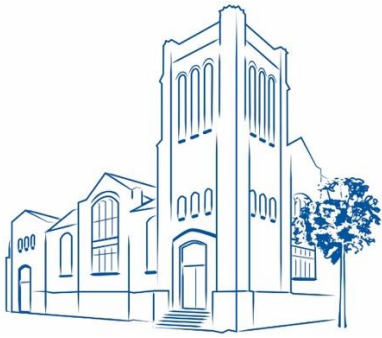
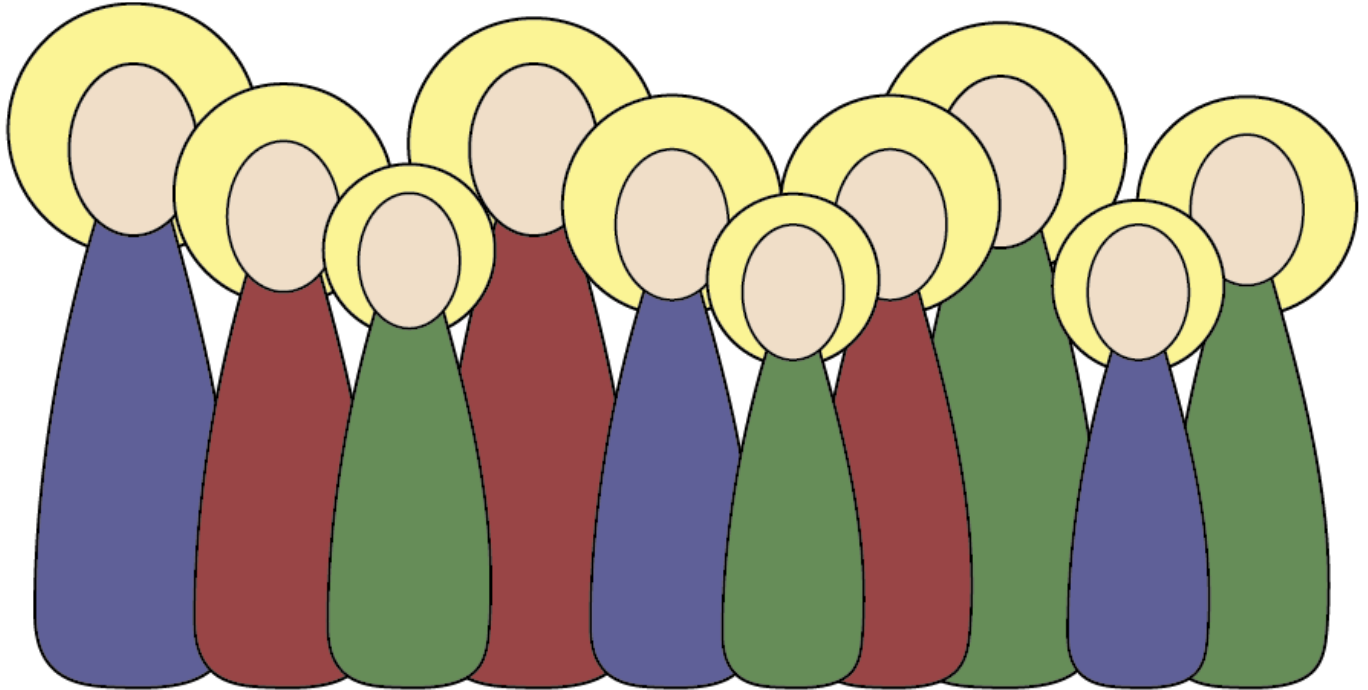




PARKDALE

UNITED CHURCH

COME • GROW • SERVE



Sunday, November 1, 2026 – 10:30 AM
Theme: All Saints | Humbled & Exalted | Communion

Grounding Words: “The potential good in us is still to be explored... so that we can become better human beings to ourselves as well as others. And I sometimes feel we’re only at the threshold of those discoveries.”

