

Martin Grove United Church

where worship leads to service

4th Sunday after Pentecost

Happy
Fathers
Day

“Worthy of God’s Love”

Rev. Dr. Rick Tamas
June 16, 2024

Welcome to Worship!

VU refers to Voices United, MV refers to More Voices

***Indicates an invitation to stand -in body, or in spirit**

Prelude: “Intermezzo” *By Pietro Mascagni, Arr by Judith Dallimore*
(The Merry Bells of Martin Grove)

Minister’s Welcome

Announcements

Lighting of the Christ Candle

***Opening Hymn: VU 703 “In the Bulb There is a Flower”** *By Natalie Sleeth*

Call to Worship

Prayer of Approach

Song of Personal Prayer: “Air from Messiah - How Beautiful are the Feet of Them” *By George F. Handel, Arr by Charles Sergisson*
(Elaine Weimer)

Words of Assurance

Choir Anthem: “Faith of Our Fathers” *Words by Frederick W. Faber, Music by Henri Frederick Hemy*

First Scripture: Psalm 20 (Alanna Goodman)

Second Scripture: 2 Corinthians 5:6-10

Song of Reflection: “On Eagle’s Wings” *Music by Michael Joncas, Arr. by John Purifoy* (Jill Diane Fillion)

Third Scripture Reading: Matthew 10:24-32

Reflection: “Worthy of God’s Love”

***Offering Hymn: MV 182 “Grateful”** *Words and Music by Tom Tomaszek, Arr by Sarah Hart and Tom Tomaszek*

***Offering Prayer**

Lighting of the Prayer Candle

Pastoral Prayer

Lord’s Prayer

***Closing Hymn: “Leaning on the Everlasting Arms”**
By A. J. Showalter

***Commissioning**

***Benediction**

***Sung Blessing: MV 215 “Peace Be with You”** *Words and Music by Alison L. Wesley*

Postlude: “Ariosto” *By J.S. Bach, Arr by Judith Dallimore*
(The Merry Bells of Martin Grove)

Thank you to the Merry Bells of Martin Grove and Jill Diane Fillion for their contribution of music today.

We acknowledge that our sacred space is found on the indigenous territories of the Mississaugas of the Credit, the Anishinabe, the Chippewa, the Haudenosaunee and the Huron -Wendat peoples and is now home to many diverse First Nations, Inuit and Metis. With gratitude and respect for their stewardship of creation, we seek to live into right relations with all."

* * * * *

A Celebration of Life service for Hugh Blaine will be held in the Sanctuary on Saturday, June 22 at 12 noon. A reception will follow in the Wellcome Room.

* * * * *

Psychotherapy Available at MGUC Would you like to relieve anxiety or stress due to work or other situations? Do you find yourself coping with major life changes, such as divorce, the death of a loved one or the loss of a job? Psychotherapy can help a person identify and change troubling emotions, thoughts, and behaviors. To learn more, contact Rev Rick. As a ministry initiative supported by MGUC, we are able to offer this complimentary service to members, adherents and families of MGUC.

Martin Grove United Church,
75 Pergola Road, Etobicoke, ON M9W 5K4
Tel. 416-745-6252

Email: admin@mguc.ca Website: mguc.ca
Church Office hours - Thursday and Friday 10am-12pm