

SUNDAY, AUGUST 23, 2026

CONTACT INFORMATION

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- **New or visiting?** We're glad you're here. Connection cards are available if you'd like to stay in touch.
- Search for and join our "Staying Connected" private group on Facebook!
- Go to our website to sign up for our e-mail list.
- **Need to talk or pray with Pastor Dan?** If you'd like to set up a time to talk, pray, or receive pastoral care, please speak with Pastor Dan or contact him during the week.

Our church is a part of the Church of God General Conference and the Unitarian Christian Alliance

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Glad Tidings Church of God embraces Unitarian Christianity—the belief that God is one—while warmly welcoming people from all backgrounds to come as they are, ask questions, and grow at their own pace.



We exist to help you get connected to Jesus, and go deeper in your relationship with God and the people in your life.

TODAY'S SERMON

JERUSALEM ABOVE

"...the Jerusalem above is free; she is our mother." (Galatians 4:26, NASB)

TODAY'S SONGS

**I WILL FOLLOW
PRAISE THE LORD (EVERMORE)
LEAD ME TO THE CROSS
ALL TO JESUS I SURRENDER**



COMMUNION

WEEKLY CHURCH SERVICE: SUNDAYS AT 11:00AM

+ LIVE ON YOUTUBE

TODAY'S VOLUNTEERS:

- **Worship Team:** Paul, Sarah, Mason, Shaun, and Dan

- **Computer/Camera Operator:** Lynn
- **Soundboard Operator:** Bruce
- **Playroom Supervisor:** Val
- **Greeters:** Dave & Jenn

ANNOUNCEMENTS

• UPCOMING EVENTS:

- **Church Family Picnic – Sunday, September 13th at Woodstream Park after the morning service.** Hot dogs will be provided, but we are asking everyone to bring a food dish to share, and to bring your lawn chairs.

OPPORTUNITIES TO GIVE

• GIVE TO OUR CHURCH

- **Our church is funded through your generous and faithful giving!**
- **Fundraising Update:** The church recently replaced the parsonage's heating and air conditioning systems due to unexpected failure, and urgent repairs are also needed for the parsonage chimney and church carport. So far, we have raised \$1,675 toward our \$5,000 fundraising goal! [This is not including what was raised yesterday at the sale.]
- **We are very thankful for everyone who has contributed and encourage our church family to prayerfully consider continuing to add to their weekly giving until we reach our goal.**
- You can send an e-transfer to gladtidingscogegiving@gmail.com or donate via **PayPal!**
- For more info, visit gladtidingschurchofgod.com/giving.

• GIVE TO THE COMMUNITY

◆ CURRENT NEEDS

- Non-perishable food items for Pelham Cares
- Snacks foods (i.e. granola bars) for the Welland Library
- Egg cartons for Pelham Cares
- Used stamps which are then used to purchase Bibles.
- Outer milk bags used by the Open Arms mission to make woven mats for those in need.



READ THE NEW TESTAMENT WITH US:



Walking Through the New Testament Together – Tuesdays at 10:30 am (EST)

Join us as we continue to read through the book of Mark. We are in Mark 10.



Go Deeper into the New Testament – Thursdays at 6:30 pm (EST)

Join us this week to explore any of your questions about Paul's letter to the Ephesians. Please read the whole book of Ephesians this week.

STAYING CONNECTED



AUGUST BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES:

- Jonathan C. (August 1st)
- Mason D. (August 6th)
- Daniel & Sarah (August 8th, 2010)
- Seth J. (August 15th)

- Jeff & Lisa (August 16th, 2002)
- Lynn P. (August 19th)
- Shawn & Rebekah (August 20th, 2022)
- Dave & Jennifer (August 22nd, 2015)
- Albert T. (August 24th)

PRAYER REQUESTS:

- Ken & Arlene's niece Gail (hospice care in Hamilton)
- Tammie (ongoing health issues)
- Alicia (eye issues and vertigo)
- Alicia's boss's husband (throat cancer)
- Alicia's former neighbour's family (passing of her mother)
- Dave B. (eye issues)
- Santina's sister, Maria (cancer issues)
- Tammie's brother (heart procedure)
- Terry G (memory struggles)
- Elaine (health issues)
- Lynn (sciatic/unknown source of pain)
- Janet (Bell's Palsy recovery)
- Nancy C.
- Doreen T. (dementia)
- Gerry & Eleanor (ongoing issues)
- Betty (ongoing issues)
- Norm (ongoing issues)
- Rebekah (ongoing issues)
- Tammie's niece Jennifer
- Geraldine (Parkinson's)
- Terry's son Mike
- Gerry & Eleanor's granddaughter, Madeleine (recovery)
- Mary Lou's niece, Sarah
- The work of LHI
- Duncan (Malawi) & Felix (Mozambique)
- Pray for our larger COGGC family
- Persecuted Christians
- Welland Hospital restructuring
- Those affected by war throughout the world
- For those considering baptism

PRAISES:

- We had a great time going out for lunch last Sunday!
- Yesterday's community yard sale was a big success!

SHARE WITH US WHAT YOU ARE THANKFUL FOR AND THE THINGS YOU WANT PRAYER FOR.

You can also share your praises and prayer requests in our Prayer Notebook on the back table.