

## *Morning Worship*

Gathering Hymn: # **213** *Glory Be to God the Father*  
Greetings and Announcements

### *Approach to God*

- \* Silent Prayer
- \* Call to Worship: **Psalm 113:1-3**
- \* Prayer of Adoration and Invocation
- \* Hymn: # **19 B** (vv. **1, 3, 5, 7, 9**)  
Reading of God's Law: **Exodus 20:1-17** (p.57)  
Confession of Sin  
Words of Assurance: **2 Corinthians 5:11-21** (p. 908)
- \* Hymn: # **252** *I Sing the Almighty Power of God*  
Confession of Faith: **Westminster Shorter Catechism Q&A 31-32** (TPH p. 970)
- \* Hymn: # **172** *Speak, O Lord*

### *Word from God*

Prayer for Illumination  
Scripture Reading: **Psalm 19** (p. 426)  
Congregational response: *Amen*  
Sermon: *The Glorious Word*  
Prayer of Application

### *Our Response to God*

- \* Hymn: # **173** *Almighty God, Your Word is Cast*  
Prayer of Thanksgiving & Pastoral Prayer
  - \* Doxology: # **567** *Doxology*
  - \* Benediction
  - \* Silent Prayer
- \* Those who are able are asked to stand.  
Page numbers correspond with the thin ESV Church Bible.

## *Evening Worship*

Gathering Hymn: # **525** *Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us*  
Congregational Prayer Requests

### *Approach to God*

- \* Call to Worship: **Philippians 2:5-11**
- \* Prayer of Adoration and Invocation
- \* Hymn: # **256** *God Moves in a Mysterious Way*

### *Word from God*

Congregational Prayer and Prayer of Illumination  
Scripture Reading: **John 13:1-20** (p. 845)  
Congregational response: **Amen**  
Sermon: *Do As I Have Done*  
Prayer of Application  
\* Hymn: # **196** *At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing*  
**Sacrament of the Lord's Supper**†  
(The Lord's Prayer in Unison Afterwards)

### *Our Response to God*

- \* Hymn: # **501** *Lord, Speak to Me, That I May Speak*
  - \* Benediction
  - \* Silent Prayer
- \* Those who are able are asked to stand.  
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† Gluten free option for communion is available. Please let the elders serving communion know.

## *“May I Come to the Lord's Table?”*

Each Lord's Day, the Lord's Supper is observed here at Trinity Presbyterian Church (ARP). If you are a visitor, please consider the following questions:

- Have you received a Christian baptism?
- Have the elders of your church received you into full membership - and does your membership remain in good order there?
- Do you continue to place your faith in Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins as your single hope for eternal life?
- Do you, in gratitude for your salvation and with the help of the Holy Spirit, rededicate yourself to God in a life of service in obedience to his Word?

The Bible calls all obedient servants of His to join with Him at this Supper in a spirit of joy and gratefulness. If you answered the above questions affirmatively, we welcome you to the Lord's Table. The Bible also issues a solemn warning to the unrepentant and disobedient that, lest they incur further judgment upon themselves, they should refrain from participating. If you have any questions about your participation here, or about any other spiritual matter, please speak to one of the elders or to the pastor.

### *Prayer Items*

- Praise God for His Revealed Word.
- Praise God for Christ, our head, our life, our King.
- Pray we would faithfully follow Christ our Saviour.
- Pray for our homes and marriages that the love of Christ would be shown in word and deed.
- Pray for our brothers and sisters in the Middle East. Pray for the peace to hold.
- Pray for the Lieuwens as they wait on the Lord to return to the mission field.
- This week our presbytery is praying for Stratford mission:
  - Pray for visitors. It has been well over half a year since we received any visitors from the city. Pray that the Lord would soften hearts, and that many would hear the gospel call of our Lord Jesus Christ.
  - Pray for the ministry at the local hospice. Pastor Collins visits with the patients and family members twice a week sharing the gospel, reading scripture, and praying with those who are dying. Pray that the Lord would work even in their last earthly moments.
  - Pray for the members of our congregation. Some who are becoming increasingly shut in, some dealing with debilitating pain another other ailments. And for another who was laid off from the job that she held at the bank for 20 years. Pray that she would be able to find suitable employment.
  - In May we will be changing our afternoon service time from 2pm to 4pm. Please pray with us that by having our worship service closer to the end of the day that those who work shift work, those who are seeking a second service in the city, and those who are seeking answers would come and hear about our glorious Savior.
  - Pray that the members of Stratford would to continue to grow in their faith in Jesus Christ.

## *Announcements*

- Nursery is located downstairs in Room R, through the double doors and to your left.
- The Lord calls members of His church to give generously towards the building of His Kingdom as our vows reflect. Trinity offers two ways to give: the offering box at the back of the church or through e-transfer (email on the front of the bulletin).
- Donations for the Homeless. There is a box at the back to drop off supplies for the homeless.
- Bible classes after coffeetime. Adults and teens will begin a series on apologetics.
- **This Week:**
  - Tuesday, **Gillespie Academy graduation** at Grace ARP 7:30 pm.
  - Small Groups
    - Wednesday, Charing Cross Small Group 7pm at the Bartchs’.
    - Wednesday, Ridgetown/Blenheim Small Group 7:30pm at the Luimes’.
    - Thursday, Chatham Small Group 7:30pm at the Van Kesterens’.
- **Looking ahead:**
  - **Joyful Praise Children's Choir** presents "I Am Not My Own": Come join us on Friday, May 1st at 7pm for an evening of encouragement and songs at Living Hope! Our concert is free of charge. There will be a free-will offering. (Doors open at 6:30pm; light refreshments to follow.)
  - **Jubilee Chorus** - "Tune Our Hearts to Sing": Sunday, May 3rd @ 7pm at St. Paul's Congregational Church. The concert is free of charge with a freewill offering for NeighbourLink. (Doors open at 6:30pm.)
  - Save the date: **Anniversary Picnic** with Trinity and Reformation at the Drouillards’ on June 20th.
- **Reminder:** You can find all the announcements, upcoming events and session notes on our church’s website.

### **Office Bearers**

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# TRINITY

ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



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530 Victoria Ave, Room Q  
Chatham, Ontario

## SUNDAY, APRIL 19, 2026

If you are visiting with us today and have any questions about our church or building facility, you are welcome to speak with the greeters; they are available to help you in any way they can.

**Greeters:** This week AM/PM: Bartsch Family      Next week AM/PM: Charbonneau Family  
**Sound:** This week: Jesse and Andrew      Next week: Ryan and Anna  
**Nursery:** This week AM: Natalie and Amelia      Next week AM: Katherine and Kate  
This week PM: Jessica and Lydia      Next week PM: Cathy and Julia

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