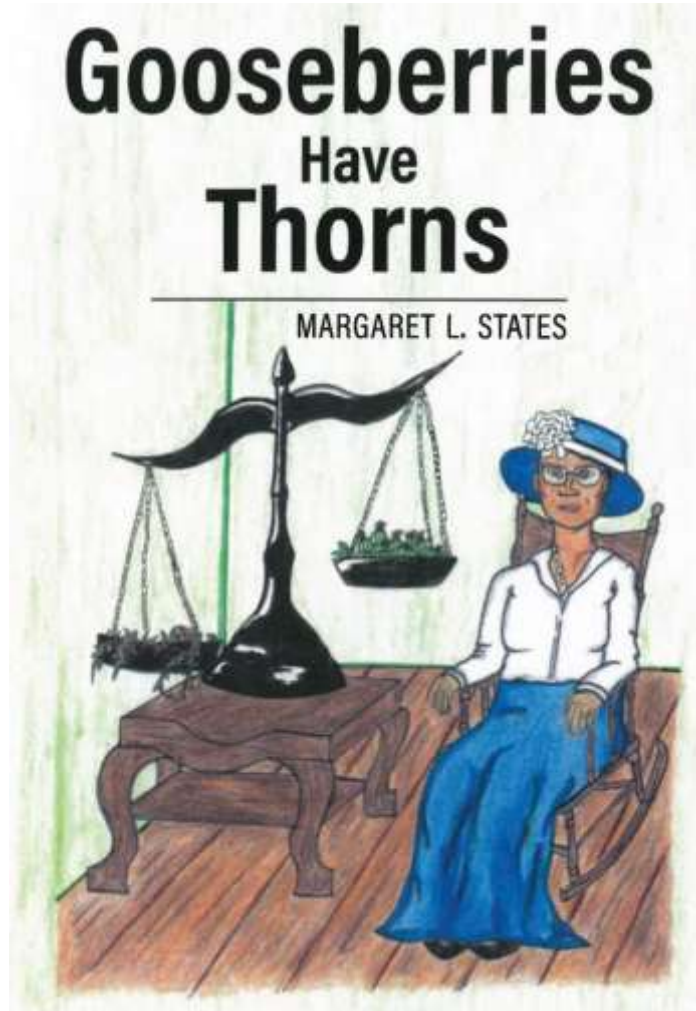




PARKDALE
UNITED CHURCH
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Sunday, February 2, 2025

Worship Leaders

**Huda Kandalaft, Bev Buckingham
Dr. Keith Hartshorn-Walton**

**Musical Guests: Parkdale Orchestra directed by John Kraus
Vocalist: Terri-Ann Wint**

Guest Speaker: Margaret States

**Sound: Richard Hamley Video: Grace & Sophia Kanawati
Slides: Rhonda John-Huggins**

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As a community of Christ followers:

We acknowledge that the land on which we gather for worship is the traditional, unceded, unsurrendered territory of the Algonquin nation.

We are grateful for their stewardship of this territory for thousands of years. Parkdale United Church welcomes all. We support and celebrate diversity, inclusion and equity with regard to race, colour, ethnicity, national origin, gender, sexuality, and level of ability.

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Our Vision Statement:

“To form followers of Jesus in such a way as to transform our community and our world.”

Are You New To Parkdale? To be added to our email list, please send your email address to Jo-Anne McGuire at pdale@trytel.com.

To sign up for our monthly eNewsletter, visit our website.

Please note: announcement submissions for the bulletin must be made by Wednesday at the latest. Anything afterwards may result in there not being room to place them. Please keep announcements as short as possible.

February 2, 2025

“Beacons of Hope” – Celebrating Black History Month

THE ORDER OF WORSHIP

LEARNING MORE ABOUT BLACK HISTORY

Black History through music - Every Tuesday and Thursday in February, host Angeline Tetteh-Wayoe will highlight a prominent figure in Canadian Black music history. From Portia White to Dubmatique to Measha Brueggergosman and more, these Black Canadians have made a tremendous impact on the music industry in this country. Tune into Canadian Black Music Trailblazers on [The Block](#), Tuesdays and Thursdays at 7 p.m. on CBC Music and [CBC Listen](#).

