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WELCOME & PRAYER

GOSPEL & MESSAGE Matthew 26:17-20; 26-30 Christian Standard Bible

CONGREGATION'S VOICE Praise to the Lord, The Almighty Hymn 859

ORGAN & PIANO Meditation from Thais - Jules Massenet

Nancy Jackman & Ross McDonald

Keyboard Duo

SCRIPTURE Psalm 150 - George Black Setting Wendy Inch





ORGAN & PIANO Eighteenth Variation from Rapsodie

on Theme of Paganini, Opus 43, -

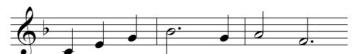
Sergie Rachmaninoff

Nancy Jackman, Ross McDonald

Keyboard Duo

Psalm 92 – George Black Setting **SCRIPTURE** 

Wendy Inch



The just grow tall like palm trees,



CONGREGATION'S VOICE When Long Before Time

Hymn 861

(The Singer And The Song)

Pie Jesu VOCAL SOLO

Wendy Inch

Andrew Lloyd Webber

CONGREGATION'S VOICE

When Our Song Says Peace

Hymn 709

ORGAN & PIANO

Nessun Dorma from Turandot -

Giacomo Puccini

Nancy Jackman & Ross McDonald

Keyboard Duo

CONGREGATION'S VOICE Crown Him with Many Crowns Hymn 855

#### SERVING THIS MORNING

Musicians Ross McDonald & Nancy Jackman

Cantor & Soloist Wendy Inch Rob Inch Percussion

Greeters Francis Hinnah & Family

Coffee Hosts Nancy Manners

#### **PARISH NOTICES**

WELCOME We are happy that you have chosen to join us today. You have increased our joy with your presence and we hope you will return again soon.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENT ANNIVERSARY SUNDAY This morning Ross McDonald and Nancy Jackman will share their talents with us as they play beautiful music on our 9' Yamaha Grand Piano. We have enjoyed this great instrument for the past 11 years. Also, we celebrate the 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary of our Casavant Pipe Organ. Join us as we sing and celebrate the glory of God through music. Soli Deo Gloria.

FLOWER CHART If you would like to provide flowers for the altar on a specific day, please add your name to the sign-up sheet next to the Pastor's office.

SENIORS' WORSHIP &LUNCHEON Please join us for our first Seniors' Worship and Luncheon of the year this Tuesday, 16 April, at 11:30 am. You are welcome to bring along a friend. See you there!

MEN'S CLUB BREAKFAST & MEETING We will have our next Men's Club Breakfast and Meeting on Saturday 20 April at 9 am. Our speaker will be Lillian Kluka, the first female captain on the Great Lakes. During her career she worked on the lakes, the St. Lawrence Seaway system, the Atlantic and the Arctic then to the Great Lakes Pilotage Authority, becoming the first female marine pilot in Canada. All are welcome.

ALL AGES EARTH DAY SERVICE All are welcome to join us for this special worship on Sunday 21 April to mark Earth Day 2024. The youth & Kid's Club will be selling plants for the Trinity garden beds and sweets/desserts for your taste buds. This is a fundraiser. After worship we are also holding a Baked Potato Bar lunch with all the fixing you might want. Freewill donation will help fund Trinity's new roof.

ELW AT REDEEMER invite the women from Trinity to their meeting on Tuesday 14 May at 1:30 pm, 1 Frank Place, to learn more about the "Red Dress Journey". This is an interactive display of the Eastern Synod's "Circle for Reconciliation and Justice". This will shine a light on the impact of Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women, Girls and Two Spirit People.

LONDON FOOD BANK Non-perishable food donations for the London Food Bank are always appreciated. Items can be placed in the grocery cart and we will be sure to deliver them to the Food Bank for those in need in our community.

MY SISTERS' PLACE is in need of several items including moisturizer, lip balm, feminine hygiene products & small gift items. Please leave items in the box in the Fellowship Hall.

