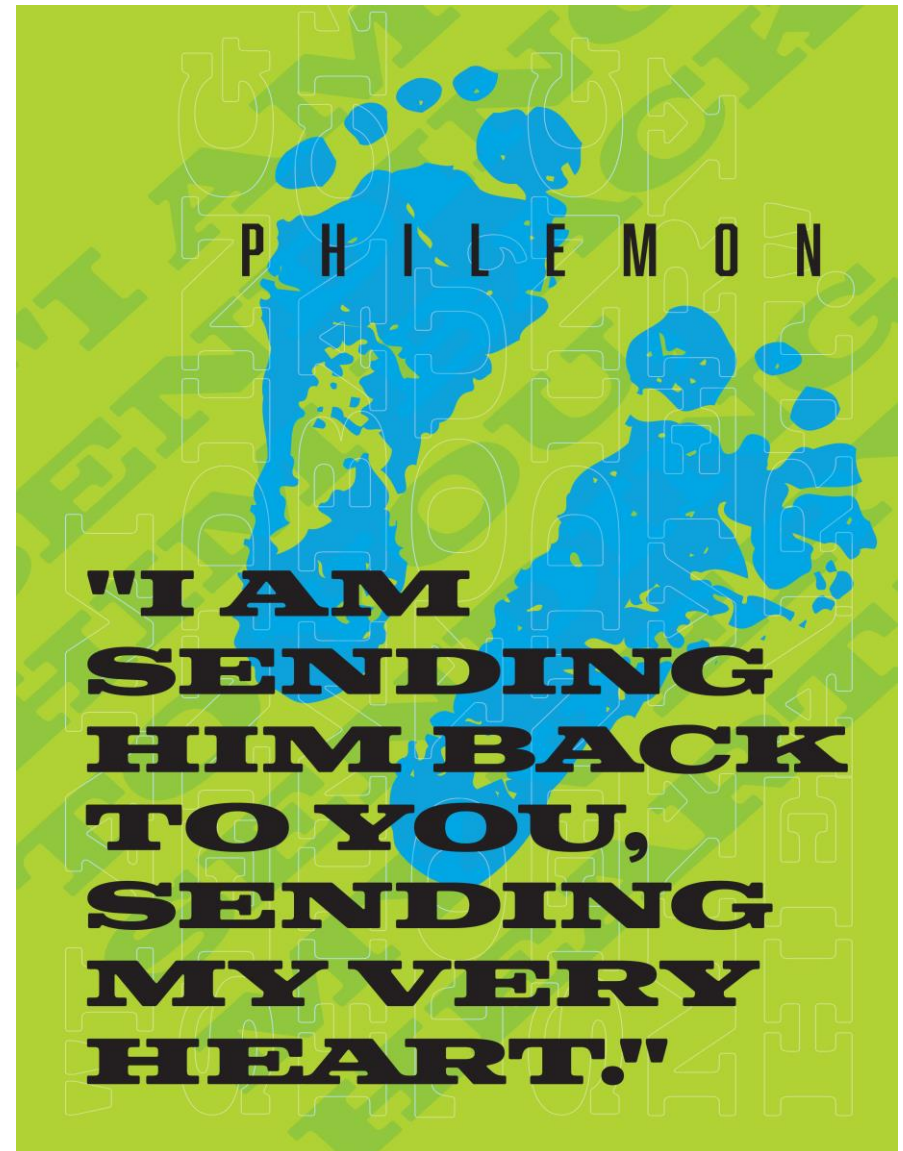


TODAY'S SCRIPTURE READING

CENTENNIAL PARK BAPTIST CHURCH
"Established to the Glory of God - 1876"
11 KENNEDY ROAD, GRIMSBY, ONTARIO
REV. CHRIS STEFANIDIS

Philemon 1:1-25 (NIV)

