



Sunday, June 21, 2026

Hope for an Angry World
Psalm 2

Address: 400 Wellington Street, St. Thomas, ON, N5R 5T3

Phone: 519-633-4131

Email: office@eastwoodchurch.ca

WELCOME TO EASTWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH

We're so glad you are here to join us in our corporate worship of God this morning. Below is some information about our church.

Washrooms

Washrooms are located down the hall (towards the gym). Please accompany all children who need to leave during the service.

Children's Ministry

Nursery (0-24 months) and Preschool (2s and 3s) are open before the service. Children can be signed in at their respective rooms opposite the washrooms. Kindergarten (JK to Grade 1) and Children's Sunday School (Grades 2 to 5) are dismissed partway through the service. Children must be registered at the Welcome Centre prior to the service.

Nursing Mothers' Room

There is a private room in the nursery for nursing mothers where you can listen to the service. If you'd like to use this room, please ask one of the nursery workers.

Gymnasium

The gym will be open for fellowship and play following the morning service. There is no childcare provided during this time, so please keep an eye on your children to ensure their safety.

Financial Support

The members of Eastwood happily support the work of this church. If you would like to give, you may leave cash or a cheque donation in the mail slot next to the office door or send an e-transfer to tithe@eastwoodchurch.ca. All donations are tax receiptable provided your name and address are included on the donation.

Questions?

Contact Rita Charron (Office Administrator) at office@eastwoodchurch.ca or 519-633-4131

ORDER OF SERVICE

Pre-Service

Welcome & AnnouncementsSteve Kim
Opening Prayer.....Steve Kim

Corporate Worship Service

Call to Worship.....Steve Kim
1 John 3:1

Worship in SongPraise Band
How Deep the Father's Love for Us
The Love of God

Call to Gratitude.....Steve Kim
Psalms 100:4-5, 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18, Ephesians 5:18-20

Corporate Prayer of Thanksgiving

Worship in SongPraise Band
How Great Thou Art
Speak O Lord

Pastoral PrayerVince Wallman

Dismiss ChildrenSteve Kim

Scripture ReadingSteve Kim
Psalms 2
Pew Bible Page 418

Sermon.....Kevin Dibbley

Worship in SongPraise Band
Doxology

Commission.....Steve Kim

BenedictionSteve Kim
2 Thessalonians 2:16-17

Post-Service

Please join us for coffee and refreshments in the foyer.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. Backyard Bible Camp: Volunteers Needed

To sign up, pick up a *Volunteer Availability Form* at the Welcome Centre or fill one out online using the link in the e-news.

The application deadline is TODAY.

2. Backyard Bible Camp Registration Is Now Open!

Children ages 6–13 from Eastwood Baptist Church, Eastwood Housing, and the St. Thomas community are invited to attend.

To register, pick up a *Camper Registration Form* at the Welcome Centre or complete the online registration form using the link in our e-news or on our Facebook page.

- Registration Deadline: Monday, July 6, 2026
- Carnival Date: Friday, August 21
- Camp and carnival attendance are free!
- Questions? Contact John Hood at 519-633-4131 or johnhood@eastwoodchurch.ca.

Please note: Due to low attendance, Backyard Bible Camp will not be held at Elkview Gardens in Aylmer this year. We hope to return in the future.

3. Annual General Meeting (Sunday, June 28)

Following a short refreshment break after the morning worship service, we will gather for our Annual General Meeting.

The meeting agenda and ministry reports were emailed to members last Sunday. Hard copies, along with the Eastwood Housing annual report, are available at the Welcome Centre.

CALL TO WORSHIP

1 John 3:1

See what kind of love the Father has given to us, that we should be called children of God; and so we are.

CALL TO GRATITUDE

Psalm 100:4-5

Enter his gates with thanksgiving,
and his courts with praise!
Give thanks to him; bless his name!
For the Lord is good;
his steadfast love endures forever,
and his faithfulness to all generations.

1 Thessalonians 5:16-18

Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.

Ephesians 5:18-20

... be filled with the Spirit, addressing one another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing and making melody to the Lord with your heart, giving thanks always and for everything to God the Father in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.¹

¹ Scripture quotations are from The Holy Bible, English Standard Version® (ESV®), copyright © 2001 by Crossway, a publishing ministry of Good News Publishers. All rights reserved.

CORPORATE PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Our Heavenly Father,

As we remember your wondrous works, our hearts are filled with gratitude. Rich is your mercy and great is your grace. You are steadfast in love and faithful forever. Every good and perfect gift comes from you, the Father of lights, and we have been blessed far more than we deserve. As your word commands us to give thanks to the Lord, we offer you our prayers of gratitude:

We thank you for hearing our prayers.

We thank you for forgiving our sins and saving us through your Son.

We thank you for adopting us into your family.

We thank you for giving us your word and your Holy Spirit.

We thank you for the church, the family of God.

We thank you for the blessings we enjoy in this life.

We thank you for the afflictions that teach us to trust in your word.

We thank you for sustaining us through every trouble and delivering us from our trials.

We thank You for the hope of glory and the gift of everlasting life.

Help us to continue in thanksgiving for all that you have done, all that you are doing, and all that you will do for our good and for your glory.

In Jesus' name we pray,

Amen.

SERMON

Title: Hope for an Angry World

Text: Psalm 2

1. Our Primary Battle: The Sin of the Sovereign Self (1-3)

2. The Heavenly Bellow: The Wrath in God's Laugh (4-6)

3. God's Unshakeable Covenant: All Kingdoms Belong to His Son (7-9)

4. Wonderful Words of Warning: Jesus Is the Only Refuge (10-12)

SERMON DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. Is there anything in particular that stood out to you from the sermon?
2. In your own words, what is the main point of this passage?
3. What typically causes you to be angry and rage? What do you think is the root of the problem of anger? How does this passage challenge you in your anger?
4. What does God's laughter in heaven mean? How should his laughter transform the way you live in this world?
5. What does Psalm 2 teach us about Jesus? What difference does it make that Jesus is in control of all things?

UPCOMING EVENTS & MINISTRY UPDATES

This Week

- Women of Power (Tuesday, 9:30-11:00 AM)
- Prayer Meeting (Thursday, 10:00-11:00 AM)
- Digging Deeper—Grades 6-12 (Sunday, 9:00-10:15 AM)
- Worship Service (Sunday, 10:30 AM)
- Annual General Meeting (Sunday, after the morning worship service)

Please Note: Digging Deeper will wrap up for the season on Sunday, June 28.

Fresh Start Support Services: Baby Bottle Drive (Bottles Due TODAY)

Thank you to everyone who has participated. If you haven't returned your bottle yet, please bring it back next Sunday.

EBC Annual Church Family Picnic (Sunday, July 19)

Following the morning worship service, join us for our annual church family picnic with a BBQ lunch, traditional picnic games, and fellowship.

- Location: Kettle Creek Conservation Area (Dan Patterson Pavilion), 44014 Mapleton Line, St. Thomas.
- BBQ lunch provided by the church.
- Please bring a dessert or snack to share.
- Bring lawn chairs or a picnic blanket.
- RSVP by Sunday, July 12, at the Welcome Centre or through the e-news link (please RSVP in only one place).

Parking near the pavilion is limited; carpooling is encouraged.