ELCIC SCHOLARSHIP The ELCIC Scholarship is now available for the 2024-2025 academic year. Information can be found in the Trinity Times and on our website. Applications are available in the church office and must be submitted to the ELCIC by 31 May.

TRINITY BURSARIES Applications for the Trinity Bursaries are also available from the church office and are to be into the church office **no** later than 31 May.

#### IN OUR PRAYERS

If you or a family member is going into hospital, please let us know so that the Pastor can plan to visit - We pray for those who are ill especially Fred, Doug, Geraldine, Dennis and Julia, Rosemary, Marg, Steve & Jean, Don, Mary Anne and Kathy.

We also pray for healing and comfort for those close to our congregation as we name - Pastor Robert Hutchison, at home; Ann Stevenson, sister of Pastor Steve; Ashley Hyatt and Carole Dowset, friends of the Becker family and Flora Becker, mother of Ed; Mike Drogemuller, son of Barbara; Richard Jackman, husband of Nancy; Deborah & Bobby, daughter and son of Sharon Mantle; and Stephanie Caers, Friend of the Cooper family. Also, Edward Schmidt, brother of Fred; Lois Baillie, sister of Jean Hohnstein; Steve Hodgins, son-in-law of Linda Reynolds.

We pray for all for all those in the Thames Ministry Area especially Pastor Paul Sodtke and the members of Peace Christian Fellowship, Chatham

### 11th ANNIVERSARY OF THE YAMAHA 9' CONCERT GRAND PIANO

At 9 feet long, this is the largest piano in any London church and we became the 3<sup>rd</sup> owner since its manufacture in the late 1970s. A church in St. Thomas was moving to use only praise band music for their worship. The piano had been in storage for a few years. We held the dedication of this beautiful piano on 10<sup>th</sup> April 2013. Check the website for the video.

It is a top quality CONCERT piano and is sought after by the Kiwanis Music Festival and this year is being used for the Young-Ja Park Memorial Piano Competition on 25th April. Over the past 11 years we have had around 1000 piano players at various levels compete on those 88 keys. Today Nancy and I will be playing, MEDITATION from THAIS by Jules Massenet, NESSUN DORMA from TURANDOT by Giacomo Puccini and EIGHTEENTH VARIATION from RAPSODIE ON A THEME OF PAGANINI, Opus 43 by Sergie Rachmaninoff.

22<sup>nd</sup> ANNIVERSARY - 3<sup>RD</sup> ITERATION - CASAVANT PIPE ORGAN
The first Casavant organ was replaced by a much larger 2 manual Casavant. In 2002 the organ was upgraded with a fuller console (the one you can see now) to include three 61-key manuals as well as a digital system to allow for synthesised sound generation. The 2 manual console is still in operation up in the balcony. Today we are also marking and recognizing that 3<sup>rd</sup> iteration anniversary.

For this 3<sup>rd</sup> iteration, Hugh Drogemuller booked the renowned concert organist Dr. Thomas Murray from Yale University USA to play the Inaugural Organ Concert, Friday January 26, 2001. He played a concert of classical and transcription genres of music. Hugh knew me through London Centre of the London Royal Canadian College of Organists and asked me to play a second Organ Concert April 27th, 2002. I played a transcription and theatre organ type program of music from stage and silver screen.

These two concerts were to show the "second to none" versatility of this organ that can play all genres of music, from Lutheran Liturgical, Traditional, Gospel, Contemporary, to Concert Classical, Transcription, Theater Organ and everything else in-between types of music. Hugh had this organ designed with all the resources including MIDI (digital stuff) to never become obsolete. The results are spectacular. Later that year, I became the Director of Music at Trinity in September 2002 and get to play these wonderful instruments every week. They are a joy to hear and a delight to play.

The organ and piano are not only fine instruments for our congregation, but for our city of London and our province of Ontario. They have provided, and will continue to provide, wonderful musical opportunities and experiences. They have been a blessing to all who hear them.

We pray that God will bless the music made from these instruments in this church, bless the musicians who create the music and use it to his glory.

Soli Deo Gloria Ross McDonald