



## Annual Black History Month Celebration

**Sunday, February 24, 2019**

hosted at

St. James Lutheran Church in St. Jacobs, ON

In partnership with

Mt. Zion Lutheran Church Waterloo

Caribbean Canadian Association of Waterloo Region

Congress of Black Women – Waterloo Chapter

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Member of St. James St. Jacobs

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Pr. Karen Kuhnert

Arlene Knight, Maranatha Deaconess

Pauline Miller

February 24 Massed Choir

Pr. Peter Kuhnert

**O God, we call, O God, we call.**

**From deep inside we yearn, from deep inside we yearn,**

**from deep inside we yearn for you.**

Sharing the Peace

Introduction to the Scholarships

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Guest Speaker

Louis Allen, CCAWR President

Seminarian Janelle Lightbourne

Pr. Karen Kuhnert

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Pr. Philip Mathai

Prepared by *The Caribbean Kitchen*

Marcia Smeillie CBW—Waterloo Chapter President

Deputy Police Chief Ingrid Berekely-Brown

# This Little Light of Mine

1 This lit - tle light of mine, I'm goin' - a let it shine;  
 2 Ev - 'ry - where I go, I'm goin' - a let it shine;  
 3 Je - sus gave it to me, I'm goin' - a let it shine;

oh, oh,

this lit - tle light of mine, I'm goin' - a let it shine;  
 ev - 'ry - where I go, I'm goin' - a let it shine;  
 Je - sus gave it to me, I'm goin' - a let it shine;

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oh,

let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.  
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 let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.

Text: African American spiritual  
 Music: THIS JOY, African American spiritual; arr. Horace Clarence Boyer, b. 1935  
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# Halle, Halle, Hallelujah

Hal-le, hal - le, hal - le - lu - jah. Hal - le, hal - le, hal -  
 - le - lu - jah. Hal - le, hal - le, hal - le -  
 lu - jah. Hal - le - lu - jah. Hal - le - lu - jah.

Music: Caribbean traditional

# Listen, God Is Calling

*Neno lake Mungu*

Refrain  
 Leader All

Ne - no, ne - no la - ke Mu - ngu la - ku - i - ta we - we,  
 Lis - ten, lis - ten, God is call - ing, through the Word in - vit - ing,  
 ne - no la wo - ko - vu, te - na je - ma. ma.  
 of - fer - ing for - give - ness, com - fort, and joy. joy.

Leader All

Ye - su a - li - se - ma, Mka - hu - bi - ri.  
 1 Je - sus gave his man - date: share the good news  
 2 Let none be for - got - ten through - out the world.  
 3 Help us to be faith - ful, stand - ing stead - fast,

Leader All Refrain

Ne - no la - ke Mu - ngu la wo - ko - vu.  
 that he came to save us and set us free.  
 In the tri - une name of God go and bap - tize.  
 walk - ing in your pre - cepts, led by your Word.

Text: Tanzanian traditional; tr. Howard S. Olson, b. 1922  
 Music: NENO LAKE MUNGU, Tanzanian tune; arr. Austin C. Lovelace, b. 1919  
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## I Want Jesus to Walk with Me

1 I want Je - sus to walk with me;  
 2 In my tri - als, Lord, walk with me;  
 3 When I'm in trou - ble, Lord, walk with me;

I want Je - sus to walk with me;  
 in my tri - als, Lord, walk with me;  
 when I'm in trou - ble, Lord, walk with me;

all a - long my pil - grim jour - ney,  
 when my heart is al - most break - ing,  
 when my head is bowed in sor - row,

Lord, I want Je - sus to walk with me.  
 Lord, I want Je - sus to walk with me.  
 Lord, I want Je - sus to walk with me.

Text: African American spiritual  
 Music: SOJOURNER, African American spiritual

## Let Us Talents and Tongues Employ



- 1 Let us tal - ents and tongues em - ploy, reach - ing out with a shout of joy:
- 2 Christ is a - ble to make us one, at the ta - ble he sets the tone,
- 3 Je - sus calls us in, sends us out bear - ing fruit in a world of doubt,



bread is bro - ken, the wine is poured, Christ is spo - ken and seen and heard.  
teach - ing peo - ple to live to bless, love in word and in deed ex - press.  
gives us love to tell, bread to share: God (Im - man - u - el) ev - 'ry - where!

