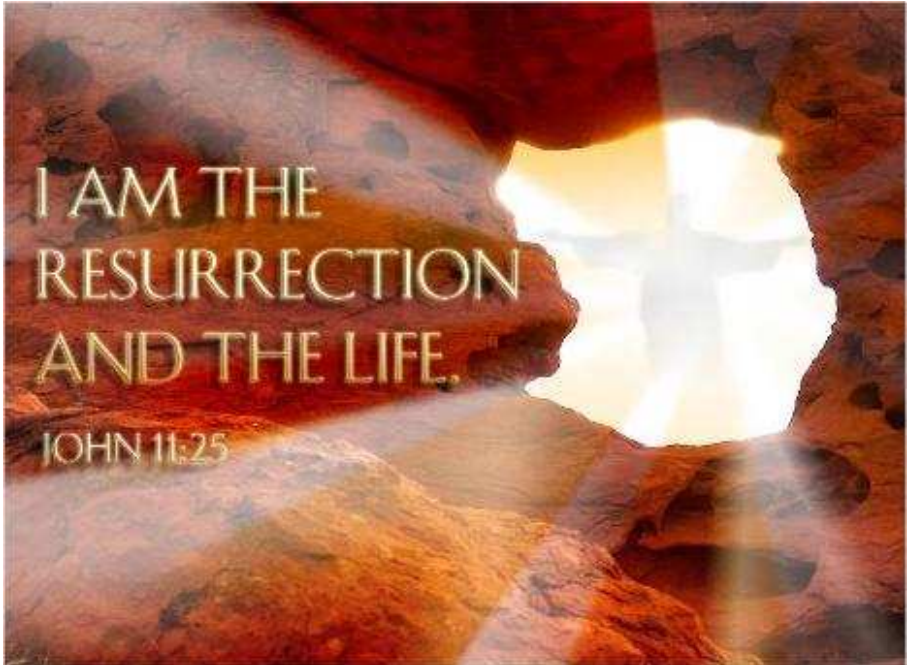


St. James'-Rosemount United Church

171 Sherwood Ave., Kitchener, Ont. N2B 1K2

God's Compassionate Community Sharing Christian Faith



April 4, 2010

10:30am

**The Sunday of the Resurrection - Easter Sunday
Communion**

THE APPROACH

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PASSING OF THE PEACE

ORGAN PRELUDE

Trumpet Tune

By Henry Purcell, Arranged by Phillip Keveren

Trumpet: Barry Daniels

*CALL TO WORSHIP

One: Christ is risen

All: He is risen indeed

One: this day God calls us to be people of the resurrection. Let us take our place in the procession of all who have celebrated Christ's resurrection throughout the centuries.

All: Amen! Alleluia! Let us live out the power of Christ raised from the dead.

One: Christ is risen

All: Christ is risen indeed

One: Let us worship God

All: Amen.

*PROCESSIONAL HYMN **157 Christ the Lord is Risen Today**
Margaret Shoesmith, Jr. - Descant

OPENING PRAYERS

SILENT PRAYER

One: Forgive us, O God.

All: And grant us Your peace!

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE WORD OF GOD

FIRST LESSON

Acts 10: 34-43

*HYMN

703 In the Bulb There is a Flower

CHILDREN'S STORY

PSALM

118, Parts One, Two & Three VU837

GOSPEL

John 20:1-18

ANTHEM

Glory to God!

from the Oratorio *Susanna*

George Frideric Handel (1685-1759)

Edited and arranged by Patrick M. Liebergen

Trumpet: Barry Daniels

OFFERING

OFFERTORY

Sarabande from Suite No.11

George Frideric Handel (1685-1759)

*OFFERTORY HYMN 537 Your Work O God

**Your work, O God, needs many hands
to help you everywhere,
and some there are who cannot serve
unless our gifts we share
Because we love you and your work,
our offering now we make:
be pleased to use it as your own,
we ask for Jesus' sake.**

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

SERMON

He is Risen

THE HOLY COMMUNION

*HYMN 459 Here, O My Lord, I See You Face to Face

INVITATION

CALL TO GIVE THANKS

One: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

One: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them up to God.

