

Summer Worship Schedule

9.00am | 11.00am

Children's programming (G.I.F.T.) is paused for the summer. It will resume on September 13 during the 9.30am service. *Children are always welcome in church*

The Summer Worship Schedule runs from June 28 through September 6.

Church Office

For information about St. Christopher's or Open Doors, please call 905.634.1809. 9am-12noon M-F. Our clergy may be reached at 289.427.0201 for a pastoral emergency.

Donation Opportunities

If you would like to donate to St. Christopher's, there are several options:

- 1 Mail us a cheque. Please never mail cash.
- 2 Go to stcb.ca and choose "Donate" (top right). Options there include:
 - a Regular offerings by pre-authorized payment from your bank account or by Visa.
 - b Special gifts, such as memorials or gifts to be directed to a particular ministry, by Visa or Mastercard. Be sure to specify where your gift should be credited.
- 3 E-transfer from your bank account to this email address: acctg@stcb.ca
- 4 Phone the church - we can receive your credit card information over the phone and process the transaction.
- 5 Also, there is now a tap machine on a stand in the Atrium. You can tap with your credit card or using your mobile phone or watch. Please use your mobile device to scan the QR code if you wish to receive a tax receipt.

What's on this week ...

Aug 9	Summer Worship.....	9.00am, 11.00am
	Garden Tours	10.15am
Aug 10	Fit for Service	9.30am
Aug 11	Open Doors Programming	3.00pm
Aug 12	Fit for Service	9.30am
Aug 13	Seniors' Lunch.....	12.00pm
	Knitting with Diane	1.00pm
Aug 14	Fit for Service	9.30am

Summer Knitting with Diane

Meet Diane each Thursday at 1pm - learn to knit or come with your knitting project. You will be glad you came!

Property Projects

If you are available weekly on Wednesday mornings from 10-12 to work with Michael Peroune and Chris Jones on special property jobs. No skill is required. Please contact the office for more information at staff@stcb.ca or 905.634.1809.

Garden Group

Sandi Smith and her team meets in the front garden on Friday mornings at 9am (weather permitting). If you are able to spend some time weeding and trimming, your efforts would be so appreciated. This is the time of year when "many hands make light the work"! Conversation and laughter always abound..

Dates for the Calendar...

Sun	Sep	13	Blessing of the Backpacks
Sun	Sep	20	Jazz Vespers
Fri	Oct	2	Golf Tournament and Dinner
Sat	Oct	17	Visions & Voices Workshop - Accessibility Committee
Sat	Oct	24	Artists for Outreach - Burlington Fine Arts Sale
Fri	Oct	30	Hallowe'en Drag Show
Thu	Nov	5	Harvest Fest - Paradiso's Burlington
Sat	Nov	14	Christmas Market
Sat	Nov	28	Christmas Tree Sales
Sat	Nov	28	Maker's Market



On this Sunday we give thanks for the lives of:

- **Ann & Reg Hewitt**, much loved parents of Carol Henley.

Happy Birthday

from St. Christopher's Church community.
May God's favour and blessing travel with you during the coming year.

Angie Bonnar	Kailyn Stanners
Kevin Beeby	Rowena Broad
Pamela Elmhirst	Bernice Sutherland
Rita Williams	Rob Wiebe
Lily Curtis	Heather Roberts
Leslee Fielding	



Happy Anniversary

from St. Christopher's Church community.
With God's blessing we wish you every joy,
as you journey through life together.

David & Cherie Rudge	31
Debbie & Steve Brooks	49
Mel & Arlene Burton	60
Bob & Beth Goodwin	61
Fred & Ellen Grigsby	56



2026 BACKPACK PROGRAM

Our annual Backpack Program is now underway, and we're grateful for any support from our community. We are accepting donations of new backpacks, lunch bags, and water bottles, and cash donations are also greatly appreciated to help ensure local students have everything they need for a successful school year. Please drop off in the office during office hours.

SATURDAY COMMUNITY MARKET

We're looking for volunteers to help with our Saturday Community Market starting in September! If you're interested in getting involved, please speak with Shannon Shuell to learn more about the volunteer opportunities and available shifts.

BURLINGTON VOLUNTEER FAIR

Join us on August 22 from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at St. Christopher's for our upcoming Volunteer Fair, hosted in partnership with Community Development Halton and the City of Burlington. If you have teenagers, grandchildren, or neighbours looking to earn volunteer hours, this is a great opportunity to explore a variety of volunteer opportunities available in the community.

SAVE THE DATE



Community Golf Tournament & Dining Experience

New – Digital Photo Directory!

One of our Church Office 2026 summer projects is to create a new digital Photo Directory, just for our parish. We are currently inserting your photo from the last directory done in 2019. If you would like to send us a new photo or if you've never had one of your household, please send it to staff@stcb.ca or bring it to the office. Choose a headshot that represents a happy you! If you would like to have a new photo taken, please contact the office at 905.634.1809 to set up an appointment.

This is a terrific resource to help us get to know each other better.