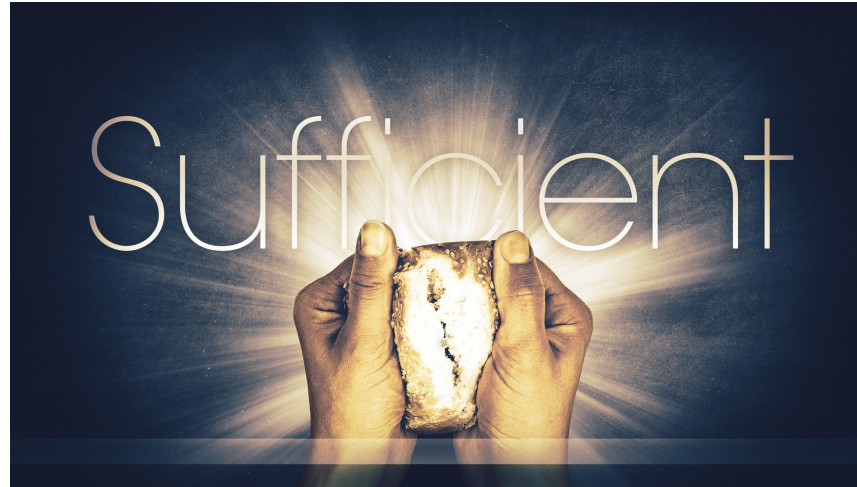


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Welcome & Announcements  
Pastor Paul

Call to Worship & Prayer of Approach  
Pastor Adam // Psalm 4:6-8

Worship in Song  
Pastor Adam & Team

Scripture Reading  
John 7:37-44 & 8:12 // Corynne Dawson

Morning Message  
I am the Light of the World // Pastor Adam

Sending Hymn  
Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus // No.621

## 7 day strategy

**Monday September 18**  
Weekly Prayer Mtg. (10am), Ignite—Jr. Yth. (7pm)

**Tuesday September 19**  
Pastor Adam @ Markdale Hospital Chaplaincy Rounds (10am), GriefShare (7pm)

**Wednesday September 20**  
Men's Breakfast @ The Restaurant (8am), Grey Gables Service (10am), Relentless - Sr. Yth. (7pm)

**Thursday September 21**  
Early Learning Years (9am), Ladies Prayer Gathering @ Doreen Green's (9:30am), Staff Mtg. (1:30pm), Choir Practice (7pm)

**Friday September 22**  
Pastor Adam's Day Off, Jr. High at Camping Retreat all weekend

**Saturday September 23**

**Sunday September 24**  
Pre-Service Prayer (9:45am), Worship (10:30am), Anniversary Sunday, Vision Ministries with us, Fellowship Lunch

**Heritage Tour of Local Cemeteries**  
with historian & tour guide Janet Iles

**Saturday September 30<sup>th</sup> 2017**  
8:30am-3:30pm

TICKETS \$35.00 PER PERSON  
Includes (school bus) tour to 5 cemeteries, catered lunch (Doreen Iles) and tour guide.

Board the bus @ 8:30am from the parking lot at Gentle Shepherd Community Church - Eugenia.

Tickets available at:

- Gentle Shepherd Community Church
- Jolly's Dairy Bar & Video
- Flesherton Home Hardware
- The Bakery in Flesherton
- Grey Highlands Public Library
- Flesherton and Markdale Branches
- Online at GentleShepherd.ca

Tickets are available until Sept. 20th or sold out.  
Call 519.924.3422 or visit www.GentleShepherd.ca for more info.

Canada 150

Celebrating some of the history of South East Grey in honour of Canada's 150<sup>th</sup> birthday!