One: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

CHOIR SANCTUS **Sanctus (Holy is the Lord)**

Franz Schubert, Arranged by James Allan Dash

COMMUNION LITURGY

AFFIRMATION OF MEMORY AND HOPE

One: By sharing in this loaf and cup... coming again.

All: Amen, come, Jesus Christ.

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CONCLUDING PRAISE

**All: Praise be to God, the source of love! Praise be to
Christ, love incarnate! Praise be to the Spirit,
Love’s power. Praise be to God.**

One: And so this is our prayer. So be it! Amen.

All: Amen.

MUSIC DURING COMMUNION **Organ Selections**

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

*RECESSIONAL HYMN **173 Thine is the Glory**

*COMMISSIONING

*BENEDICTION

*CHORAL RESPONSE

Go now in peace, never be afraid
God will go with you each hour of ev’ry day
Go now in faith, steadfast strong and true
Know He 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

ORGAN POSTLUDE In the Cross of Christ I Glory
RATHBUN, Ithamar Conkey, 1849, Setting by John Carter

Large Print Bulletins and Hearing Devices are available.
Please ask an usher.

Please Rise in Body and/or Spirit when you see this symbol()
To allow those who wish to remain in the Sanctuary to meditate and pray, we ask others to make their way out quietly.
Please join us for "Gather and Gab" (Refreshments and Fellowship) in the Rainbow Room, following the worship service.

Thank you to Barry Daniels for sharing his musical talents with the trumpet during our worship service this morning. Barry is a member of Grand Philharmonic Choir and Chamber Singers. He likes to spend time in his woodworking shop making artistic pieces and urns. Barry lives here in Kitchener with his spouse, Sandra who also loves music.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

The Nursery is open for children up to age 3. All children age 4 to 12 are welcome to join the Sunday School program, which takes place following the Children's Story. Youth age 13 & up are welcome to either take part in the Sunday School program as helpers, or remain in the sanctuary for the balance of our worship service.

Please prayerfully consider a donation this morning to our ***Benevolent Fund***. An envelope has been provided in today's bulletin. Your generous contributions enable our ministers to offer assistance, on your behalf, to the members of our community who are in need. Please put the envelope on the collection plate.

THIS WEEK- April 4, 2010

Counters	Linda & Tom Smith; Marg & Jack Hockney
Greeters	Bob & Betty Morrow, Evelyn Shantz, Roy Knight
Ushers	Bob & Carol Snelgrove; Freddi McLarnon, Ken Gawthorn
Layreader	Steve Wardell
Gather & Gab	Evelyn Shantz & Vikki Tait

NEXT WEEK – April 11, 2010

Counters	Gail Campbell, Jack Hockney, Bob Hibbard, Roy Knight
Greeters	Fern & Ted Youngs, Donna & Glenn Thompson
Ushers	Bill & Millie Wilson, Roy Knight, Evelyn Shantz
Layreader	
Gather & Gab	Rosemary & Gordon Ambrose

Food Bank Items needed: Dry Pasta and Rice

PRAYER CYCLE for the Churches of Hamilton Conference –
Erindale, Mississauga in Halton Presbytery

PREPARE FOR UPCOMING WORSHIP SERVICES -

You are invited to read the scriptures. See how God's Living Word will become alive in you: Acts 5: 27-32, Psalm 118, John 20: 19-31



**In Memory of Family and Friends,
flowers have been placed in the sanctuary by:**

Dave and Joan Bird	Janice Bock
Teresa & Jim Carse	Lois Chambers
Francis Crandall & Marion McCarter	
Susan Cressman	Paul Crittenden
Gord and Shirley Double	Ken Gawthorn
Anne Hitchman	Joan & Wally Kaehler
Terry & Sandra Jardine	Connie & Ron Johnston
Harold & Gladys Johnston	Karen Johnston
Bob & Betty Morrow	Jim & Norma Mosgrove
Lynda Perkes	Janet Thiessen
Jack & Carol Wilson	Anne & Don Willcox
Dennis & Yvonne Wylie	Rose Young

St. James' Choir is looking for **new Choir members!** Please see Fran Crandell in the Rainbow Room, after the service, if you are interested in becoming part of this group.

Baptism & new members - the next scheduled date for baptisms and joining of new members is May 9th (Mother's Day). Anyone wishing to join the church, or wanting to have a baby/youth/adult baptized is asked to contact Rev. Paul or Rev. Wendy.