*please stand as you are able

Prelude: “3rd Movement from Sinfonietta” Violet Archer

Parkdale Orchestra

Life and Mission of the Congregation:

Huda and Bev

Greetings and Welcome:

David Odumodu

*Lighting the Worship Candle:

Larry, Chris and Edward King

Call to Worship: (Psalm 71: 1-6)

Bev Buckingham

In you, Lord, I have taken refuge; let me never be put to shame.

In your righteousness, rescue me and deliver me; turn your ear to me and save me.

Be my rock of refuge, to which I can always go;

give the command to save me, for you are my rock and my fortress.

Deliver me, my God, from the hand of the wicked, from the grasp of those who are evil and cruel.

For you have been my hope, Sovereign Lord, my confidence since my youth.

From birth I have relied on you; you brought me forth from my mother’s womb. I will ever praise you.

Come, let us worship God together.

Prayer of Approach

Bev Buckingham

*Hymn: **The Church's One Foundation** VU#331
Choir with Orchestra

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Words: S J Stone 1866 adapt. L H Stookey 1983, Music: S S Wesely 1864, Adapt. Words © 1983 The United Methodist Publishing House

Prayer of Confession: Huda Kandalajt

Words of Forgiveness:

Choral Response: **Halle, Halle, Halle**

*Hymn: **Jesus Bids Us Shine** VU# 585
Choir with Orchestra

Words: Susan Warner 1868, Music: Edwin O. Excell, Public Domain

Time to Wonder:

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 let us not fall into temptation, but deliver us from evil;
for thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever
and ever. Amen**

(children and youth leave for their programs)

WE LISTEN FOR THE WORD OF GOD

First Scripture Lesson: Jeremiah 1: 4-10

Shirley Rey

Gospel Lesson: John 4: 7-21

The word of God for the people of God
Thanks be to God

The Gloria: ***Gloria, Gloria in Excelsis Deo*** VU#37
Gloria, Gloria, Alleluia, Alleluia (2x)

Type: Words and Music; First Line: Gloria, gloria, in excelsis Deo!, Language: Latin, Contributors: Jacques Berthier, Taizé, Tune: © 1979, 1988, Les Presses de Taizé, GLA Publications, Inc. Text: Luke 2:14; Taizé Community; © 1979, 1988, Les Presses de Taizé, GLA Publications, Inc, One License #A733294

Special Music: ***“2nd Movement from Sinfonietta” Violet Archer***
Parkdale Orchestra

Message: **“Hope – Beyond the Dream”** Margaret States

Prayer in Song to Honour Black History Month
“Lift Every Voice and Sing”
Terri-Ann Wint with Orchestra
James Johnson, J. Rosamund Johnson, Stephen DeCesare, Tune: Public Domain Text: Public Domain

WE RESPOND IN FAITHFULNESS

The Presentation of Tithes and Offerings: Bev Buckingham

We are grateful for the prayers and financial support of Parkdale’s ongoing ministry. Please continue. You are invited to take some time at home to write a cheque, or make a promise to go to the Parkdale Website: parkdaleunitedchurch.ca. You will see on the home page a button/link that says “Donate Now through CanadaHelps.org”. Click on that and make your offering.)

Offertory: ***“Go Down Moses”*** Organ
Dr. Keith Hartshorn-Walton

African American Spiritual. Public Domain

Doxology: VU#541

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
praise God, all creatures high and low;
give thanks to God in love made known:
Creator, Word and Spirit, One.**

Dedication of Tithes and Offerings: Bev Buckingham

AND WE GO OUT IN THE LIGHT OF GOD

Prayers of the People: Jennifer Payne and David Odumodu

*Hymn: **For The Healing Of The Nations** VU#678
Choir with Orchestra

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Blessing and Sending Forth: Bev Buckingham

Postlude: *“Wedding” and “Troika” from Lt. Kije Suite* Orchestra
Sergei Prokofiev, Public Domain

ANNOUNCEMENTS – Feb 2, 2025

Annual General Meeting

Please mark your calendar for the Annual General Meeting Sunday March 2, 2025. We will be serving a light lunch after church in the Tape Hall, followed by the AGM. Note: there will be no Zoom link, and proxy votes are not permitted. All members and adherents are welcome to attend.

Parkdale Walking Club is still marching on - Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 10-11am in Memorial Hall, all of February and March. A small group of seniors and younger enjoying the safety and convenience of the Parkdale gym and plenty of parking. We are low level walkers/exercisers in a supportive group, with music and no real instructors. Come join us. Donations accepted.

