



Sunday, June 28, 2026

The God Who Makes Our Faces Radiant
Psalm 34

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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

Corporate Worship Service

Call to Worship	John Hood
<i>Psalm 98:1-3</i>	
Worship in Song	Praise Band
<i>Come Praise and Glorify</i>	
<i>Grace Unmeasured</i>	
<i>God Moves in a Mysterious Way</i>	
Call to Lament.....	John Hood
<i>Psalm 142:1-2</i>	
Silent Prayer of Lament.....	
Corporate Prayer of Lament	
<i>Psalm 44:23-26</i>	
Word of Comfort	John Hood
<i>Matthew 12:18-21</i>	
Worship in Song	Praise Band
<i>Whatever My God Ordains Is Right</i>	
Pastoral Prayer.....	John Hood
Dismiss Children.....	John Hood
Scripture Reading.....	John Hood
<i>Psalm 34</i>	
<i>Pew Bible Page 433</i>	
Sermon.....	Steve Kim
Worship in Song	Praise Band
<i>He Will Hold Me Fast</i>	
Commission.....	Steve Kim
Benediction	Steve Kim
<i>2 Thessalonians 3:16</i>	

Post-Service

Please join us for coffee and refreshments in the foyer.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. Annual General Meeting (Today)

Following a short refreshment break after the morning worship service, we will gather for our Annual General Meeting. Before entering the Auditorium, please sign in at the Welcome Centre.

Due to the Annual General Meeting, there will be no Corporate Prayer Meeting 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 Elview Gardens in Aylmer this year. We hope to return in the future.

3. 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 (full details on page 11).

EBC MEMBERSHIP COVENANT

I will serve the ministry of the church by:

- Discovering my gifts and talents
- Personally pursuing growth in Christ
- Developing a servant's heart ¹

I will protect the unity of the church by:

- Acting in love toward other members
- Refusing to gossip; rather, continually encouraging others
- Following leaders as they follow Christ ²

I will share the responsibility of the church by:

- Serving the church in ministry
- Praying for its growth
- Helping create a contagious atmosphere of friendliness
- Inviting the unchurched to attend ³

I will support the testimony of the church by:

- My presence and faithful attendance
- Pursuing godliness in my relationship with Christ
- Supporting its vision through my giving
- Personally investing in others within the church and also those who do not yet know Christ ⁴

¹ 1 Peter 4:10; 2 Timothy 2:15; Philippians 2:3-4, 7

² Romans 14:19; 1 Peter 1:22; Ephesians 4:29; Hebrews 13:17

³ 1 Thessalonians 1:1-2; Luke 14:23; Romans 15:7

⁴ Hebrews 10:25; Philippians 1:27; 1 Corinthians 16:2; Ephesians 3:20.

OUR COVENANT WITH YOU

In partnering with Eastwood Baptist Church, you can expect the following from us: a place to grow and exercise your passion and love for Jesus Christ through worship, community, and mission. To find encouragement in your journey of faith. A place to use your gifts and talents to serve. Leaders who, though not perfect, are committed to following Jesus Christ and walking with integrity.

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 98:1-3

Oh sing to the Lord a new song,
for he has done marvelous things!
His right hand and his holy arm
have worked salvation for him.
The Lord has made known his salvation;
he has revealed his righteousness in the sight of the nations.
He has remembered his steadfast love and faithfulness
to the house of Israel.
All the ends of the earth have seen
the salvation of our God.

CALL TO LAMENT

Psalm 142:1-2

With my voice I cry out to the Lord;
with my voice I plead for mercy to the Lord.
I pour out my complaint before him;
I tell my trouble before him.⁵

⁵ 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. Emphasis added.

CORPORATE PRAYER OF LAMENT

Psalm 44:23-26

Awake! Why are you sleeping, O Lord?

Rouse yourself! Do not reject us forever!

Why do you hide your face?

Why do you forget our affliction and oppression?

For our soul is bowed down to the dust;

our belly clings to the ground.

Rise up; come to our help!

Redeem us for the sake of your steadfast love!

WORD OF COMFORT

Matthew 12:18-21

“Behold, my servant whom I have chosen,
my beloved with whom my soul is well pleased.

I will put my Spirit upon him,
and he will proclaim justice to the Gentiles.

He will not quarrel or cry aloud,
nor will anyone hear his voice in the streets;

A BRUISED REED HE WILL NOT BREAK,
AND A SMOLDERING WICK HE WILL NOT QUENCH,
until he brings justice to victory;
and in his name the Gentiles will hope.”

SERMON

Title: The God Who Makes Our Faces Radiant

Text: Psalm 34

1. Invitation: Praise the Lord (1-10)
2. Instruction: Fear the Lord (11-22)

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. In verse 1, the Psalmist commits to praising the Lord "at all times" and "continually," even from a place of distress. How does your praise of God hold up in your lowest moments?
4. Verse 5 says those who look to the Lord are radiant. What does your face say about your communion with God?
5. Verses 13-14 call us to keep our tongues from evil and our lips from deceit. Reflecting honestly on your speech lately, where do you fall short? If you have been falling short, what does genuine repentance look like for you?
6. Verse 14 commands us to "seek peace and pursue it," a posture that requires effort and intentionality. Are there relationships in your life where you need to pursue peace more actively?
7. This psalm was written out of real suffering, yet overflows with confidence in God's care for the afflicted. How does Psalm 34 speak hope to the suffering Christian today?

UPCOMING EVENTS & MINISTRY UPDATES

This Week

- Women of Power (Tuesday, 9:30-11:00 AM)
- Office Closed for Canada Day (Wednesday)
- Prayer Meeting (Thursday, 10:00-11:00 AM)
- Free Food and Clothing (Saturday, 9:30-11:00 AM)
- Worship Service (Sunday, 10:30 AM)

Alanna's Bridal Shower (Friday, July 17, 7:00-9:00 PM)

Ladies of the church are invited to join us as we celebrate Alanna and KyeongTae's upcoming wedding. Please note that, unlike our usual Jack-and-Jill showers, this will be a ladies-only event.

If you are unable to attend but would still like to give a financial gift, please leave it at the Welcome Centre in a sealed card marked with your name.

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.