THE BIG SWITCH ~ Gentlemen ~ Do you own a blue trench coat that you've worn to church in the last month? Do you carry a pair of well loved gloves in the pocket of your trench coat? If you wore your trench coat today please check to see if it's a tad too big for you and please check your pockets. You will likely find one well loved glove and one brand new glove. The brand new glove belongs to Bill Wilson and the trench coat you're wearing belongs to Bill too. The well loved glove is yours and the trench coat that Bill has belongs to you - plus he has the other well loved glove! You can contact Bill at 519-576-1527 or see him today.

United Church of Canada Yearbook 2008 Stats Volume 1 (a thin green paperback book) is missing from the church office. Please return ASAP. Thanks!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

(Please see bulletin boards for more events and details)

MUSIC STANDS!!! MUSIC STANDS!!! The chimers would like to borrow nine free standing music stands to use for their performance on April 11th. If you have a music stand that we could borrow for Sunday, April 11th please let Ljiljana know or call Jan at 741-0061. Thanks.....Ljiljana says they'll make us sound better because we'll be able to watch her and not the tables. She's right of course!

UCW Unit I will meet Tuesday April 6, 2010 at 1:30pm. Our speaker will be Teresa Carse who will enlighten us about the Prayer Shawl Ministry here at SJR. All ladies are welcome to join us.

Hey Youth! Youth weekend at Calvary from Friday April 9-Sunday April 11. We'll meet at 7 PM on the Friday and go home after the youth-led worship service on Sunday morning. There will be swimming, Laser Quest and lots of fun!! Please RSVP to let me know if you're coming so I know numbers for food. Thanks! Meghan megwitzel@hotmail.com

SJR Reads - join us after Gather'n Gab on **April 11th** in the parlour to discuss our latest book club selection: "Three Cups of Tea" by Greg Mortenson & David Oliver Relin. Mortenson combines his unique background with his intimate knowledge of the third-world to promote peace with books, not bombs, and successfully bring education and hope to remote communities in central Asia.

Three Cups of Tea is at once an unforgettable adventure and the inspiring true story of how one man really is changing the world—one school at a time. Bring a bag lunch and join in the discussion. Everyone is welcome!

JEREMIAH - not the bull frog but the prophet. **Join us on Wednesday nights from seven till nine beginning April 14th for five weeks as we take a look at the Book of Jeremiah.** History, poetry and biography - an interesting look at an interesting time in the Old Testament. Please sign the sheet on the Narthex table if you plan to attend. Books will be available for this study. Call Jan @ 741-0061 for more information



We're having Company on Monday, April 12th! St. James'-Rosemount UCW will be hosting approximately 150 women from 40 churches for the UCW Annual Presbyterial Meeting and we need your help. Thank you to all of the people who have given generously of their time and talents and have signed the sheets outside the office door. If you are available on Sunday afternoon, April 11th to set up and decorate tables for our guests we need you. We need two people who are willing to do dishes, dishes and more dishes from 12 noon to 1:30 pm. on the **BIG DAY**, April 12th. We'll feed you, we promise! Thanks again to all who have signed up already! Contact Muriel Steeb or Jan Omand for more information.

Breakfast and the Olympic Games – Stephen Wenn of our congregation was an observer of the recent Olympic Games held on Canada's west coast. He will share his impressions of this historic occasion at the Men's Breakfast Club meeting to be held Saturday April 17, 2010 at 8:30am. Contacts: Art Gibney 519-576-6985 or Dennis Wylie 519-893-8497

Reel Theology - Monday, April 19th in the Rainbow Room. Join us for supper from 5:30pm to 6:00pm, followed by the movie "The Blind Side" starring Sandra Bullock - the heartwarming, fun and emotional story of Michael Oher, a homeless and traumatized boy who became an All American football player and first round NFL draft pick with the help of a caring woman and her family.

Discussion will follow. Please let us know you are coming - sign up online at <http://sjruc.ca>, or on the sheet in the Narthex.

