

4th Sunday after Epiphany
1st Sunday in Black Heritage Month
February 1, 2026
10:30 am Hybrid Worship

This Sunday in worship, we will look at what it means to be blessed, really blessed as God's people.

On Sunday we begin our celebration of Black Heritage Month, in which we highlight the rich history and contributions of the Black community. This year our posters in the narthex will feature people who have migrated to or within Canada, showcasing how they built new lives, achieved remarkable accomplishments and fostered a strong sense of belonging in their communities. We will also hear about the journey of a member of our TUC congregation.

Let's remember to wear our name tags on Sundays at In-Person Worship. We have a number of newcomers, and it will be so helpful to everyone. If your name tag needs to be updated, please fill out the small form on the name tag table.

Please join us at **10:30am** on Sunday for our Hybrid Service, either in person or via the Zoom link.

We encourage wearing masks indoors.

SUNDAY at 10:30AM

Topic: TUC **10:30am** Worship Service

Time: **10:30am** (Please join the service 15 minutes earlier if you would like to chat with friends)

Join Zoom Meeting by computer, tablet or cell phone:

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/566527256?pwd=Y1NtZ09KR21qNENxYy9McEJwM2JCUT09>

Meeting ID: 566 527 256 Password: 011654

Join by phone: 647-374-4685 or 647-558-0588

Scripture Reading:

Micah 6:1-8:NRSVA

<https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Micah%206%3A1-8&version=NRSVA>

Matthew 5:1-12 NRSVA

<https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Matthew%205%3A1-12&version=NRSVA>

Kindly see the attached: Order of Service

For pastoral emergencies in February, please call **Rev. Leigh Olson 416 545-9712**

UPCOMING SERVICES

February 8 Fifth Sunday after Epiphany
10:30 am Hybrid Worship

February 15 Transfiguration Sunday
10:30 am Hybrid Worship

**February 17 Service of Ashes
6:30 pm In-Person Worship**

**February 22 Baden Powell Sunday
10:30 am Hybrid Worship**

Mosaic Interfaith Events:

In January there was a well attended and interesting event at the Vishnu Temple in Richmond Hill as they shared about their religion and faith.

If you would like to attend the future events, here are the dates and locations for this Series:

- February 8, 2026 – Coming of age @ Temple Har Zion, 7360 Bayview Avenue
 - April 19, 2026 - Weddings @ Zoroastrian Society of Ontario, 3590 Bayview Avenue
 - May 3, 2026 - Funerals @ Jaffari Community Centre, 9000 Bathurst Street

Please reach out to Fran or Shabnees to ask about registering for these events at: [thisisfran@yahoo.com](mailto>thisisfran@yahoo.com) / shabnees@yahoo.ca

Gentle Reminder of our Fragrance Free Policy: As we try to make our church a welcoming place where all can worship in comfort and health, please do not wear scented products such as perfumes, lotions, hair sprays, aftershave, deodorants, etc. These items can cause health issues like migraines, breathing problems and allergies. Thank you for helping us make our church a safe place.

TUC MEETINGS

Bible Study meets next on **Monday, February 2nd** at 12:00 noon on Zoom.

Join Zoom Meeting by computer, tablet, or cell phone:

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/741148294?pwd=Tm8zZGxQaGNrNEZwOUMrU0ZpTEV3dz09>

Meeting ID: 741 148 294

Password: 013650

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The readings are: *Isaiah 58:1-9a (9b-12); Psalm 112:1-9(10) (VU 834); 1 Corinthians 21-12(13-16); Matthew 5:13-20.*

TUC Staff meet on **Tuesday, February 3rd** at 1:00pm.

Council meets on **Tuesday, February 3rd** at 7:00pm

Handbell Choir rehearses on **Wednesday, February 4th** at 7:30pm

Sanctuary Choir rehearses on **Thursday, February 5th** at 7:30pm

Prayer Shawl Group meets on **Friday, February 6th** at 10:30am

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