To donate, indicate on your offering that this amount is for the poinsettia fund. Please share the names to be remembered with Eramosa Pastoral Charge office prior to December 19th so a list can be compiled. You do not need to be a member of the church to share a name.

SPEEDSIDE UNITED CHURCH

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

Lay Reader: Pam Pletsch

DRIVE THRU FARMER'S BREAKFAST at Speedside United Church

Nov. 20th, 2021 from 8 to 10am.

- Back bacon on a bun
- Baked beans
- Home fries.

Freewill offering.

Advanced orders only, please call 519-822-1731

In addition to the breakfast the Speedside Ladies are offering for sale, a box of assorted homemade squares/cookies for \$10.00.

These can be picked up at the same time as breakfast is being picked up.

Please pre-order these goodies when reserving your breakfast.



BARRIE HILL UNITED CHURCH

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

Lay Reader: Ted Kent

OFFERINGS

October 10-\$1531.00(*includes PAR*) October 17-\$1441.00(*includes PAR*)
October 24-\$1492.00(*includes PAR*) October 31- \$885.00 (*includes PAR*)

Council Meeting November 17th at 7pm via Zoom

Communion Sunday is November 28. Barrie Hill will be using the safe in pew communion cup / wafer. Please join us as Advent begins.

Our Barrie Hill church held a very successful drive thru chicken BBQ on Saturday, November 6th. This is the first year we had a sold-out event for our BBQ!

We want to extend a sincere thank you to all those who sold tickets for us. Connect Equipment and especially Alex who took time to call so many supporters and sell 230 tickets. Also, to Laurie Cargo Froom who sold and then picked up 59 meals and delivered to her friends and neighbours. Also, to Brenda, Jean and Shirley for their continued sales, as well as our Ennotville garage, for their sales of 250.

A big thank you to all those who gave their time and skills to help put on this event.

Brenda, Kelly and Bill for their hours making and packing 525 coleslaw, Pat Weir for picking up supplies at Flanagan's in Kitchener, Ted and Jean Kent for preparing and packing the baked beans, Alex Gilchrist for baking 525 potatoes, our UCW for preparing and packing the butter tarts, and Jean and Donna and crew for packing the 525 condiment bags. To Merv and Brenda and our family for packaging and serving the meals and keeping the drive thru running smoothly. Also thank you to all those who made donations.

As you can see it takes the wonderful support and capable hands of so many to host this event.



Participate in a day of exploring studies on the risks of suicide and available resources to support those in crisis.

Karen Smith will facilitate the workshop. She has a Masters of Social Work degree and Child and Youth Worker diploma.

The workshop will be held at Barrie Hill United Church. Lunch will be included. Access to a laptop / tablet / electronic device will enhance this workshop. A limited number of devices may be available for use by those not having a personal device.

Space will be limited to ensure an interactive learning experience.

QUESTIONS? Contact Tim Card: tim3card@gmail.com | 519 766 8814

Registrations will close on Monday, November 29th at 5 pm

To register, visit <https://bit.ly/CONNECT29-SuicideAwareness> 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.*

Hope Comes in a Syringe

Give the ultimate gift—the gift of life.

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(<https://united-church.ca/stories/hope-comes-syringe>)

For many of us these days, hope comes in a syringe. And Giving Tuesday on November 30—just around the corner from Hope Sunday—is a good time to share it. The COVID-19 crisis won't end for anyone until it ends for everyone. And in some parts of the world, no end is in sight.

Our Mission & Service partner ACT Alliance reports that out of all the vaccines administered around the world, less than 2 percent reached Africa and less than 7 percent reached South America. Many countries in the Global South and East won't even be able to start a vaccine program until 2022. If this continues, these countries won't reach vaccination goals until 2024...if ever.

Your gifts through Mission & Service continue to contribute food and relief items to those in need during the COVID-19 pandemic, enabling the distribution of personal protective equipment, and supporting programs to prevent and control the spread of the disease. Through the United Church's Gifts with Vision, we are offering an opportunity to give the ultimate gift—the gift of life. For just \$25, you can save a life (opens in a new tab) by providing a full vaccination to someone in the world who needs one.

Together we can make a difference. If you are planning to make a special charitable gift (opens in a new tab) this Giving Tuesday, please consider offering the gift of full vaccination. And thank you for faithfully giving through Mission & Service. Your ongoing support truly does help save lives.