

to work to end poverty together. May we grieve together and walk in compassion with the suffering that comes from the damaging effects of poverty. May we be witnesses of love, hope and peace, and co-workers in caring for God's creation in all forms.

BIBLE STUDIES (all are welcome to attend)

MEN'S STUDY – Tuesday evenings 6:30 at Gilmour Contact: John Coutlee 705-657-7636

WOMEN'S STUDY – Wednesday mornings at Gilmour, 9:30 a.m. Contact: Sheila Duncan 705-749-6153

YOUTH GROUP – grades 8-12. Friday evenings 7:30 pm. Contacts: Brittany-Ann Austin 705-292-0397 or Pastor Ben.

'ASSISTED HEARING' HEADSETS are available for those who would like to be able to hear the services better. Please ask at the Sound Desk if you would like to try one.

IF YOU NEED ASSISTANCE IN ANY WAY, Please contact any of the following Deacons: –Wendy Tudge (Chairperson)-872-7398; Mark Moffat (Vice-Chairperson) – 292-6181; John Austin-872-8530; Brenda Mann - 292-8293; Val Mann-292-9166; Lynn Reynolds-657-1451. Our Life Deacons are Della Biss and Mae Telford. At least one Deacon will be available after each Sunday morning service for prayer. Please seek us out!

Bulletin submissions – if you would like someone's name (with their permission) or your own name added to the "Please pray for" list, or have an announcement, contact Elaine: chrisla@bell.net/705-292-7173). Deadline is Wednesday night for each week's bulletin.



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Our Mission: As members of the Church of Jesus Christ, we purpose to learn to love God – Father, Son and Holy Spirit, with everything we are and have, and to love other people so that they can learn to love God too.

Sunday, Oct. 23, 2016

WE EXTEND A WARM WELCOME to all who are worshipping with us today. If you are here for the first time, we invite you to sign the guest book in the foyer. If you know of someone needing Pastoral Care, please speak with Pastor Ben.

We warmly welcome **life 100.3 Christian radio station staff** to our service this morning, especially our own **David Mann**.

GILMOUR AND ITS COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

“And I pray that you, being rooted and established in love, may have power, together with all the Lord’s holy people, to grasp how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ, and to know this love that surpasses knowledge—that you may be filled to the measure of all the fullness of God.”- Eph. 3:17-19

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL CHILDREN have dedicated their offering to two local organizations, Brock Mission Men's Shelter and Habitat for Humanity. We would like to give the congregation the opportunity to help out. We will have a box in Sunday School in which to place toiletry items (toothbrush, toothpaste, shampoo etc.), socks, underwear, fleece pyjama bottoms, t-shirts, hats, mitts (new please) for the men’s shelter. As you are contemplating downsizing, redecorating etc., Habitat happily receives your loved furniture, dishes, books, even the kitchen sink. Refugees receive items for free and the items sold assist in building of homes.

THE NOMINATION COMMITTEE (John Coutlee, Wendy Tudge and Carrie Moffat) are filling the Gilmour committees for 2017. If you are contacted by them, please prayerfully consider being a part of one (or more) of these rewarding committees.

IF YOU HAVE BEEN COMING TO GILMOUR for a while and would like to consider membership, Pastor Ben or a Deacon would be happy to speak with you.

COUNTRY GOSPEL MUSIC NIGHT

Saturday November 5

7 pm at Gilmour Church

Dessert and coffee to follow

Free Admission

Donations to local food bank or items for the men's shelter will be gratefully received

GILMOUR AT PRAYER

“Ask and it will be given to you; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you.” – Matt.7:7

PLEASE PRAY THIS WEEK FOR:

- * those with ongoing health concerns: Hap & Dorothy Branscombe, Ada Judson (back surgery in Kingston), Helen Trotter and Marion Mann (both with chronic pain), Pat Burritt, Mae Telford, Alan Golding, Marcie Furdas
- * Mary Moore, recovering from broken ribs
- * all of our seniors and those in long term care facilities
- * Pastor Ben, Amy, Josef, Elisabeth and baby Jayna
- * our deacons, serving at Gilmour
- * Rev. Brenda Mann and her work as our Outreach Director
- * Yasameen Khaleel; Yassmein, Dalfaa & Hayja Nasar, and their new life in Peterborough
- * the Alpha program and volunteers
- * *“...all the Lord’s people.” (Eph. 6:18)*

FROM CBM PRAYERline: This week was the International Day for the Eradication of Poverty, and we want to pray for the impoverished and the impacts of poverty that are not merely financial, but spiritual as well. Pray for an end to poverty, for justice, peace and reconciliation in difficult places, and for God to grant us faith, courage

HURRICANE RELIEF: The storm that swept through Haiti has wiped out entire towns, villages, crop reserves and farms in the country, killing at least 900 people and leaving 1.4 million people in need of urgent assistance at this time. There is major risk of famine, and a cholera outbreak which has killed nearly 10,000 people. Over 500,000 children have been affected, according to BBC News. CBM is responding to the destruction caused by Hurricane Matthew through the Baptist Relief and Development Network, by providing immediate aid. Please pray over the great loss and destruction from the storm, and for all those that have been impacted by it. Pray for safety, protection, provision and health. You can donate by going to www.cbmin.org. Click on the donate button and select Crisis Response. Call 905.821.3533 to give over the phone.

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TRENT VALLEY BAPTIST WOMEN'S FALL W.R.A.P. EVENT – Did you know that 15,000 refugees sought asylum in Canada last year! Join us on Saturday, October 29, 2016 at Immanuel Baptist Church, 20 Bond Street East, Fenelon Falls to hear how God welcomes them!
Speakers: Anne Woolger & Karen Francis, Matthew House Refugee Ministry. Registration and Coffee 9:00 – 9:30a.m. \$8.00.
Day will end at 1:30 p.m. For transportation/carpooling contact Julaine Palmer 705-292-6909.

LOCAL BAPTIST WOMEN'S WORLD DAY OF PRAYER SERVICE
Mon. Nov. 7 at 1:30 p.m. Lakefield Baptist Church. Transportation or questions call Julaine 705-292-6909.

CBWOQ'S DAY OF PRAYER CONFERENCE
When: Saturday November 5, 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Where: Mississauga Chinese Baptist Church, Mississauga 5220 Creekbank Road, Mississauga
Theme speaker: Rev. Leanne Friesen, pastor – Mount Hamilton Baptist Church
Worship leader: Rachele Luk, Mississauga City Baptist Church
Who's invited: All women in your church
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