~Sir Patrick Stewart (1940-2026)

GATHERING AS COMMUNITY

**Please stand as you are able*

*This morning, everything you will need to participate in worship will be projected.
The lyrics for all the congregational singing, the prayers we pray together, or the
words we say together will be projected or printed in **bold**.*

Prelude: Londonderry Air CRTEC Guests

Welcome & Honouring The Land Rev. Bob

Congregational Life and Ministry Ministry Team

Call To Worship: Responsive | Projected Huda

Christ Candle: Julee Pauling

Gathering Song: For all the Saints VU#705
Piano – Dr. Keith

Gathering Prayer Julee Pauling

Embracing God's Love (Responsive | Projected) Rev. Bob

Sharing the Peace of Christ: (Projected) Rev. Bob

*As you're comfortable moving around the sanctuary, or as you connect with people
online, we use the words...*

Time to Wonder: Huda

***Children's Hymn:** Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us With Your Love
VU#593 Piano – Dr. Keith

The Disciples' Prayer (Leader | Projected)

(Children and Youth may leave for their programs)

ENGAGING THE STORY

Lectionary@Home: (All Saints Sunday)

Revelation 7 :9-17 ; Psalm 34; 1 John 3:1-3; & Matthew 5:1-12

Focus Reading: Matthew 23:1-12 p.1536 (New International Version)
Julie Lacroix

Anthem: Down In The River CRTEC guests

Sermon: “Challenge Accepted” Rev. Bob

Holy Quiet: A Time for Silent Reflection

BEING THE CHURCH THROUGH SERVICE

***Hymn:** We Are Pilgrims VU#595 Piano – Dr. Keith

Prayers For Community Julee Pauling

Sharing Our Gifts For Ministry

Offertory: What Wondrous Love Is This Piano – Dr. Keith

***Doxology: Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow**
VU#541

Dedication Of The Offering (Leader)

***Hymn:** I’m Gonna Eat At The Welcome Table TELUS#28
Piano – Dr. Keith

Sacrament of Communion

Sung Response: Holy, Holy, Holy MV#203

Sung Response: Memorial Acclamation MV#204

Sung Response: Great Amen MV#205

Invitation: Rev. Bob

Prayer after Communion (Unison | Projected) Julee

***Sending Forth And Blessing** Rev. Bob

***Hymn:** Oh When The Saints Go Marching In AAHH#595
CRTEC guests

Postlude: “March” from “2nd suite in F” CRTEC guests
Gustav Holst, Arr. David Werden © 1997 Cimarron Music Press, used by permission

Leading In Worship:

Rev. Dr. Bob K. Fillier
Huda Kandalaft
Dr. Keith Hartshorn-Walton
Julee Pauling

Special Guest musicians: Attendees of the Canadian Regional Tuba
Euphonium Conference

Audio: Richard Hamley Slides: Rebecca Fillier
Projection & Streaming: Tyler Botten

Greeters and Ushers
Communion Team

ANNOUNCEMENTS

This week as we celebrate communion, a special offering will happen for our **Benevolent Fund**. The Benevolent Fund enables our gift card ministry, supporting some of the most vulnerable in our neighbourhood. In 2026 we've seen increased requests for support by over 40%. Your support means Parkdale United can support our neighbours.

The **Men's Breakfast** will be at Fil's Diner,
1209 Wellington, at 8 am on Thursday, November 5th.



Thank you for your garlic purchases. We raised \$700 for the Canadian Foodgrains Bank, a food security agency working worldwide that is a 17 denomination partnership (including the United Church). Donations are matched 4 to 1 by Global Affairs. Garlic is already planted for next year's fundraiser.'



Last Week until November 7th Bazaar!

We are counting down the days! Please have your **donations to the church** by **end of day Wednesday, November 4th**.

Did you know we also have a **plant table** at the Bazaar? If you have too many houseplants and want to share, please donate them to the Bazaar and bring them into the church.

Please do a final search of your closets & attics. Maybe you can find such items as **Christmas decorations, dishes, kitchen items, utensils, tools, small appliances** in good working condition, **artwork, books, toys, DVDs & CDs, jewellery**, etc, etc. Just a reminder that we don't take furniture, large exercise equipment, and **no clothes**.

Please consider doing some **baking** for our **Bake Table** and the **Christmas Café**. Squares, cookies, bars, loaves, and pies are always sought after. You can bring your baking in on Thursday or Friday, Nov 5 & 6, before the Bazaar.

Thanks very much, I know it's going to be a great Bazaar with your help! The Parkdale Bazaar is coming on Saturday, November 7th!

Parking for Volunteers on Bazaar Saturday, Nov 7th

Again this year we have secured **parking for the volunteers on Bazaar Saturday** at the **Parkdale Baptist Church** at the corner of Parkdale & Tyndale and at St. Albertus Church. We will have parking permits for these 2 lots for you to use. There is also parking on the streets and at Connaught School off of Rosemount. **Please do not park in the Parkdale lots. Let's keep them open for our shoppers.**

Thank you!

