



Parkdale

Evangelical Free Church

Passion for God, Compassion for People

Welcome to the Service!
January 28, 2024

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Ministers: Everyone

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Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest.
Matthew 11:28

Jan 28, 2024 – In Christ's Hands, John 6:1-24

Rob Stewart

Jesus Feeds the Five Thousand John 6:1-15

Some time after this, Jesus crossed to the far shore of the Sea of Galilee (that is, the Sea of Tiberias), and a great crowd of people followed him because they saw the signs he had performed by healing the sick. Then Jesus went up on a mountainside and sat down with his disciples. The Jewish Passover Festival was near.

When Jesus looked up and saw a great crowd coming toward him, he said to Philip, "Where shall we buy bread for these people to eat?" He asked this only to test him, for he already had in mind what he was going to do.

Philip answered him, "It would take more than half a year's wages^{wd} to buy enough bread for each one to have a bite!"

Another of his disciples, Andrew, Simon Peter's brother, spoke up, "Here is a boy with five small barley loaves and two small fish, but how far will they go among so many?"

Jesus said, "Have the people sit down." There was plenty of grass in that place, and they sat down (about five thousand men were there). Jesus then took the loaves, gave thanks, and distributed to those who were seated as much as they wanted. He did the same with the fish.

When they had all had enough to eat, he said to his disciples, "Gather the pieces that are left over. Let nothing be wasted." So they gathered them and filled twelve baskets with the pieces of the five barley loaves left over by those who had eaten. After the people saw the sign Jesus performed, they began to say, "Surely this is the Prophet who is to come into the world." Jesus, knowing that they intended to come and make him king by force, withdrew again to a mountain by himself.

Jesus Walks on the Water: John 6:16-24

Small Groups at Parkdale

Mondays	10:00 AM Women's prayer & study
Tuesdays	11:30 AM Men's coffee time
Tuesdays	6:30 PM Youth group biweekly
Wednesdays	7:00 PM Men's Freedom session

Upcoming Events

- Feb 11: Church Potluck after service
- Feb 17: **Kenya info night** at Parkdale
- Feb 25: AGM after service

Birthdays and Anniversaries

- Jan 30: Tim S (40!)
- Feb 2: Evan R

Schedules

Sunday School

- Jan 28: Emily, Dona
- Feb 4: Derek, Robert

Coffee

- Jan 28: Sherrie
- Feb 4: Helen

Cleaning

- Feb: Jay (ongoing)

COBS

- Feb 3: Yu
- Feb 10: Zion

Connecting and Contributing

Email parkdaleonline@gmail.com to find out about these opportunities:

- Music
- Sunday School
- Membership
- Baptism
- Hospitality

Parkdale appreciates your generous offerings to support our ministries and enable us to maintain this place of meeting. People are welcome to give via:

- An offering box near the coffee table, mail, parkdalechurch.ca/give, or by e-transfer to parkdalebookkeeper@gmail.com

2023 Financial update:

- 2023 Total income: \$136,262.05
- 2023 Total expenses: \$138,022.32

Please Remember to Pray for...

- ✝ Our Church Board: Treasurer, Michelle Y
- ✝ Ministry/Partner: Zion Church
- ✝ Missionaries: Daniel and Sandi M, ISMC at UVic
- ✝ Our World & Community: continued fighting in Israel, pray for peace
- ✝ Lower Pacific District Church of the Week: **Cross Fellowship Church** in Burnaby, BC. Korean congregation led by Pastor Joshua L



Cross Fellowship Church

*"A church that builds
God's people and builds
God's kingdom"*



Prayer Need?

- Feel free to talk to the pastor after the service, or email us at parkdaleonline@gmail.com to send it to our prayer chain



Need More Information?

- Check out www.parkdalechurch.ca for sermon recordings, past bulletins, online giving, upcoming dates, and more

COBS bread and other food items are in the foyer. Please help yourself!