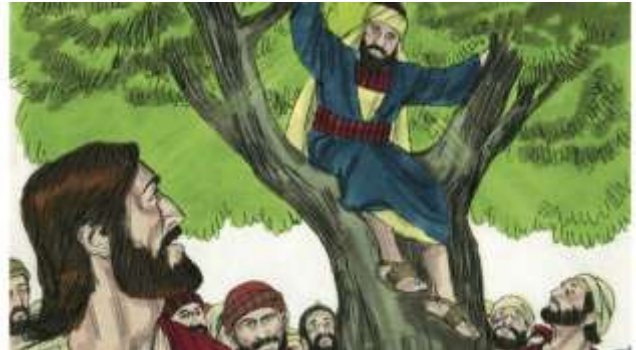




## Zacchaeus

Luke 19:1-10



# welcome!

**We're glad you're here today. We're a** group of people learning what it means to be followers of Jesus. This is a place where **everyone is welcome, nobody's perfect, and** anything is possible. We welcome and encourage you to share your life with us as we journey in faith together.

What can you expect on a Sunday morning? Our worship services aim to be about 70 minutes long, with a mix of praise singing & prayer, and a time of inspiration and learning through the teaching that explores scripture, and issues of everyday life.

We believe that by working together, sharing our faith and our lives, we can accomplish much more than we could individually. **With God's help and the power of** the Holy Spirit, we believe we can transform our community and our world as the hands and feet of Jesus on earth.

**If you're ready for us to get to know you, please fill out a "Welcome" card from** the pew and bring it to the Connection Point in the foyer after the service. We hope you too will find a place of belonging here, and share your life and faith journey with us.

# happenings

Ribfest Burlington | Volunteers needed Labour Day weekend, please visit Dee in the foyer to sign up and for more information or email him at [kdeeglover@bell.net](mailto:kdeeglover@bell.net)

New to our church? We would like to get to know you | We invite you to fill out a Welcome Card which is in the pews. Please leave it in the box marked Connect/Reconnect at the exits at the front and back of the sanctuary.

From the Board | The Board of Wellington Square United Church, along with the M&P committee are happy to announce the hiring of Tim Watson as our Coordinator of Contemporary Music. He has just finished 8 months working for the Episcopal Service Corp in Seattle Washington and before that he completed the worship leadership program at Heritage Seminary and College. Add to that several summers leading at Ryerson Church camp as well as being a part of worship music in many different forms for most of his young life! Tim brings passion for church and theology and new ways to worship and we want to welcome him and encourage him as he becomes part of the thread that weaves us all together in our Wellington Square community. Blessings Tim and may the love of God surround you in this new journey of serving!

One Service @ 10am on this date:  
Sept 3 - Labour Day Weekend

Please Note | Rev. Katie Southon will be away from Aug 21 - Sept 5. Rev. Tom Chire is available during this time for any pastoral needs. Please contact the office at 905-634-1849 if you need assistance.

# Joseph Brant Hospital Mental Health Consumer Advisory Committee

Presented in Partnership  
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*Friday* night  
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**Friday September 9, 2017**  
**Friday Night Speakers Series**

*Lessen Anxiety and Live Well*  
*Strategies to Reduce Anxiety*

*Presented by:*

*Denis Olivier – CMHA*  
*Mental Health and Addictions Educator*

**FRIDAY September 8, 2017**  
**PRITCHARD ROOM, WELLINGTON SQ. UNITED CHURCH**  
**2121 CAROLINE STREET, BURLINGTON**

**Speaker at 7PM to 8:30PM**

**Dinner @ 6pm All Welcome**

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HOSPITAL**

Mental Health Consumer  
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**"Better Together"**

*For where two or three come together in my name, there am I with them"*

Matthew 18:20

If you are not already participating in group life, here are the benefits of being in a healthy small group:

- You will feel more connected to our church, to people & God
- You will spend more time in the Bible & better understand it
- You will receive support from other believers
- You will be encouraged to find ways to serve using your gifts
- You will grow in spiritual maturity

**DEADLINE FOR FALL GROUP BROCHURE**

Currently, we are working on the Fall Small Group Brochure. If you would like your group listed in our Wellington brochure, please e-mail Joy. Thanks so much for your help!