Parkdale's Online Auction

Our Online Auction will start November 7th and you'll be able to see some of the auction items displayed at the Bazaar. The auction will be live for a couple of weeks for you to put in your bids. Watch for the auction link to come out Friday Nov 6th.



Thanks, Judy Hamley, Convenor, Christmas Bazaar & Online Auction
bazaar@parkdaleunitedchurch.ca

IN FROM THE COLD starts Saturday, November 14, 2026.

Do we need volunteers? Yes!

(1) Clean-Up Anchors - who clean-up at 6:00 and leave the kitchen & Tape Hall area "spotless".

(2) When our General Secretary of the United Church of Canada visited us, he spent the entire evening with our In From The Cold guests, and enjoyed a meal at their table. Rev. Bob thought it was a good compassionate thing to do and wonders if this is something that any of our members would be interested in doing. If this is something that would be of interest to you, please get in touch with Rev. Bob at revbob@parkdaleunitedchurch.ca

Parkdale Presents: Concerts in the Sanctuary

Dec 19 Ottawa Guitar trio Christmas concert

See Keith for details

Other Notable Concerts in the Sanctuary

November 14th – Parkdale Orchestra – “Passport to Music”

December 5th – Centrales Concert Band

December 12th – Parkdale Orchestra – “Christmas at Parkdale”



Nursery: is staffed today and welcomes all toddlers and babies.



Sunday School: Welcome to all the children and youth. Children will have their classes after the Time to Wonder. We follow our safety plan for Sunday school and youth groups classes. We had a fire drill in



September and will have another one during the year. Children and youth will be escorted to their classes and parents can sign them out right after church from their classrooms. Rehearsals for our Christmas Play

“Following Yonder Star” will start on Nov.15. Christmas Play Sunday is Dec.13. please ensure your children are there on Sundays to practice their roles. Please fill the registration form to register in Sunday School and youth groups.

<https://form.jotform.com/262584797999286>



Senior Youths (Grade 9-12) will meet in the Upper Room. **Junior Youths (Grade 6-8)** will meet in the Friendship lounge.



The Junior Choir and the Youth band welcome new members. Please join us. **The Junior Choir** will meet on Sundays at 10:00 AM in the Upper Room.

The Youth Band: will be welcoming new members. Do you play an instrument? Want to play an instrument? Let keith@parkdaleunitedchurch.ca know which instrument you will be playing.



Kids' Church: is a time for young families with toddlers and young ones to have a simple worship followed by crafts time and potluck supper. Our next meeting is Saturday Nov. 7 @ 5:00-7:00 PM. **Registration Required by Nov.1st.** Please email Huda@parkdaleunitedchurch.ca. All are welcome.



Third Sundays of the month Pizza, Games & Gym! Whether you prefer a board game in the upper room or a ball game in the gym, young families are welcome to join us from 12:30-3:00 PM every third Sunday of the month. Bring your favorite board or card game. **Nov.15, Dec.20. Registration is required by Nov 7.** Please email about numbers and food allergies huda@parkdaleunitedchurch.ca.

Upcoming Worship Experiences

November 1: Celebrate Communion - Special Benevolent Fund
Offering - End of Daylight Saving Time

November 8: Remembrance Sunday

November 15: Theme: Money & Motivation,
Parkdale Orchestra

November 22: Theme: Served and Serving with Dalesong
+ Reign of Christ Sunday

November 29: Advent 1 and Cantata Sunday

PARKDALE UNITED CHURCH MINISTRY TEAM

Ministry Staff:

Rev. Dr. Bob K. Fillier - *Coordinating Minister*

revbob@parkdaleunitedchurch.ca (available Monday-Thursday)

Huda Kandalaft Kanawati - *CDM for Youth and Families*

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Dr. Keith Hartshorn-Walton - *Music and Worship Arts Director*

keith@parkdaleunitedchurch.ca (available by appointment)

Julee Pauling - *Minister of Cooperative Ministries for Dominion-Chalmers and
Parkdale United Churches*

julee@parkdaleunitedchurch.ca (available by appointment)

Rebecca Fillier - *Communications Manager*

rebecca@parkdaleunitedchurch.ca (available by appointment)

Church Staff:

Emile Malboeuf - *Caretaker & Custodian*

[contact the office](#) (available Sunday - Monday and Wednesday - Friday)

Jo-Anne McGuire - *Office Manager*

pdale@trytel.com (available Monday - Friday)