LENTEN CAMINO FOR 2025

“Walking in the Light”

Finding the Light in Daily Scripture

Psalm 119 tells us that God’s word is a lamp to guide our feet and a light for our path. As we look ahead to Lent 2025 and our annual Camino Walk together, we invite you to let this passage inspire you to join us in writing daily reflections on the set out Lectionary passages. From Ash Wednesday, March 5 to Easter Sunday, April 20, 2025

Sign up here:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0C48AAAE22AAFBC43-54753068-camino>

For more information, contact Danielle Gougeon at

Danielle.gougeon@sympatico.ca



Parkdale Women’s Day Away

March 1st, 2025 - 8:30am to 3:00pm
at Manotick United Church

“Lighting/Lightening Our Way”

Self-care through Spiritual Practices

Join us for a day of exploring Spiritual Health and Healing through the things that bring us pleasure and peace. Spiritual Practice is not just sitting and meditating, but is looking, thinking, touching, drinking, eating, talking. It is creating and creative, solitary and shared. Every act, breath and step can be practiced and can help bring us closer to God. Together we will explore meditation, movement, music, prayer and art.

Cost: \$25 per person. Please register with the office.

's of Faith

Question 70 answer: The biblical image of the “people of God” connects the community of the Old Testament with the community of the New Testament. The church continues and renews the ancient covenant people through Christ’s fulfilment of a new covenant prophesied by Jeremiah. All believers are the people of God.

Question 71: What does it mean that the church is the “body of Christ”?

The answer will be in our next Sunday’s bulletin.

Here are some clues: Col 1:18, 1 Cor 12:13, 1 Cor 10:16-17.

See also: 1 Cor 1:2, 12:12-27; Rom 6:3-11; Eph 1:1; Phil 1:1.



The Nursery: is staffed today. Parents are welcome to use it for their babies and toddlers.



Christian Education & Faith Formation:

for ages 4-18

is offered during the service every Sunday.

Please Register online for Sunday school and youth groups:

<https://form.jotform.com/242651912769061>





The Junior Choir and Youth Band:

The Junior Choir meets before the service at 10 am, and the Youth Band meets after the service at 12 noon. *All kids are welcome.*



IGNITE: (Young Adults Group)

Our lunch meeting is today **Feb.2** after the service - 2:00 PM. Please join us as we study the Beatitudes through the book: *The Message of Jesus* by Adam Hamilton. All are welcome. Contact Jenna Bondo for information: jennabondo@outlook.com



Lunch & Learn:

On Feb. 23, we will welcome The Rev. Éric Hébert-Daly, The Executive Minister for Eastern Ontario Outaouais, Nakonha:ka, East Central Ontario regional councils. He will preach on Feb. 23rd, and will also be with us for a lunch and learn after the service in Tape Hall and will share some of his thoughts on the future of the United Church of Canada as it enters its centennial year. He welcomes conversation about how we might strengthen our communities of faith for future generations, as well as answer any questions you may have about the work of the wider church.

BLACK HISTORY MONTH CELEBRATION:

Free Concert at Dominion Chalmers 355 Cooper Street in honour of Black History Month. Sunday after church on Feb.16th from 1-2PM.

Experience the power of music as we honour the past, embrace the present, and inspire the future through this vibrant celebration of heritage, resilience, and creativity. For your free tickets please visit :

https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/free-community-concert-at-dominion-chalmers-black-history-month-tickets-1217266580109?aff=oddtcreator&fbclid=IwY2xjawIF055leHRuA2FlbQIxMAABHSzyskOpHIDjtbR4TAkeGNyB3qD0DlTHfnhOnaYArmp22S-AR0aaMddQ3Q_aem_zd6JKumwCHVI81_RmdMtDw



SAVE THE DATE: VBS - Summer camps are booking fast so we wanted you to know the date of our upcoming **VBS 2025**. It will be on Aug.18-22. We will reveal the theme soon. Stay tuned!



ATTENTION YOUTH 18-15 Years Old:

The Montreal Mission Internship is a 9-week Paid program (\$5000 for 35 hrs/week) for young people who are keen on exploring a call to Christian ministry within and beyond the walls of the church, stretching their faith, and challenging themselves to discover where God is at work in difficult places.

MMI 2025 runs from the week of May 26th, 2025 to the week of July 25th, 2025. Interns are expected to be in Montreal during that time. For more information on housing and other details please check: The Program — Montreal Mission Internship
Complete applications received before March 31st, 2025 will receive priority consideration.