24th Does Disney - Disney has partnered with Scouts Canada to promote a cleanup campaign, challenging Scouting groups across the country to help take care of the by focusing on our waterways and surrounding areas. The 24th Kitchener Scouting Family has chosen Earth Day - April 22nd - to do a cleanup blitz of areas around the Grand River. You, the members of SJR, are invited to join us. A light supper will be available from 4:30pm - 6:30pm; once you've eaten, you'll be sent out in teams to specific locations for a cleanup blitz. Bring the family - Together, we *can* make a difference!

COME AND HELP - ANNUAL CHURCH CLEANUP!!!

Saturday morning April 24, 2010 from 8am-11am
Many hands make light work!



MMMMMM!!!!!! Is that pie I smell baking? Or maybe it's cake???? It sure is making me hungry! How about you? Are you hungry for pie or cake? The Mission and Outreach Committee is prepared to satisfy your sweet tooth on **April 25th, after church** at our **Pie and Cake Auction**. We need "bakers and takers" so please watch for the sign up sheets to help make this a "Tummy-filling" success. Funds raised will go to the Local Fund of our church. See you there!



Celebrate - June 10, 2010 is the 85th Anniversary of CHURCH UNION. Join us for a bus trip to Toronto. There is a huge party being planned at United Church of Canada Headquarters in Toronto. Meet the Moderator, see displays, visit the Archives, attend workshops and so much more. \$25.00 for the coach bus (Great Canadian) transport. Please see the poster in the hallway for more details or see/call Ted Youngs or the church office for tickets.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Tue. April 6	UCW Unit I
Mon. April 12	UCW Presbyterial here at SJR
Wed. April 14	Bible Study begins
Sat. April 17	Men's Breakfast
Sun. April 18	SJR Book Club
Mon. April 19	Reel Theology
Thu. April 22	Earth Day Clean-up with 24 th Scouting
Sat. April 24	Church Clean-up with Property Committee
Sun. April 25	Pie & Cake Auction

The Waterloo Regional Police Male Chorus is performing a concert at St. George's of Forest Hill Church, 321 Fischer-Hallman Rd. (at McGarry Dr.) Kitchener on Saturday, April 10 at 7:30 p.m. Tickets are \$10.00, available from the Church Secretary (519-744-4751) or at the door. Benefits to the Soup Kitchens of South Africa. All are welcome to attend.

Used Book Sale – Friday April 23(9-9) & Saturday April 24 (9-1) at First United Church, Waterloo. Drop off Books, Movies, Music, Video Games to First United on April 21 (9-9) and April 22 (9-6). Call 519-740-5249 for more info. Proceeds to support local sponsorships

Anniversary Concert – Saturday April 24, 2010 at 7:00pm at Grandview Baptist Church, Kitchener. Contact Andy 519-742-4847 for tickets or buy them at the door. Proceeds from the concert will go to support Waterloo Regional Police Male Chorus Charity Travel Fund.

Fish Fry Dinner – Tuesday April 27, 2010 from 4:30pm-7:00pm at Calvary United Church, St. Jacobs. Advance Tickets only! Call 519-669-5912, 591-885-5012 or 519-664-2311 Take out orders will be available!

Zion United Church (32 Weber St. W., Kitchener) presents Christian speaker & Paraguayan harpist **Eduard Klassen** on Friday, April 23rd @7pm. Tickets \$10, available at the door or by calling 519-745-4026.

On Sunday April 11, from 3:00 to 5:00PM, **Harcourt's Adult Christian Faith Formation group, in conjunction with the Guelph Seminar, will host Dr. Peter Emberley in a lecture tentatively titled "The Religious Search in an Uncertain World."**

While part of Dr Emberley's talk will focus on the needs of baby-boomers, the predominant part of the presentation will reflect on why the religious search is so difficult for us living in an uncertain world. The presentation is free, a free-will donation will be collected.

Mama Kubwas FUNDRAISER for the STEPHEN LEWIS FOUNDATION "Grandmothers to Grandmothers Campaign"

Friday, May 7, 2010 - doors open at 6:30 p.m., dinner at 7:00 p.m. for location see mamakubwas.com or call 519-748-4355

An African Theme Dinner catered by "D'lish" & featuring Award winning musicians. Tickets: \$25.00 (cash or cheque) are available until April 22nd at: Ten Thousand Villages - 80 King St. S. , Waterloo The Silver Spoon - 217 King St. W. , Kitchener (across from City Hall) York Nursery - 1541 Highland Rd. W. , Kitchener

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