## watch n'pray

- > Bob Betts is recovering from gall bladder surgery.
- > Gertrude Neufeld (Mary Pillisch's mother) is recovering from hip replacement surgery.
- > For the devastation, loss, human suffering and trauma taking place in the wake of Hurricane Irma. Pray for the families who have lost loved ones and for the tremendous and overwhelming task of recovery and rebuilding ahead.
- > For South West Mexico as it recovers from a massive earthquake. For families of those who perished.
- > For the human suffering and trauma as a result of Hurricane Harvey in Texas and Louisiana. Over 1 million people have been displaced there.
- > For those continuing to be displaced by the wild fires in BC and for those fighting the fires.
- > For the widespread flooding in Windsor and for Pastor Don and Bob & Ann as they minister there as a Chaplains with the Billy Graham Rapid Response Team.
- > Prayers for Shirley Ferris who had a fall off of a ladder and has broken her right wrist and left leg (Tibia). Shirley is not mobile right now and is resting at home.
- > Ruth Brown continues to rest in Markdale Hospital after suffering a stroke and Lord willing will be moving into a long term care home in the near future.
- > Prayers for Iona Shier. For strength to deal with osteoarthritis and for healing through hip replacement surgery on October 6 in Newmarket.
- > Please pray for Antoon VanMaren (Anja's father) who has been diagnosed with an inoperable cancerous brain tumor. The family covets your prayers at this time. Please pray for effective treatment for Antoon.
- > For those battling cancer: Roger and Doreen Bourgeois, Cindy Hargrave, Cathy McPhee, Betty Mills, Jenn Schnier, Diana Stephens, Dorothy Fachnie (Harold Smith's sister), Don Tracey, Ruth Kentner (Dianne Carlson's friend).
- > Ongoing prayer for Les Burnham, Shirley Clark, Ruth Colgan, Jan Dawson, Pete Olver, Piper Sicard, Peter Symons, Joan White, Leone Wight.
- > Grey Gables Residents: Don Bullock and Tom Walton.

## please pray for our mission partners

- > Bobby & Sandy Jank (New Tribes Mission Venezuela)
- > "G" (SIM Ethiopia)
- > Ken & Nancy (North Africa)
- > David Sangnay, Suwit Duangkaew, G. Nawdin (Frontier Labourers for Christ - Thailand/ Myanmar)
- > Margaret Thomas Indonesia—OMF (Prayer Partner)
- > Prayers for Cheryl and Donna Pridham, missionaries at the Widow's School in Samaru-Kataf, Nigeria (Prayer Partner)
- > Rev. Bitrus and Monica Audu, Christ Missionary Outreach, Nigeria (Prayer Partner)
- > Adam (North Africa)

## for the fridge door

- > Plan To Protect annual training session is today following worship and a light lunch. If you volunteer with our children's and/or youth ministry, please attend this session.
- > Hurricane Relief Efforts will be tripled by the Red Cross if donated via Gentle Shepherd Community Church by September 27. Please make your cheque payable to GSCC and mark "Hurricane Relief" on your cheque.
- > The Old Durham Road Pioneer Cemetery Annual Decoration Ceremony is today at 2pm. Please bring your lawn chairs. Rain location is at St. John's United in Flesherton. Refreshments to follow service.
- > Salem Cemetery Service is today at 2pm. Rain location is at Rock Mills Baptist.
- > Hebrews Bible Study with Pastor Adam starts this Wednesday September 20 in the Fellowship Hall from 1:30pm-3pm.
- > "Selfless", a camping retreat for Jr. High students in Stayner, will be held this weekend on September 22-24. Please speak with Pastor Paul for further info or visit www.JrPitch.com
- > Come and celebrate with us some of the history of South East Grey in honour of Canada's 150th birthday! On Sat. Sept. 30, 2017 we will be hosting a Heritage Tour of Local Cemeteries with historian and tour guide Janet Iles. \$35.00 per person includes the bus tour, catered lunch by Linda Leith and the educational tour guide. Tickets are available at Jolley's Dairy Bar & Video, Flesherton Home Hardware, The Bakery in Flesherton, Grey Highlands Public Library—Flesherton & Markdale Branches, GSCC Office and GentleShepherd.ca.
- > Food Bank Report: A family has requested help to find rental accommodation, budgeted \$800 inclusive, call Marian 519-599-3576. Needs: double sheets, pillows and pillow cases, laundry basket, window air conditioner, school supplies, baby food, fresh garden produce, any non-perishable. Next food bank date is Tues. Sept. 26.
- > Save the date! On October 28 we will be hosting "Family of Faith", a full day family conference here at Gentle Shepherd. More info to follow.

## God is the source

Give Online: [GentleShepherd.ca/Give](http://GentleShepherd.ca/Give)  
E-Transfers: [give@gentleshepherd.ca](mailto:give@gentleshepherd.ca)

**General Fund Budget: \$5093.00** Received Last Week: \$4876.00  
Received September 3: \$5877.00 Received August 27: \$3643.00  
>>Year to Date—Less than goal: (\$18,415.00)

**Mission Fund Goal: \$673.00** Received Last Week: \$165.00  
Received September 3: \$498.00 Received August 27: \$315.00  
>>Year to Date—More than goal: \$3115.00

**Afar Famine Relief Goal: \$10,000.00** Received Sept. 3: \$160.00  
Received August 27: \$871.00 >>Final Total: \$9181.00