


## Order of Service

*“The grass withers and the flowers fade, but the word of our God stands forever.”*

*Isaiah 40:8 (NIV)*

### GATHERING AS GOD’S PEOPLE


#### Welcome and Announcements

 **Time of Preparation** *(please remain seated)*

 **Prayer of Adoration & Confession**


*(followed by the Lord’s Prayer in unison)*

*Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil; for Thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, forever and ever. AMEN*


 **Praise Selection: Thy Word**  
*(Please stand, all children are invited to come forward)*

### LISTENING TO GOD’S WORD

 **Children’s Time:** *(Children are invited to attend “The Bridge” following Children’s Time)*

 **Message: “How to Study the Bible”**  
*(1 Peter 1:2-3, Psalm 34:8, Isaiah 40:8, Psalm 119:11, and James 1:22)*

### RESPONDING TO GOD’S WORD


 **Praise Selection: Sing them over to me again**  
*(please stand)*

 **Offering** *(please remain seated)*

 **Prayers of the People**

### PREPARING TO SERVE IN GOD’S WORLD

 **Praise Selection: Shine Jesus Shine**  
*(please stand)*

 **Benediction** *(please remain standing)*

### This Week at Living Faith

**Tuesday:** Coffee and Conversation, 10am

**Wednesday:** Praise Team, 7pm

Jane Office Hours, 10am -1pm

**Friday:** NRG

**Sunday:** Worship Service, 10:30am

Living Faith Community Presbyterian Church is a “**Leading With Care**” congregation, providing a safe place for children and vulnerable adults according to the requirements of The Presbyterian Church in Canada.

Hearing Assistive Devices are available at the back of the sanctuary

*Welcome!*

*We are blessed that you are here to worship God this morning and we welcome you to the family. Please join in a time of fellowship and refreshments in Celebration Hall following the worship service.*

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are happy to have Rev. Jane Archer back with us this morning.

**Thornton Community Food Bank:** The Thornton Community Food bank would like to extend a big thank you to Living Faith for all of your generous contributions throughout 2019. We received monetary donations as well as lots of food over the past year and we really appreciate the help that you have provided to us. We are also very fortunate to have quite a few members of the Living Faith congregation that come out and volunteer at the food bank on a regular basis, for this we are truly grateful. Thank you all for your time and your gifts! Thornton Community Food bank

**AGM**  
Annual General Meeting

**ACM:** Living Faith’s Annual Congregational Meeting is scheduled for Sunday February 23<sup>rd</sup> directly after our service. Please join us in Celebration Hall for a potluck of light snacks to be enjoyed during our meeting. Your voice is important as we discover together how God is leading us into 2020.



**Curling Bonspiel:** If there is anyone that is interested in curling in our bonspiel but has never done it now is the time to learn. Cookstown Curling Club is open on most Sunday afternoon for new curlers. Please contact Liana Maltby or Juanita Borland to get more information.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS, CONTINUED

**Small Groups:** For those of you who are leading one of our small groups, please submit your annual reports by the 9<sup>th</sup> of February so that we can have everything ready for our meeting.

**Offering envelopes:** Offering envelopes are still available for pick-up in the foyer this morning. If you don't have envelopes and you're interested in getting them, please speak to Heather McFarland or any of the Elders.



### Coming Events in February:

Living Faith Annual Bonspiel 22<sup>nd</sup>  
Annual Congregational Meeting 23<sup>rd</sup>  
Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper 25<sup>th</sup>

### March:

Communion 1st with Margaret Robertson

At Living Faith, we strive to limit the use of scents and peanut products, so our church home is a welcoming and safe environment for those with allergies and sensitivities. We ask that nothing other than water be brought into our sanctuary.

Thank You



### Prayer Corner

Please keep the following in your prayers this week  
Tammy who is suffering from a diverticulitis attack  
Dorothyann and Malcolm Summers

## Duty Elder for January: Bryce Hawkins

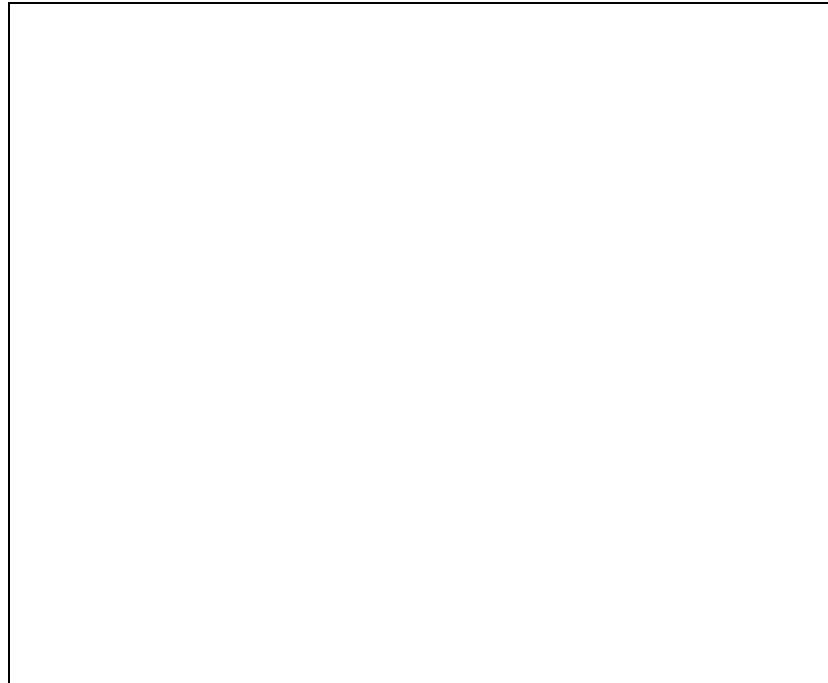
If anyone has any announcements, please see the Duty Elder before the service.



### Last Week:

Attendance: 77  
Offering: \$2943  
Refugees: \$160  
Gift Cards: \$37.50

### Sermon Notes



## Living Faith Community Presbyterian Church

Bringing God's Word to Life,  
passionately serving Jesus Christ, each other,  
and the community



# “How to Study the Bible”

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