¹ "Paul, a prisoner of Christ Jesus, and Timothy our brother, To Philemon our dear friend and fellow worker - ² also to Apphia our sister and Archippus our fellow soldier - and to the church that meets in your home: ³ Grace and peace to you from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. ⁴ I always thank my God as I remember you in my prayers, ⁵ because I hear about your love for all his holy people and your faith in the Lord Jesus. ⁶ I pray that your partnership with us in the faith may be effective in deepening your understanding of every good thing we share for the sake of Christ. ⁷ Your love has given me great joy and encouragement, because you, brother, have refreshed the hearts of the Lord's people. ⁸ Therefore, although in Christ I could be bold and order you to do what you ought to do, ⁹ yet I prefer to appeal to you on the basis of love. It is as none other than Paul - an old man and now also a prisoner of Christ Jesus - ¹⁰ that I appeal to you for my son Onesimus, who became my son while I was in chains. ¹¹ Formerly he was useless to you, but now he has become useful both to you and to me. ¹² I am sending him - who is my very heart - back to you. ¹³ I would have liked to keep him with me so that he could take your place in helping me while I am in chains for the gospel. ¹⁴ But I did not want to do anything without your consent, so that any favor you do would not seem forced but would be voluntary. ¹⁵ Perhaps the reason he was separated from you for a little while was that you might have him back forever - ¹⁶ no longer as a slave, but better than a slave, as a dear brother. He is very dear to me but even dearer to you, both as a fellow man and as a brother in the Lord. ¹⁷ So if you consider me a partner, welcome him as you would welcome me. ¹⁸ If he has done you any wrong or owes you anything, charge it to me. ¹⁹ I, Paul, am writing this with my own hand. I will pay it back—not to mention that you owe me your very self. ²⁰ I do wish, brother, that I may have some benefit from you in the Lord; refresh my heart in Christ. ²¹ Confident of your obedience, I write to you, knowing that you will do even more than I ask. ²² And one thing more: Prepare a guest room for me, because I hope to be restored to you in answer to your prayers. ²³ Epaphras, my fellow prisoner in Christ Jesus, sends you greetings. ²⁴ And so do Mark, Aristarchus, Demas and Luke, my fellow workers. ²⁵ The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with your spirit."



SUNDAY, JANUARY 22, 2023

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Welcome and Announcements

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| Songs of Praise | To Be Announced |
| Scripture Reading | Philemon 1:1-25 (Ross McCallum) |
| Tithes and Offerings | |
| Songs of Praise | To Be Announced |
| KIDZ Church | Children Dismissed |
| Pastoral Prayer | Roland Craig |
| Message | "A Debt Of Love Is All We Owe and Are Owed". |
| Closing Praise | To Be Announced |
| Benediction | |



Prayer Items:

- * Please be in prayer for our Search Committee as they continue the search for an Associate Pastor of Worship and Youth Ministries.
- * Please pray God's blessing on our new sister church, **Joshua Ministries** in Chatham, Ontario.

Send praise and prayer requests to
office[at]grimsbybaptist.org



Are you new to our church and would like to know more about Centennial Park Baptist Church or are you a regular attendee who would like to become a member of our church? A membership class will be starting soon led by Pastor Chris for those who are interested in learning the history of our church, what our church believes, how our church functions, how to become involved in different ministries in our church, and the expectations of our church members. If interested, please sign the sheet at the Welcome Desk. Class date to be determined.

Thank-you for supporting the ministry of our church with your tithes and offerings.

CHURCH FAMILY ANNOUNCEMENTS



We are currently looking for singers (all voices and all ages), musicians, all instruments but particularly guitarist(s), and drummer(s), to form a monthly rotation of praise teams. We are also in need of **additional volunteers to help in our sound and tech booth**. If you are interested in exploring using your musical or technical gifts to serve the Lord and lead our congregation in worship, please contact Pastor Chris.

SPAGHETTI and MEATBALLS CHURCH FAMILY LUNCHEON

Everyone, **including visitors**, are invited to join us for our monthly church family luncheon today in Woolverton Hall following the worship service. There's lots of food for everyone. Come and enjoy the great food and a wonderful time of fellowship!

Congregational Church Family Meeting January 30, 2023, at 7:30 p.m.

The Agenda for the January 30th congregational meeting and the Annual Reports are ready for pick up today. For those staying for the luncheon, you can pick up a copy of the Agenda and Annual Reports on your way out of Woolverton Hall after the luncheon and for those not staying there are copies on the Welcome Desk or at the back door of the church as well.



Women's Bible Study

**Monday's
1:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.**

The Women's Bible Study group will be doing Dr. David Jeremiah's new study entitled "The World of the End: How Jesus' Prophecy Shapes Our Priorities". This is not a study of prophecy but rather a study of how to live in these sometimes-discouraging times in the light of God's Word. The format will be a video and group discussion.

Dr. Jeremiah's book on the subject is in our church library to preview. The cost of the study guide is \$12.00 but do not let the cost be a hindrance to joining the group (please speak to Michelle).

Leader: Michelle Cline

2023 Church Envelopes and Updated Church Directory

If you are new to our church and would like to have church envelopes for your tithes and offerings, please contact Joanne at the church office as soon as possible. Also, the updated church directory is available at the Welcome Desk. Please contact Joanne at the church office if your information is incorrect.