

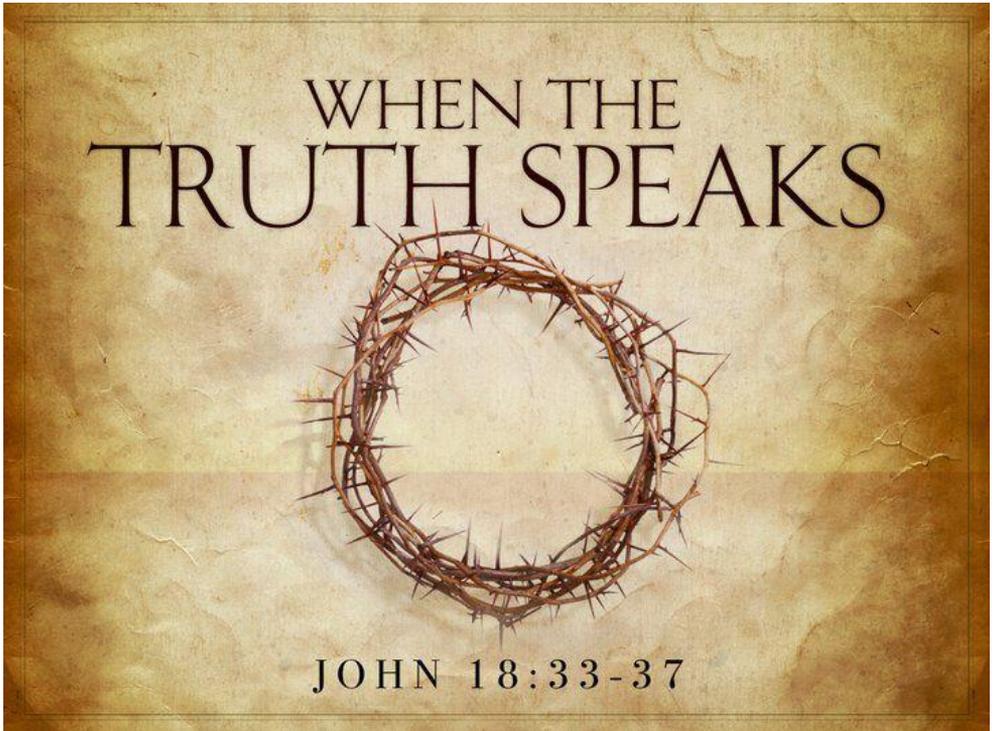
The Barrie Hill Congregation est. 1832

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 2K0 every Sunday morning, and online at <https://www.facebook.com/barriehillunited/> anytime.



The Eramosa Pastoral Charge

Sunday, November 21, 2021

9:30a.m. worship at Speedside

Lay Reader~

Janet Scott

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

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

ANNOUNCEMENTS - LIFE AND WORK OF THE
CHURCH

ACKNOWLEDGING THE TERRITORY

LIGHTING THE CHRIST CANDLE

GATHERING HYMN VU 608 Dear God, Who Loves All
Humankind

OPENING PRAYER AND PRAYER OF CONFESSION

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

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 132 The Magnificat

SS VU Page 855 Refrain 1 is on VU 854

BH “Once in Royal David’s City, When the King was in
Distress” words by Michael Morgan - Sung by Mary Meads

John 18:33-37 New International Version The side of truth
33 Pilate then went back inside the palace, summoned Jesus and asked
him, “Are you the king of the Jews?”
34 “Is that your own idea,” Jesus asked, “or did others talk to you about
me?”
35 “Am I a Jew?” Pilate replied. “Your own people and chief priests
handed you over to me. What is it you have done?”
36 Jesus said, “My kingdom is not of this world. If it were, my servants
would fight to prevent my arrest by the Jewish leaders. But now my
kingdom is from another place.”
37 “You are a king, then!” said Pilate.
Jesus answered, “You say that I am a king. In fact, the reason I was
born and came into the world is to testify to the truth. Everyone on the
side of truth listens to me.”