### *Refrain*



Je - sus lives a - gain, earth can breathe a - gain, pass the Word a - round: loaves a - bound!

Text: Fred Kaan, b. 1929

Music: LINSTEAD, Jamaican folk tune; adapt. Doreen Potter, 1925-1980

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## APOSTLES' CREED

**I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.**

**He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit  
and born of the virgin Mary.**

**He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried.**

**He descended into hell. On the third day he rose again.**

**He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father.**

**He will come again to judge the living and the dead.**

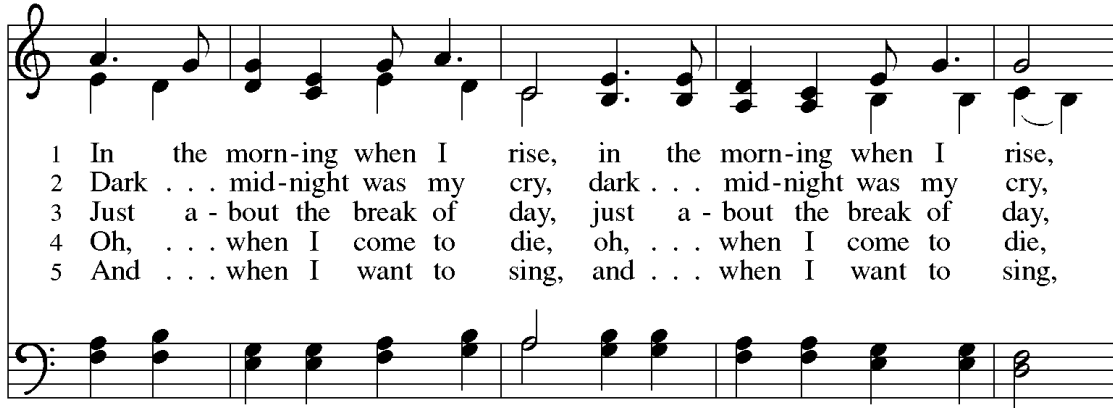
**I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy catholic Church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting. Amen**

## PRAYER REFRAIN - O GOD, WE CALL, WRITTEN BY LINNEA GOOD

**O God, we call, O God, we call.**

**From deep inside we yearn, from deep inside we yearn, from deep inside  
we yearn for you.**

# Give Me Jesus

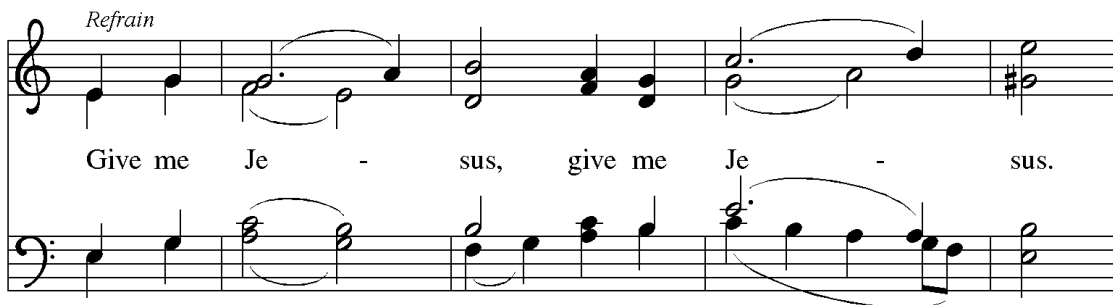


1 In the morn-ing when I rise, in the morn-ing when I rise,  
 2 Dark . . . mid-night was my cry, dark . . . mid-night was my cry,  
 3 Just a - bout the break of day, just a - bout the break of day,  
 4 Oh, . . . when I come to die, oh, . . . when I come to die,  
 5 And . . . when I want to sing, and . . . when I want to sing,



in the morn-ing when I rise, give me Je - sus.  
 dark . . . mid - night was my cry, give me Je - sus.  
 just a - bout the break of day, give me Je - sus.  
 oh, . . . when I come to die, give me Je - sus.  
 and . . . when I want to sing, give me Je - sus.

