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# Sunday Service October 22nd, 2023 @ 10am

#### **Welcome and Announcements**

**Opening:** You cannot be stopped

Rising sun

**Prayer:** Holy forever

**Guest Speaker:** Karen Plater

Sermon:

The Joy of Generosity

**Scripture:** 

Matthew 25:14-30, II Kings 4:1-9

Closing: The Lion and the lamb

**Greeters:** Lynda Pinnington, Pat Couttie

We are so glad you are here. We are a Jesus church, where everyone is welcome, where no-one is perfect and everyone is loved.

Join us for fellowship and refreshments in the hall after service.

This Week at Central		
Monday	7.00pm	Board of Managers
Tuesday	2.30pm	Prayer Group
	5.00pm	Christian Education
	7.00pm	Praise Team
Thursday	7.00pm	Choir
	7.00pm	Junior Youth
Friday	7.00pm	Senior Youth
Saturday	7.00pm	Frankie & The Fairlanes
Sunday	10.00am	Sunday Service & Kids Zone
	11.00am	Karen Plater-Planned Giving
<u>Upcoming</u>		
October 30	7.00pm	Session Management
November 1	7.30pm	Session
November 3	10.00am	Women's Bible Study
November 4		Session Strategic Planning
November 8	2.00pm	Hymn Sing

## Frankie & The Fairlanes

This coming Saturday October 28th, 2023 Ontario's premier rock and roll revue.

This event supports the continuing restoration fundraising efforts at Central. Tickets available by calling 519-841-9123 or through the church office at 519-623-1080.

## Women's Bible Study - The Way of Blessing

Please join us, Fridays from 10-11:30am for a new 4 week Bible Study called "The Way of Blessing". This is a 'light' study - no homework, no book required other than your Bible.

Come join for a cup of coffee, fellowship and study together. Starts Friday, November 3rd and meets at Central Church in the parlour.

For more information, contact womensbiblestudy@cpcmail.ca.

**Today,** Karen Plater, Associate Secretary for Stewardship & Planned Giving at The Presbyterian Church in Canada's national office will join us for worship. Following the service Karen will meet with congregation members in the Parlor to share information and answer questions regarding Planned Giving.

Come and learn more about the creative and thoughtful ways Christians are giving, both during their lives and through their estates. Discover the benefits of different giving vehicles, including gifts of cash, securities, bequests, charitable gift annuities, life insurance and more.

Using real stories and practical examples, Karen will share how Canadian tax laws can help you share in God's mission, in more ways than they can imagine.

The October 11 Hymn Sing Cafe welcomed approximately 65 guests to celebrate the life of our dear Lousia Henderson who passed away on August 22. We were honoured to have Rev. Aubrey participate in our brief memorial time to honour Louisa. We sang several of her favourite hymns and other hymns of Thanksgiving to celebrate the season, accompanied by the very talented Katherine Rochester on the piano. A time of fellowship followed with wonderful refreshments provided by our amazing volunteers, who were organized by Dawn McIllwraith. We even enjoyed some Chocolate Chip cookies made from Louisa's own recipe.

The next Hymn Sing Cafe will be on Wednesday, November 8 at 2 pm featuring a theme of Remembrance.

On Wednesday, December 13 we will welcome the David Durward Bell Ringers for our Christmas Hymn and Carol Sing Cafe. All are welcome.

Going the Extra Mile: Walk/run/bike 5 km by Nov. 4 to support Rachel's Home in Lesotho. Sponsorship packages are still available for those who wish to participate. Don't want to walk/run/bike but still want to help? Monetary donations accepted as well. Please etransfer office@cpcmail.ca or donate through your offering envelopes. Please make a notation that it is for Going the Extra Mile.

## Our Team

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#### **Online services**

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#### **Online Bulletin**

Our Weekly Bulletin is available online in a mobile friendly format.

Our online bulletin includes:

- Order of Service
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- Announcements
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