Global Leadership Summit International | A 2-day *WORLD CLASS EVENT* telecast from **WILLOW CREEK'S CAMPUS in CHICAGO.**

PLACE: COMPASS POINT CHURCH, Burlington

WHEN: Thurs. Oct. 19 & Fri. Oct. 20, 2017

Cost: \$149 pp. If you wish to reserve a spot, please contact Joy by Sept 7th. Sign up sheet is at the Connection table.

**CALLING ALL GROUP LEADERS** | Please meet with Joy in the Pritchard Room, Sunday, September 10<sup>th</sup> at 10:30am for our **FALL VISION CASTING!!!**

**In Receiving Christ's Hope**, the 3rd study in the Jesus Calling study series, we will explore the promises God makes in His Word as they relate to finding your hope and security in Him. As you put aside your own plans and allow **God's love to seep into your being, you will** experience the hope and peace of God. This study includes devotional readings, Bible study questions and additional discussion and music in a small group setting. Tuesdays, starting Sept 19, 7-9pm, in the McMillan room. Group hosts: Sue Zwicker and Lyn Kasprzyk.

**SMALL GROUP FAIR** | Sunday, September 17<sup>th</sup> in **St. Paul's hall between services.** An opportunity to meet our group leaders, ask questions & get connected

**CONNECTION TEAM (9am & 11am) & SMALL GROUP LEADERS (HOSTS)**, you are cordially invited to an **APPRECIATION CELEBRATION** at **TORRY LANE FARM** (the Magwoods). Pot Luck. Thursday, September 21, 2017 @ 6pm. Please RSVP to Joy. [jmagwood@wsquare.ca](mailto:jmagwood@wsquare.ca)

**Prayers In The Park** | Celebrating our 23rd year meeting with the Lord in nature. Friday mornings 9-10am July 7-Aug 25.

Please note that the location has changed back to the beachstrip next to the playground beside the pumphouse. Contact Penny Bailey through the church office 905-634-1849 if you have any questions.



Youth are awesome! We strive to equip and encourage them in their relationship with Jesus.

Our Sunday morning time is key to enriching our friendships and faith development: Edge & Rockpile during the summer months will be meeting together for FAITH study from 10:30am - 12pm (No Faith Study on Sunday, Aug. 27 or Sunday, Sept. 3)



YOUTH Mexico Mission Info/up-date Meeting will be held on Sunday, September 17 from 10:30-11:30am! Youth room.

Vacation Bible Camp Serving Opportunity for Youth is happening from Aug. 28 to Sept. 1 from 9am -12pm!

A BIG thanks to all the Youth Volunteers for prepping materials and brightening up rooms and rolling dividers with mural paintings and creative art work over the summer!!

Check out our Rockpile and Edge facebook group pages and website for more details.



GraceLand - a place full of God's grace...where children learn the love of Jesus and how to shine His light everyday. Sundays at 9am for Nur to Gr. 6

Summer Theme:  
August: Brave Esther

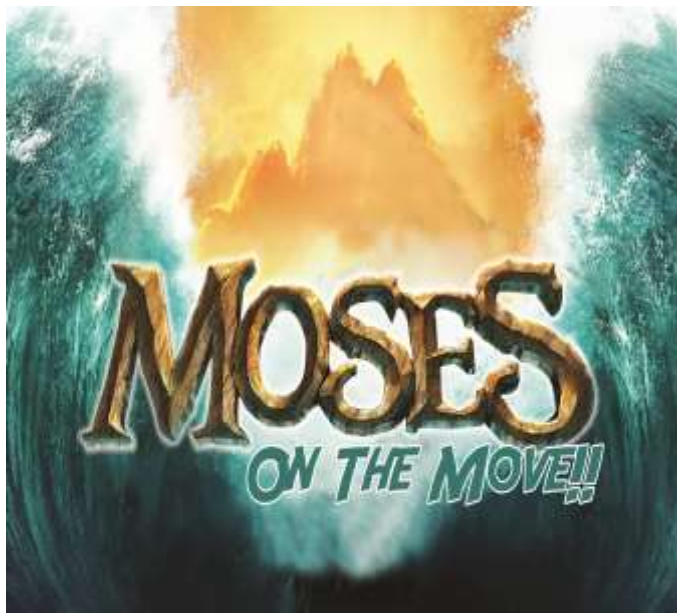
Faith @ Home Parent Sheets are available for pick-up in your child's class. They include GraceLand's theme, scripture and life application summary along with activities and prayers for the whole family.