*Refrain*



Give me Je - sus, give me Je - sus.



You may have all the rest, give me Je - sus.

Text: African American spiritual  
 Music: GIVE ME JESUS, African American spiritual; arr. hymnal version  
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# Just a Closer Walk with Thee

The image shows a musical score for the hymn 'Just a Closer Walk with Thee'. It consists of two systems of music. Each system has a vocal line in the treble clef and a piano accompaniment line in the bass clef. The key signature has two flats (B-flat and E-flat), and the time signature is 4/4. The lyrics are written below the vocal line. The first system includes a 'Refrain' and three numbered verses. The second system continues the lyrics with 'Ref.' markings at the end of some lines.

Refrain Just a clos - er walk with thee, grant it, Je - sus, is my plea;  
1 I am weak but thou art strong: Je - sus, keep me from all wrong;  
2 Through this world of toil and snares, if I fal - ter, Lord, who cares?  
3 When my fee - ble life is o'er, time for me will be no more;

dai - ly walk - ing close to thee, let it be, dear Lord, let it be.  
I'll be sat - is - fied as long as I walk, let me walk close to thee. *Ref.*  
Who with me my bur - den shares? None but thee, dear Lord, none but thee. *Ref.*  
guide me gent - ly, safe - ly o'er to thy king - dom shore, to thy shore. *Ref.*

Text: North American traditional  
Music: CLOSER WALK, North American traditional

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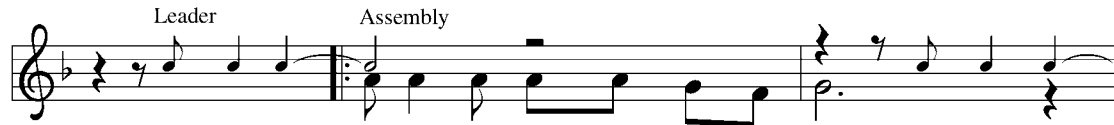
*The Community wishes to thank all our political leaders and Deputy Police Chief Ingrid Berkeley-Brown of Peel Region for generously dedicating their vocational talents to Black History Month events and our community development.*

*Please support local artists like Ken Daley ([kendaleyart.com](http://kendaleyart.com)) and Starlite Steelband ([starlitesteelband.com](http://starlitesteelband.com)), and enjoy the delicious food and community made possible by The Caribbean Kitchen located in the Kitchener Market.*

# Amen, We Praise Your Name

## *Amen siakudumisa*

Leader                      Assembly



*Ma - si - thi!*      *A - men si - a - ku - du - mi - sa!*      *Ma - si - thi!*  
Sing prais-es!      A-men, we praise your name, O God!      Sing prais - es!



*A - men si - a - ku - du - mi - sa!*      *Ma - si - thi!*      *A - men, ba - wo.*  
A - men, we praise your name, O God!      Sing prais - es!      A - men, a - men.



*A - men, ba - wo.*      *A - men si - a - ku - du - mi - sa!*      *Ma - si - thi!*  
A - men, a - men.      A - men, we praise your name, O God!      Sing prais - es!

Text: South African traditional

Music: AMEN SIAKUDUMISA, attr. S. C. Molefe, as taught by Gobingca George Mxadana

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# I'm So Glad Jesus Lifted Me



1 I'm so glad                      I'm so glad  
2 Sa - tan had me bound,      Je - sus lift-ed me.      Sa - tan had me bound,  
3 When I was in trou - ble,                      When I was in trou - ble,



Je - sus lift-ed me.      I'm so glad  
   Sa - tan had me bound,      Je - sus lift-ed me,  
   When I was in trou - ble,



sing-ing glo - ry, hal - le - lu - jah!      Je - sus lift - ed me.

Text: African American spiritual

Music: JESUS LIFTED ME, African American spiritual