



BBC News

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Sunday, November 12, 2017



to **Burlington Baptist Church**. We pray you will find our fellowship warm and our worship meaningful. Guests are encouraged to sign one of our guest books before leaving. Regular and large print bulletins, and hearing-assist devices, are available. Everyone is invited to stay for fellowship and refreshment following the service.

All children are invited to come forward for a **Children's Time** in our service. Then, following a prayer, they will leave us to attend Sunday School. There are activities for children on the table at the east entrance, to your right when seated in the sanctuary.

Our **Greeters** today are Irene Meace and Vel Knott (West Door) and Murray and Mark Hugill (East Door), the **Welcome Associates** are Nandy Vista and Al Stockwell, and the **Tellers** are Jim Nowlan and Miles Ross.

The flowers in the Sanctuary this morning are placed to the Glory of God and in honour of Dick McMillin and Norm Allen, who served their country and their families faithfully.

Coming Events

1. **Monday, November 13: Jessie Woelfle Mission Circle** meet 1.30pm in the Sanctuary. All are welcome to join us.
2. **Monday, November 13: Property & Finance Meeting** 7.00pm in the Sanctuary.
3. **Monday, November 20: 'Families on the Outside'** Information session on the mental health of families with someone in jail and our community safety. 1.00-4.00pm at Halton Regional Centre, 1151 Bronte Road, Oakville. RSVP (888) 371-2326
4. **Tuesday, November 14: Adult Study Course** 2.00pm to 4.00pm in the Upper Room. The Adult Study meets in the Upper Room every Tuesday until Dec. 5. We are undertaking a review of Comparative Religion, a Teaching Company course taught by Professor Charles Kimball. For more information, see Lorne Ogden.

5. **Tuesday, November 14: CCOT Meeting** 7.00pm in Pastor's Study.
6. **Tuesday, November 14: Learning & Spiritual Growth Team** 7.00pm in The Upper Room.
7. **Wednesday, November 15: *Circle of Friends* (CoF)** 11.00am in the Sanctuary. Please contact **Mae Radford** 905-333-4065, **Dawn Yarker** or **Bill Woodland** if you have a question and/or if you wish to help.
8. **Wednesday, November 15: Ubuntu Grandwomen** meet 7.00pm in the Sanctuary.
9. **Thursday, November 16: Choir Practice** - Join us in the Sanctuary **from 7.00pm to 9.00pm** to sing the praises of the Creator of Life. All are welcome and needed.
10. **Thursday, November 16: 'Living with Urban Wildlife'**. Brenda Van Ryswyk (a Natural Heritage Ecologist at Conservation Halton) will be guest speaker at Holy Cross Lutheran Church, 3455 Lakeshore Rd: 7.00pm.
11. **Thursday, November 16, Canada's 150th Multi-Faith Celebration**, opening Event and Exhibits at Dundas Museum & Archives, 139 Park St.W. Dundas. 7.00-9.00pm (Multi-Faith Festivities & Performances follow on Sunday November 19 at Dundas Baptist Church, 201 Governors Rd. Dundas. 2.00-5.00pm).
12. **Friday, November 17: Community Dinner 6.00pm at Wellington Square United Church**, a free event every Friday and everyone is welcome. This week volunteers from BBC will be lending a hand, with prep team from 4-6pm, service and clean-up team from 6-approx. 8pm Please contact the Church Office for more information.
13. **Saturday, November 18: The following all have Christmas Sales on today:** St. Luke's, Ontario Street: 9am - 2pm. Knox Presbyterian, Elizabeth Street: 9am - 1pm and Appleby United Church, Spruce Avenue: 9.30am - 2.30pm.
14. **On Sunday, November 26**, please plan to stay following worship for lunch and our **Semi-Annual Congregational Meeting**.
PLEASE NOTE: if you are submitting a Report for the meeting and have not yet sent it to the Church Office, please do so by **Tuesday November 14** to guarantee inclusion.



There are many Special and Musical Events coming up. Here's a selection....

Prayer with the songs of Taize

Sunday, November 19, 7.30pm at Port Nelson United Church. 3132 South Drive.

An Evening of Light Classics

Saturday, December 9, 6.00pm at St. Luke's
1382 Ontario St. (\$35. Dinner included)

Candlelight Service

Sunday, December 10, 2.00pm
Here at BBC. Join us as we celebrate
and remember the lives of those we loved
and cherished.

The Carols of Christmas

Sunday, December 10, 7.00pm at
Walton Memorial United Church,
2489 Lakeshore Rd. W. Oakville

A Christmas Tradition

Sunday, December 17, 3.00pm at
St. Thomas' 715 Centre Rd. Waterdown
Special Christmas Concert with The Dofasco
Male Chorus, Canadian Orpheus Male Choir,
The Dofasco Ladies Choral Ensemble &
Burlington Concert Band Brass Ensemble.
See Lorne Ogden for tickets

Please Note

Consent for Media Release:

The Social Media and Website sub-committee is set to launch a Facebook page. To assist with this initiative, the sub-committee is asking that you read, reflect, and complete the 'Consent for Media Release' form, allowing your image to be used by the church. **If you have not filled out a form yet, please do so today.** Completed forms may be left in the box in the main hallway after church today.



It's That Time of Year

Thanksgiving leftovers have finally been eaten,
And Hallowe'en candy our households did sweeten.

Tree leaves at last have started their falling

And soon, much too soon,

Winter winds will come calling.

So Christmas will follow again, I do reckon,

And the Church Family Dinner is DECEMBER THE SECOND!!!!

It IS that time of year, so mark that date on your calendar. Tickets are available in the foyer. The programme begins at 5:30, with dinner to follow shortly after 6:00.

This is not a fundraising event, but we do need to cover the costs of the meal. Adults are \$10. Maximum family cost is \$25. A 'family' is all those people who live under the same roof, and includes university students.

Sanctuary Decoration

This year we will decorate the Church Sanctuary for Christmas on the evening of **Friday December 1, starting at 7 pm**. If you would like to help, please contact David Morikawa, or speak to any of the deacons. Thank you.

Perfume & Allergies

We respectfully ask that you refrain from wearing perfume to Church. We have members of the congregation who may have severe reactions to perfumes. Thank you for your consideration.

We remember them in our prayers...

Walter Mulkewich
Gayle & Wayne Hutt
Bev Bentley

Church Office Hours



- open **Tuesday to Friday** from **9:00 a.m.** to **1:00 p.m.**

- contact **Jackie**, our **Office Administrator**,

- by calling **905-634-2477**

- by email at **Office@burlingtonbaptist.com**
