

NEWSLETTER

May 16, 2025



GREETINGS!

In the name of the One who loves us and holds us dear

We are an inclusive community on Locke Street, dedicated to seeking justice, loving kindness and walking humbly with God. We are a progressive church with traditional elements to

our service and quite a lot of music. We welcome people who are questioning. We dress informally and understand that children often run around and make noise.

SUNDAY WORSHIP DATES AT MELROSE

- May 18, 2025
- May 25, 2025
- June 1, 2025
- June 8, 2025

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A Message from the Board

Wednesday, June 11th ~ Official Board Meeting @7:30

All are welcome at any board meeting! If you would like to attend, please contact the office for more information.

Upcoming Services At Melrose!

Sunday, May 18 ~ Worship Service at 10:30 am with Rev Brenna Baker

Sunday, May 25 ~ Worship Service at 10:30am with Mary Parsons

Sunday, June 1 ~ Worship Service at 10:30am with Mary Parsons

Sunday, June 8 ~ Worship Service at 10:30am with Margaret Duff

Sunday, June 15 ~ Worship Service at 10:30am with Mary Parsons

Sunday, June 22 ~ Worship Service at 10:30am with Jan Landeen



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Great Melrose Spring Cleanup!

On Monday a huge dumpster was picked up with all the old "treasures" on board! Thank you again to the amazing volunteers who cleaned out our many storage spaces organized by "The Mothers of Neatness", Margaret, Rosella and Gwyn! Next on the agenda will be reorganizing! Stay tuned for more volunteer opportunities!



A Recital of Beautiful Arias ~ Thank you!



A heartfelt thank you to everyone who joined us for the wonderful concert featuring William Lewans and Tom Schilling, all in support of the **Melrose Roof Fund**! The event raised an impressive \$635! Melrose is grateful to William and Tom and to all who attended and gave so generously!

Your Help is Needed for the Great Melrose Garage Sale!

Volunteers are needed for the Great Melrose Garage Sale on Friday June 6th to help with set up from 2pm to 5pm and on Saturday, June 7th from 8am to noon. Please email Gwyn if you can help! gwynxag@gmail.com.



Social Media at Melrose

Did you know? Melrose has an active social media presence on Facebook and Instagram! Check out our pages for information on Melrose events, the wider church and for messages of inspiration!



Looking Ahead!

Community Knitting and Crochet

Saturday, May 17th ~ 9:30am - 11:30am ~ Bring your current project and materials, beginners welcome! Coffee, tea and snacks will be provided. Please enter through the doors off of the Stanley Ave parking lot.



Progressive Euchre

Friday, May 23rd @7:00pm ~ Doors open at 6:30pm, games start at 7:30pm sharp! Beginners welcome! You do not need a partner! Please enter through the doors off of the Stanley Ave Parking lot.



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34th Annual Case For Kids



Sunday, June 1, 2025
12 noon - 2:30 pm
Bayfront Park, Hamilton

Help Local Kids and
Support Case for Kids!



Case for Kids is a community fundraising event with food, music, activities and fun for all ages and all abilities. This event raises funds for Wesley's Children and Youth programs in Hamilton, Halton and Brantford.



Come join us! Participants are encouraged to walk, run or ride (bicycle, scooter, etc.) at your own pace, around the Bayfront Park pathway which spans almost 1.5 km.



Make a donation, join a team, share on social media, and come to Case for Kids!

wesley.ca/caseforkids

Wesley's Case for Kids

Mark your calendars for **Sunday, June 1st!**

Wesley's 34th Annual Case for Kids event is just around the corner! To join our team the **Melrose Movers** **25**, please visit <http://www.wesley.ca/caseforkids> and click on "Join a Team." Participants are encouraged to walk, run, or ride at their own pace around Bayfront Park. Donations can be dropped off at the church office. Kindly make cheques payable to Wesley Case for Kids or donate directly on their website. Last year we raised just over \$1000! Libby will also be collecting donation safter church on Sundays until June 15th.

The Great Melrose Garage Sale!

Join us on Saturday, **June 7th, from 8:30 AM to 11:30 AM** for a fantastic garage sale featuring a variety of household items, crafts, toys, furniture, and more! Most items will be priced at just \$2.00, with a few exceptions. If you're able to assist, please reach out to Gwyn! gwynxag@gmail.com.



Board Games!

Sunday, June 8th @2:00pm to 5:00pm ~ All ages are welcome! Bring along your favourite board games. You do not need a partner. Entry fee, \$5.00 for individuals, \$10 for families.

A Message From the Office

Please be sure to submit your items for the bulletin or newsletter by Wednesday of each week. Kindly email melrose@melroseunited.ca. Thank you!

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