Participant forms are required every year for children and youth to ensure safety for all. If you have yet to fill out a 2017 form, please take one from the GraceLand reception or from our web [wsquare.ca](http://wsquare.ca), fill out and return to us. We will be sending a notice out by November 2017 for 2018 Child/Youth Participant forms.

VBC - Moses on the Move is going to be a BLAST!! Aug. 28 - Sept 1st - Please get your registration forms in ASAP!

Being a part of Vacation Bible Camp week is not only a rich-faith-growth experience, it is also a time to develop and deepen Godly friendships.

Our new Moms and Wee Ones Drop-in Ministry group meet to play, pray and support one another every Tuesday here at the church from 9:30am - 11amish in the Toddler room!



## SUMMER KID'S CAMP

Aug. 28th - Sept. 1st, 2017

Mon. - Thurs. • 9:00 am - 12:00 pm  
Fri., Sept. 1st • 9:00 am - 11:00 am

*(11:00 am - closing celebration ceremony for the whole family!)*

### SK to Grade 5

*(Must be 5 years of age by Dec. 31, 2017)*

**\$30 per child per week**

*No refunds after July 1st.  
Financial assistance is available.*

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**MOMS**   
morning

Drop-in' morning for  
moms and their wee ones.

**TUESDAYS**

**9:30 AM - 11:00 AM**

Share a morning together, support  
one another and hang out over coffee/  
tea with your children.

Meeting place - GraceLand Toddler  
room Nursery is available if needed.



For more details, please contact  
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When we are part of a large community there are always friends struggling and suffering from mental and physical challenges. Two of our Friday Night friends are going through some difficult physical illnesses in hospital. The prayers, cards and well wishes from our community means the world to them, as they feel cared for and loved and know that they are not alone. For some friends who come in our doors on Friday evenings, we are their source of hope and they consider us to be their family. Thank you for caring for so many and lighting the spark in their darkness.

We are in need of folks who can help with the odd Wednesday, Thursday or Friday morning shop, or help with some set up on Friday mornings. Please let us know if you are available.

Needed items:

- \*empty yogurt/sour cream sized containers for take home food
- \*snacks for children's lunch bags (fruit cups, apple sauce, peanut free granola bars, individually packaged cookies and crackers...)**
- \*newer curtains and rods
- \*gently used/newer art for living room walls
- \*men's boxers sizes M-XL**
- \*pull ups for children (size 5/6)
- \*peanut free store made desserts (pies, cakes, etc.)
- \*lemonade crystals
- \*salad bar toppings (beets, mandarins, olives, salad dressings, croutons, etc.)

For information contact: [fnc@wsquare.ca](mailto:fnc@wsquare.ca)



Please keep Sierra Leone in your prayers. As you may have seen on the news, Freetown and surrounding areas have been hit by devastating mud slides and hundreds of people have been killed or are missing. Ebe Marquardsen and his wife Jane from Burlington, who have supported the children of Wellington Orphanage for many years are also currently in Sierra Leone and have experienced the mud slides first hand. Christiana and Donald Kaley from Wellington Square also have family in Freetown who have been impacted by this latest disaster. Please remember Christiana and Donald and their families in your prayers. The children at the main site of Wellington Orphanage are presently safe and have not been affected by the mud slides. However, the heavy rains have overwhelmed their septic system and sanitation concerns and risk of disease are current threats. The roof of the building was already in poor repair and the heavy rains have caused additional damage and resulted in increased safety concerns due to exposure of water to electrical wires. We are hoping to be able to assist with providing a new roof for the building with funds previously raised for the orphanage. The older boys are at the Wellington Orphanage in Freetown, They are safe for now, but very close to the devastation and will be in need of good and water as well. It is a very devastating time in Sierra Leone. Many of the bodies were dismembered by the slide and many are not identifiable. The search for survivors is hampered, as the mud is like quick sand in some areas. There will be diseases and shortages of food and water in many places.....we pray that God will move on the hearts of many to provide help.

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