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

Barrie Hill ~ “All Creatures of Our God and King”
- arranged and played by Mary Meads

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 649 Walk With Me

COMMISSIONING & BENEDICTION

**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 present in all time,
Go now in peace, in faith, and in love.**

Three-fold Amen

POSTLUDE

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According to our Regional Council Prayer Cycle:

Mount Forest – Woodland

~ THE END OF WORSHIP ~ THE BEGINNING OF SERVICE ~

ERAMOSIA PASTORAL CHARGE
SPEEDSIDE and BARRIE HILL UNITED CHURCHES

Sunday, November 21, 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*

ERAMOSIA PASTORAL CHARGE

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.



There will be some cancellations of events in the coming weeks including:

- **Progressive Euchre on November 24th**
- **Messy Church on December 3rd**
- **Suicide Awareness Workshop on December 4th**

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

In leu of the White Gift Project, this year the Session of Speedside United Church has decided to support the **Christmas Hamper Program** at the Centre Wellington Food Bank. We reached out to the Food Bank and they informed us that the biggest need at this time of year is monetary donations. With these donations the staff will purchase "gift cards" and distribute them to needy families as a way of helping them enjoy a Merry Christmas.

If anyone wishes to help, please put your gift in a separate envelope and indicate it is for the food bank. You may then leave these envelopes in the collection plate or under the Christmas tree by **December 12th**. The Food Bank will issue receipts if you leave your information.

BARRIE HILL UNITED CHURCH

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

Lay Reader: Ted Kent

OFFERINGS

October 24-\$1492 *(includes PAR)*

November 7-\$1085 *(includes PAR)*

October 31- \$885 *(includes PAR)*

November 14- \$735 *(includes PAR)*

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

We are looking for pictures of events and people from Barrie Hill throughout the years!

The pictures may be included in the new Barrie Hill website. If you have any you would like to share, please email them to the office with information on when and what it is a picture of.

Weddings, baptisms, anything Barrie Hill will be welcome



Minute for Missions

A Step Towards Peace

“The grinding equipment helped me increase my income by 40 percent.”

Published On: October 21, 2021 (<https://united-church.ca/stories/step-toward-peace>)

One of the things we can do to promote peace is share what we have to ensure that everyone has enough. That’s why your generosity through Mission & Service supports economic development programs that offer things like micro-loans and business training and support to purchase equipment.

Leila Basheer is a 46-year-old mother of five who lives in a village in the northwestern part of the West Bank in Palestine. Leila’s husband is in poor health, which makes it hard to get by. Since she was a child, Leila has been preserving carob paste, which helps with upset stomach. Four years ago, as her family struggled, she had the idea to sell her carob paste. But processing it by hand is labour-intensive so she turned to DSPR—the Department of Service to Palestinian Refugees—for help.

“As I made some profit from local sales, I decided to expand. DSPR helped me out with buying grinding equipment that facilitated making carob paste enormously,” she says.

The outcome is amazing. Not only can Leila produce high-quality paste but her income has also grown. “The grinding equipment helped me increase my income by 40 percent. I look forward to buying a second grinding machine, this time to produce tomato paste,” says Leila.

Palestinians in the West Bank are subject to complex systems of control. These systems of control include physical barriers like the Separation Wall, checkpoints, and roadblocks, and bureaucratic ones like permits and closure of areas. These restrict Palestinians’ right to freedom of movement. The Israeli occupation has confiscated thousands of dunums (1 dunum = 1,000 square metres) of land from Palestinian farmers to build illegal settlements, bypass roads, and build the Separation Wall. Moreover, the checkpoints, roadblocks, and crop destruction create extreme challenges for farmers attempting to reach their land and their markets.

Every step we take to support families like Leila’s brings us a step closer to peace and justice. Thank you for your generosity through Mission & Service.